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MAY FORGET REPORTS ON BALLINGER

House Committee Is Likely Not to Take Action on Them.

Committee on Agriculture Members Do Not Want the Documents.

Democrats Lay Plans to Force Them Upon the Floor.

Washington, Dec. 8.—The Ballinger-Pinchot reports will not be acted upon by the house committee on agriculture, to which they have been referred, until after the Christmas holidays at least, and perhaps not at all.

In fact, the members of this committee cannot see why the reports were referred to them except for the conservation question involved. They protest that the reports, having been made by a special joint committee of congress, should have been left on the speaker's table instead of being referred to any standing committee.

Working on Appropriations.

Just now the committee on agriculture, which is headed by Representative Scott of Kansas, one of the members who was not re-elected to the next congress, is considering the agricultural appropriation bill, and while the committee has not yet had an opportunity to consider the Ballinger-Pinchot controversy, the appropriation measure will be made a temporary vehicle for holding up such considerations.

Democrats Lay Plans.

Meantime the Democrats of the house, particularly the minority members of the Ballinger-Pinchot investigation committee, along with Mr. Madison of Kansas, the insurgent Republican member, are figuring on what action to take after the required seven days elapses when a rule from the committee on rules might be in order. The Democrats will seek recourse to a rule, and, failing early action, plan to bring up the question in speeches on the floor of the house.

DIDN'T BOTHER TO HOLD AN ELECTION

Arkansas County Makes That Return to the State Secretary.

Little Rock, Ark., Dec. 8.—An election without competition is considered too tame in Crittenden county, Arkansas. To make the record complete, the return from Crittenden for the recent congressional election was all that was needed, and Secretary of State Ludwig sent an urgent letter to the commissioners of that county insisting that the figures be hurried. In return the county clerk made an announcement that no election was held, that the Democratic nominee had no opposition, and in effect that an election under such circumstances was an unnecessary formality.

MOB CHEATED OF ALLEGED MURDERER.

St. Joseph, Mo., Dec. 8.—Hez Rasco, accused of murdering four members of the Hubbell family near Barnard, Mo., Nov. 20, was taken to Marysville, Mo., last night and arraigned before a magistrate before daylight this morning.

He waived preliminary hearing and was immediately returned to the St. Joseph jail for safe keeping. These precautions were taken in order to avoid possibility of lynching.

HIGH COST OF LIVING

Secretary Wilson Finds No Well Grounded Complaint Against Farmer.

Latter Receives Small Part of Prices Paid By Consumers.

Washington, Dec. 8.—High prices receive considerable attention in the annual report of the secretary of agriculture for 1910, published today. In the farmer's aspect of the matter he receives various percentages of the consumer's prices for farm products. In the case of milk, in seventy-eight cities distributed throughout the United States where the subject was investigated by the department, the farmer receives a scant 50 per cent, or one-half of the price paid by the consumer. The railroads get about 7 per cent, so that the remaining 43 per cent of the consumer's price is received mostly by the retailer.

"The milk wagon of the retailer has a long route. It stops at a house or two in one city block, perhaps passes several blocks without stopping, and so proceeds to serve customers thinly distributed along a route of miles. At the same time the milk wagons of

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TALKS ABOUT WATER AND RAIL CARRIERS

F. A. DELANO, President of the Wabash Railroad.

HOLD RITES FOR LEADER

Christian Scientists Conduct Services at Mrs. Eddy's Home.

Burial in Mount Auburn Is Opposed By Her Son.

Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 8.—After services attended by her family, relatives, the members of her household, officials of the Christian Science church and publishing society, and her personal students residing in Greater Boston, the body of Mary Baker G. Eddy was placed today in the receiving vault at Mount Auburn cemetery. The funeral services at the Chestnut Hill home were simple. There were about 120 persons present.

At 11 o'clock all were in the residence ready for the first words from Judge Cliford P. Smith, first reader of the mother church, who conducted the services.

Son Was Present.

Among those in attendance were Mrs. Eddy's son, George Washington Glover of Lead, S D., his daughter, Mary Baker Glover, and his son, George Washington Glover, Jr.; Dr. E. J. Foster of Waterbury, Vt., Mrs. Eddy's adopted son, and other relatives, including Gen. Henry M. Baker of Bow, N. H., Mrs. Eddy's cousin; John B. Baker of New York, another cousin of Mrs. Eddy, and his son, Rufus; Calvin A. Frye, Mrs. Laura Sargent, Adam H. Dickey, Rev. I. C. Tomlinson, Mr. and Mrs. William R. Rathven and Mrs. Martha W. Wilcox, member of Mrs. Eddy's household.

Read From Her Book.

Judge Smith began the services by the reading of a lesson sermon composed of selections from the Bible and correlative passages from "Science and Health, With Key to the Scriptures."

The casket was then carried to the hearse and the journey to Mount Auburn cemetery was begun.

The honorary pallbearers were Hon. John L. Bates of Boston, Edward P. Bates of Syracuse, N. Y., Arthur Brisbane of New York, Judge Charles R. Corning of Concord. N. H.; Frederick Dixon of London, Hon. Samuel J. Elder of Boston, Mayor Charles Hatfield of Newton, Mass., William B. Johnson of Boston, Albert Metcalf of Boston and

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ARRESTS MAY SOLVE TRAGEDY

New York Police Are Said to Connect Prisoners With Murder.

New York, Dec. 8.—Secrecy is maintained at police headquarters regarding the identity of the three men made prisoners late yesterday, but there seems to be good reason to believe that the men are in custody in connection with the murder of John C. Warner, the young engineer of Highwood, Conn., who was stabbed to death on Seventh avenue more than a month ago.

While the detectives were not ready to admit as much, it was learned they feel certain they have solved the Warner mystery and that he met his death through being taken for an express strike breaker.

HORSEWHIPS MAN IN SELMA STREET

Washington Woman Says He Lied About Her Husband.

Selma, Ala., Dec. 8.—Mrs. Bowen of Washington, D. C., late yesterday afternoon horsewhipped N. A. Williams on the main street of this city. Mrs. Bowen was arrested and in her statement to the police she charged that Williams, who also comes from Washington, had told her a lie. Mrs. Bowen and her husband separated and Williams, she alleges, hid Bowen from her in this city. Williams was badly beaten over the head.

CLASH OVER WATERWAYS

Eastern Men Complain of Treatment at Big Meeting.

Clifford Sifton Tells How Canadian Canal Would Help Lake Ports.

Washington, Dec. 8.—Though the National Rivers and Harbors congress has been in session only one day, signs of friction already have developed among the representatives advocating big projects. Some of the representatives of the Atlantic Deeper Waterways association claim they are not receiving adequate recognition.

Interest centers today in the address of Governor Harmon of Ohio. Brig. Gen. Bixby, chief of the United States engineer corps, and Representative Champ Clark of Missouri, are also expected to deliver addresses. The appearance of Gen. Bixby will mark the first time that the head of the engineering corps of the army has appeared before a public gathering to explain his work and policy.

Important, Says Delano.

"There is no more important subject today than that of waterways," said Frederick A. Delano, president of the Wabash railroad, addressing the congress. Insisting that every true and loyal citizen of the country is interested in seeing the question of waterways settled and "settled right," President Delano said the railroad men should not look at the subject solely from the viewpoint of a railroad man, nor the shipper consider it alone from a shipper's standpoint.

In discussing the Mississippi project he assumed that no one would advocate making not only the Mississippi, but all of its navigable tributaries, fourteen or twenty feet deep. To develop the system otherwise, he said, would be like building the main line

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RENTS THE PEST HOUSE AS HOME

Illinois Man Pays City Twelve Dollars Monthly For It.

Granite City, Ill., Dec. 8.—Under agreement to vacate on a day's notice, James Smith, a mill worker, moved his family into the Granite City pesthouse today. Scarcity of houses caused Smith to rent the pesthouse from the city for $12 a month. If a smallpox case appears here, Smith must give up his home to the patient.

HACKMAN GETS VERDICT.

Against Fargo Street Railway Company for $2,500.

Fargo, N. D., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—A jury in the district court returned a verdict for $2,500 for the plaintiff in the case of Thomas H. Welch, a hackman of this city, against the Fargo Street Railway company. His rig was struck by a street car and the plaintiff received serious injuries. He sued for $10,000.

SAY VICE IS UNCHECKED

Civic League Calls Upon Mayor Cullum to Enforce the Laws.

Charges That "Red Light" District Is Running Wide Open.

Declaring that the liquor laws are being openly violated; that the red light district is running wide open, making a market for white slaves and teaching that lawlessness is openly tolerated by the police, the mayor and the public; that gambling is prevalent, and that as a result of this laxity Duluth is full of disreputable women and bad men, the Civic league last night passed a resolution demanding that the mayor redeem his pledge to enforce the law and carry out his solemn oath to enforce the laws of the city and state.

The meeting was held at the Y. M. C. A. upon call of President Bert N. Wheeler and Secretary C. C. Bartholomew. Following a discussion of the alleged lawlessness and the universal vice with which the city is said to be overrun, the meeting passed the resolution embodying the above statements.

Mayor M. B. Cullum was reached on the telephone this noon and the resolution read to him. He said that he had nothing to say upon the subject, for the present, at least.

Letter From Social Worker.

The Herald was also furnished a letter written by William P. F. Ferguson over his own signature, telling of a visit which he made to the alleged dis-

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FLOODWOOD HAS A $3,000 FIRE

Dwelling and Barn Owned By S. Nickelson Destroyed Early Thursday.

Floodwood, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—Fire caused by an overheated stove completely destroyed the dwelling and barn owned by S. Mickelson, about 7:30 this morning. The buildings were valued at $3,000, which is well covered by insurance.

The surrounding buildings were in danger of igniting from the flying embers, but fires started this way were quickly under control.

DEMOCRATS REPORT $27,771 EXPENSES

Washington, Dec. 8.—The Republican congressional committee received $77,461 and disbursed $74,373, while the Democratic congressional committee received $27,790 and disbursed $27,771 during the recent campaign, according to reports filed today with the clerk of the house of representatives.

FINDS MILK BELOW GRADE

Fifteen Out of Twenty-Five Samples Below Legal Standard.

City Inspector Reports on His Tour of Local Restaurants.

Fifteen samples of milk, out of twenty-five taken in the city from restaurants by Milk Inspector Grant E. Owens, tested below the standard of 3.5 per cent butter fat required by the state law.

Several were close to the requirements, running from 3 per cent up to the standard. The inspector says that milk of that grade is all right, although it is not the best. One sample from the Royal lunch at 511 West Superior street, dropped down to 1.8 per cent.

The health department has been keeping close track of the milk sold in restaurants. A general campaign was started last summer, and was productive of excellent results. The last month other duties have compelled the department to devote less attention to this feature, and some of the restaurant men got careless.

In some places the inspector found two different vats from which milk was served to the trade. One was well over the test and the other below. The better grade was intended for the people who looked as though they might object to poor milk, or who had been known to enter protests in the past. The other was tapped for the ordinary customers, according to the milk inspector. He said that in one place the owner was very anxious that he should only take one sample,

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ATTACK ON TOWING COMPANY IS BEGUN

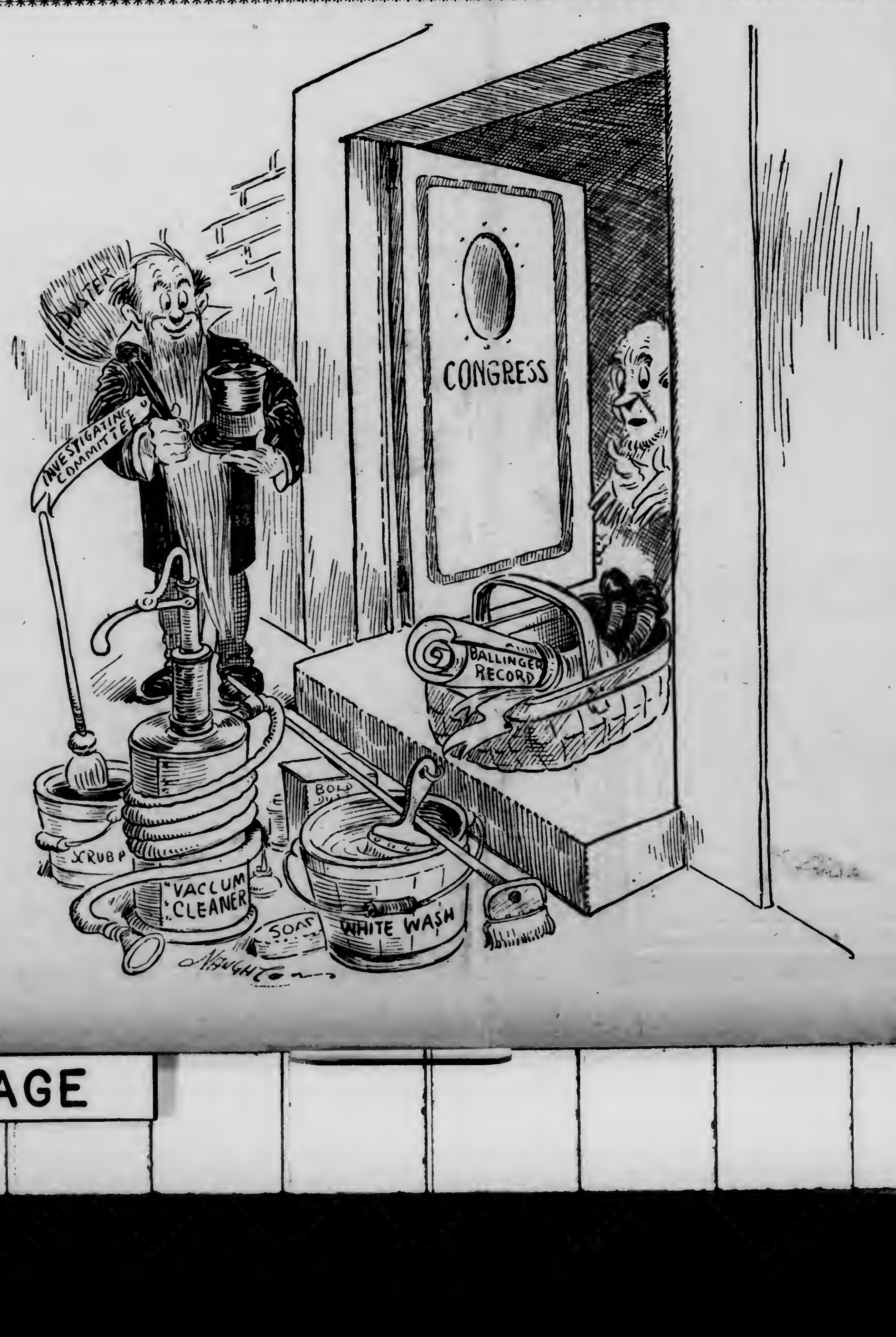
Government Takes Depositions on Charges That It Is Trust.

Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 8.—Taking of depositions in the government's ouster suit against the Great Lakes Towing company, charged with violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, began here today. M. H. Wardwell, secretary of the Great Lakes Towing company, Thomas Johnson, his assistant, and Harry Coulby, president of the Pittsburg Steamship company, were among the witnesses summoned. The work will consume several days.

ROSSITER MAY NOT SURVIVE HIS ILLNESS.

New York, Dec. 8.—No change, either for the better or worse, was reported today from the bedside of E. V. W. Rossiter, vice president of the New York Central railroad, who is critically ill at his home in Flushing. The patient's weak condition has caused fears that he could not long survive and the members of his family are in constant attendance.

BACK FROM THE CLEANERS.



IS SUGGESTED FOR SPEAKER OF HOUSE

ROBERT LEE HENRY Of Texas.

Washington, Dec. 8.—R. L. Henry of Texas has been much discussed as a candidate for speaker in the next congress. Mr. Henry says he is not a candidate. He has been a conspicuous member of the house for fourteen years, and in the Fifty-ninth congress was unanimously elected chairman of the Democratic caucus. Mr. Henry is a leading member of the judiciary committee and he may be made chairman of that committee.

UNIONISTS LACK SCORE

Government Has Lead of Twenty Thus Far in Election.

Results of Some of the Wednesday Polling for Parliament Announced.

London, Dec. 8.—The election returns so far as completed this evening give the coalition parties 209 seats in the next parliament against 189 secured by the Unionists.

The coalition aggregate is made up as follows:

Liberals, 133; Irish Nationalists, 45; Independent Nationalists, 6; Labor members, 25.

Unionists Held Ground.

The counties of England which voted yesterday remained staunch to the Unionist movement cause, and the gap between the coalition forces and the Unionists remained about the same.

The Unionists scored a gain in the Eskdale division of Cumberland, where Claude Lowther, a relative of Speaker Lowther, turned out Geoffrey Howard, but the Liberals evened up matters in Radnarshire, Sir F. Edwards turning the tables on C. Venables Llewellyn, who had defeated him in the January elections.

Some Results Announced.

"The following results in constituencies polled for members of the new parliament yesterday were announced this morning:

Huntingdonshire (Huntingdon)—J.

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FORMER SENATOR STOUT IS DEAD

Lumberman and Philanthropist Dies at His Home in Menomonie.

Menomonie, Wis., Dec. 8.—Former State Senator James Huff Stout, a wealthy lumberman and philanthropist, died at his home today. Mr. Stout was a leader in educational movements and was a pioneer advocate of the manual training system of education in Wisconsin schools. He founded the Stout schools of manual training and domestic science here.

THIRTY-TWO ARE ADRIFT AT SEA

Twenty-Four From Sunken Steamer Reach Shore in Small Boats.

Yarmouth, Eng., Dec. 8.—The steamer Blackburn, from Grimsby for Antwerp, was sunk in a collision with the steamer Rook off Sheringham.

The twenty-nine passengers and the Blackburn's crew of twenty-seven took to the three small boats, and one of the boats, containing twenty-four persons, reached here today. The remaining two boatloads have not reached here this afternoon.

EIGHTEEN HURT IN INTERURBAN WRECK.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 8.—A passenger car on the Illinois Interurban Traction line struck the rear car of a freight train at Starnes, just out of Springfield, today. The freight train was standing. Eighteen passengers were injured. James T. Uppergrove of Chisago, who sustained a broken rib, was the most seriously hurt. The other passengers were sightly bruised.

FRED BAARS MISSING ON VERMILION

Friends Fear That He Has Perished in the Woods.

Has Not Been Heard From Since Saturday Morning, Nov. 12.

Started From Moe Bros.' Camp to Catch Train for Ely.

Duluth friends of J. Frederick Baars, Jr., fear that he has perished in the woods on the Vermilion iron range.

Mr. Baars left Duluth for Tower Noc. 3 That evening he started out to reach the drill camp on the Marquette & Vermilion Iron company's property in the southwest quarter of Section 19, 62-14. He failed to find the right trail down to the camp and left the county road a little too far west of where he should, bringing up in a small cedar swamp a short distance west of the camp.

After dark, while preparing supper, Thomas Moe and his drill men heard a number of rifle shots. Going outside, Mr. Moe sought to communicate with the firer of the shots. They heard one another's voices but could not understand distinctly. Mr. Moe thought the shots and shouts came from some poachers out "shining" deer and understood some one to tell him to "shut up." Thereupon he went back to the cabin and closed the door.

Slept in the Open.

The shots and shouts came from Mr. Baars, however. Although but a dozen rods away, he feared he would break

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ALL QUIET IN TORONTO AGAIN

Pay-as-You-Enter Cars Are Run Without Repetition of Riots.

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 8.—Operation of the newly installed pay-as-you-enter cars of the Toronto Street Railway company was continued today without further inconvenience on the part of those who are said to object to the type of cars used.

Eight persons were arraigned today for alleged participation in last night's disturbance, charged with disorderly conduct.

No estimate of the damage done has been made. The riot was remarkable for its spontaneity and for its fierceness while it lasted. It resulted in the injury of eighteen men, the complete wrecking of eleven street cars and the shattering of the windows in over 100 more. For two hours a mob of several thousand persons surged back and forth on the principal business thoroughfares, demolishing every street car that came within reach and completely tying up traffic.

Riot After Mass Meeting.

The disorderly scenes followed a mass meeting held at Massey hall on the call of Mayor Geary and the board of control. The meeting resolved itself into a series of fiery denunciations of the street car company and shortly before 11 o'clock the audience became a mob. The mob showed consideration for the passengers, allowing them in almost every instance to leave a car before attacking it.

MUST REPAY LAKE CHARGE

Commerce Commission Finds That Insurance Did Not Insure.

Declares Advanced Lake and Rail Freight Rates Unreasonable.

Washington, Dec. 8.—Insurance that did not insure was remedied today by the interstate commerce commission in a decision of the case of Wyman Partridge & Co. and other shippers against the Boston & Maine railroad and other carriers of shipments from Eastern points to Chicago, Duluth, St. Paul and other Western destinations.

The case was unique. In 1907 the lake and rail freight rates, first-class, were advanced 3 cents per 100 pounds on shipments from Atlantic seaboard territory to Western points. An effort was made by the shippers to obtain a restoration of the former lower rates. The carriers agreed to furnish marine insurance for the shipments in view of the advance in rates, and the matter was permitted to drift.

Reparation For Shippers.

It finally was disclosed that the insurance furnished did not afford adequate protection to the shippers, and Wyman Partridge & Co. took out their own insurance. By the decision rendered today the commission awards reparation to the complainants "because of unreasonable rate advances to cover marine insurance protection which was never given."

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LEPER TRIES TO GET INTO UNITED STATES.

El Paso, Texas, Dec. 8.—Margurito Barroso, a Mexican, afflicted with leprosy so badly that both feet are almost decayed, was discovered by immigration officers attempting to smuggle herself into the United States. She was detained at the border.

Minneapolis Man Kills Self.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 8.—After several threats to take his own life, covering a period of a year or more, Simon Bueland, 32 years old, Tuesday night kissed his mother goodby, and going to the kitchen of the house, shot himself dead. The family was aroused by the shot, and Coroner Gilbert Seashore was notified. The coroner decided that death was self-inflicted and gave the relatives permission to take charge of the body. Bueland came to Minneapolis about two years ago with his parents.

A. O. U. W. Officers.

The following officers were elected by Fidelity Lodge No. 105, A. O. U.W. for the year 1911· Master Workman, M. Cossie; foreman, Joseph Miller; overseer, Charles Johnson; recorder, A. E. Piering; financier, O. J. Murvold; receiver, E. G. Wohlgren; guide, A. G. Otto; inner watch, Gust Dahlin; outer watch, H. Anderson

The delegates to the grand lodge at St. Paul, Minn., are: A. E. Jackson, A. E. Piering, A. G. Otto, and Charles Johnson.

Youngdahl Declines Position.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Dec. 8.—P. J. Youngdahl, state superintendent of the Anti-saloon league, who was recently elected principal of the Northwestern college in this city, has written that he cannot accept the position at the present time, as he wishes to continue his work with the league. It is possible that he may accept next summer, and the place will be left vacant for him.

Weather: Partly cloudy and not quite so cold tonight and Friday; temperature about zero or slightly below tonight.

THE SALE OF —THE—

BANKRUPT STOCK

of Suits, Overcoats, Hats, Caps, Shoes, and Underwear for Men and Boys

OF S. VAN WAGNER STARTS SATURDAY MORNING AT 9 O'CLOCK AT THE OAK HALL

It will be a corker sure, because no such stock was ever before offered at the Head of the Lakes. Van Wagner only sold the best---Quality was stamped on every article of merchandise in the store. Conditions over which he had no control was the cause of creditors taking possession of the store and the stock was sold to us Monday, Dec. 5, by the trustee, Mr. M. A. McNaughton. Our entire organization has worked like bees since then to arrange the stock for quick selling, and now all is ready for the start on Saturday.

THIS BANKRUPT SALE APPEALS TO EVERY MAN IN DULUTH

as it comes just at a time when everyone is wrestling with the high cost of living and the knowledge that we are in for a long, cold winter in Northern Minnesota.

Bankers Brokers, Doctors, Lawyers, Railroad Men, Streetcar Men, City and County Officials, Printers, Carpenters, Painters, Plasterers, Longshoremen, Bricklayers, Plumbers, Machinists, Boilermakers, Stonemasons, Tug Men, Electricians, and all men who have a desire to save and yet secure the best wearing apparel in all America for themselves and boys will be interested in this sale.

TAKE OUR ADVICE COME EARLY SATURDAY PREPARED TO MAKE YOUR SELECTIONS. BRING YOUR BOYS WITH YOU—MOTHERS COME TOO—WE ANTICIPATE A CROWD BUT WILL HAVE LOTS OF EXTRA HELP TO WAIT ON YOU PROMPTLY.

This Sale Will Settle the Christmas Worries For Many!

Oak Hall Clothing Co.

SUPERIOR STREET AT SECOND AVENUE WEST

NEWS AND VIEWS OF LEGISLATORS AND POLITICIANS

"Jim" Arneson of Chisholm Appointed Secretary to the Lieut. Governor—Dunn Now Declared to Have Cinched Speakership of the House—Sam Gordon Holding Court in St. Paul—Editorial Ire Aroused Over Sam Langum.

"Jim" Arneson Lieut. Gov. Gordon's Secretray.

James S. Arneson, editor of the Chisholm Tribune-Herald, has been appointed secretary to the lieutenant governor, Sam Y. Gordon, who will take office at the first of the year. Mr. Arneson has taken an active part in the politics of the state for years and is one of the familiars of the great and near great. He has been a county auditor, a banker and, mostly, a newspaperman. He has been a resident of St. Louis county for a comparatively brief period, but in the short time he has been here he has made himself a force to be reckoned with, when politics is a'doing.

This position calls for official activity on the part of the appointee only during sessions of the legislature and the duties are not burdensome, but the place is one of honor and carries with it a lot of invisible responsibility, if properly understood.

Mr. Arneson is an old friend of the lieutenant governor-elect, who is himself a newspaperman, and has been close to him politically ever since the bee began to buzz about the massive Gordon head. Indeed, it is said that Mr. Arneson's counsel had a great deal to do with the shaping of Gordon's course when he steered for the nomination.

Arneson's friends in Duluth, where he has many of them, and all through the state will certainly be pleased to learn that he has been given the honor of this appointment, and with a pair like Gordon and Arneson boxing the senate compass legislative progress should be interesting.

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Dunn Declared to Have Won Prize.

It was declared in St. Paul this morning that the election of H. H. Dunn of Albert Lea as speaker of the house is a foregone conclusion. The Fourth district was to caucus today and the expectation was that the delegation would go over to Dunn practically in a body, deserting J. A. A. Burnquist at the critical moment. Political observers said today that they had no doubt Dunn possessed, unqualifiedly, 46 votes, with the chance that he would pick up more. If the Fourth does as it is expected to do, it will be a Dunn landslide.

It develops that Dunn failed to get the undivided support of the First district caucus, held at Rochester, and which gave him six votes and Burnquist three. Two members did not vote. The division was on county option lines, those not voting explaining that because they are new members and not familiar with conditions, they preferred to stay out of the fight at this time. Both Dunn and Burnquist claim these two votes.

Three of the five Republicans in the Second district are county optionists and they probably will declare for Burnquist, the other two going to Dunn.

I. C. Spooner of Morris, whose candidacy split the Burnquist support, is definitely out of the race and is at St. Paul working for Burnquist, as is J. N. Johnson of Canby, who was a candidate early in the game but failed to attract much strength. Dunn's managers claimed yesterday he had fifty votes in his vest pocket, but this was contradicted by the claims of P. J. Youngdahl, who is leading the county optionists' fight for Burnquist. Forty-five votes will control the caucus, and Youngdahl said the county optionists are sure of 51. This is the way he said they are distributed: First, 5; Second, 3; Third, 1; Fourth, 4; Sixth, 5; Seventh, 10; Eighth, 2; Ninth, 11. Hennepin has declared as a unit for Dunn, but Youngdahl has made desperate efforts to break the unit rule, claiming two of that delegation and probably others will be for Burnquist. Today, however, it was declared certain that Hennepin "Dunn stay put."

Dunn is credited with forty-six votes that won't waver or slip, and his own claims to more than enough to nominate are made with an assurance that is disquieting to the optionists, who are not satisfied with the Albert Lea man's pledge to name a committee that will report out a county option bill. They want a man who will mix into the fight on the floor as much as he can from the chair. Today the optionists did not specify where their votes were to come from, but persisted in saying Burnquist was not beaten.

What the Sixth district will do is in doubt. That delegation, if it goes over to Dunn, will destroy some of the strategic advantage possessed by the Eighth district. If the Sixth declares for Burnquist, or splits on the proposition and gives Burnquist a shade the better of the split, the Eighth in all probability would name the speaker, if the Fourth stuck to Burnquist, which is not a probability.

From the point of view of the contestants, the fight has entered upon an exciting stage. Its progress is being watched closely by the members of the Eighth district delegation, who are supposed to lean toward Dunn, on account of his definite and advanced stand in favor of reapportionment.

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Gordon Holding Confabs in St. Paul.

Today and tomorrow Sam Y. Gordon, lieutenant governor elect, will be the center of attraction in the state capital. The Browns Valley man is presiding over an unofficial session of the new senate, a session in which the Democratic members are conspicuous by their absence. And it's a piecemeal session at that, for the senators are urging their individual claims to committee assignments. They have, at his request, set forth their desires by letter, but it remains for Gordon to reconcile clashing ambitions and get his subjects into harmonious relations.

The committee personnel which is awaited with greatest interest by the county optionists is, of the course, the temperance committee, usually best known for its distribution of the materials of intemperance. An effort may be made to have a special committee handle the county-option bill, rather than risk a breaking of tradition in this department of senatorial activity.

There are other committees far more desirable from the senators' point of view, but whatever appointments are made, they will not become known at this time.

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Another "Good Thing" For Langum of Preston

Down in the First district rumor has stirred about that Sam Langum, editor of the Preston Times and postmaster of the national house of representatives, is going to "get something good." As a result howls of wrath are disturbing the air, the purport of such howls being that Sam has had about all he's entitled to, and then some. What he needs now is the hook, in the deliberate opinion of the source of the howls.

The "something good" that Langum sees in prospect is the job of secretary of the state tax commission, "at a good fat salary." Rukard Hurd of St. Paul, is the present secretary, and it seems to be the expectation that he will be displaced. Down in the First district there have been no audible rumblings against the removal of Mr. Hurd, but that he should be displaced by Mr. Langum is not a pleasant thought to many patriotic men there who assisted in the translation of James A. Tawney from congressional to private life.

It is intimated that if Langum is named for the job, a real insurrection against the Ramsey county bunch will be stirred up among the First district editors, it being taken for granted that the St. Paul organization has the say.

The Owatonna Journal-Chronicle describes Langum as the most thoroughly discredited political leader in the state and speaks slightingly of "Sam's time-worn claims for 'recognition.'"

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Commission Form of Government.

Rochester Post and Record: Back of the whole plan of the commission form of government is the basic idea that a municipal government is a business corporation. Tax payers who invest money in municipal government are entitled to returns as surely as stockholders in a railroad or a banking corporation. Tax payers are entitled to have their money well invested; to have public officials who are faithful to their trust and, above all, who are scrupulously careful in the expenditures of the public money.

Good government is an asset to any community.

Bad government will retard a city's growth despite every natural advantage it may possess.

An aroused public sentiment, which will place capable men of proven capacity in municipal office and give them authority to exercise their talents and to shoulder the responsibilities of their positions, will bring about a transformation.

This is the purpose behind the commission form of government. It concentrates authority, and likewise concentrates responsibility.

Back of the three or five commissioners stand the people.

In the hands of able commissioners gratifying success has been encountered in every city that has adopted it.

The wider latitude allowed under a commission form of government to the municipal heads will attract men who have ideas and the ability to put them into effect if given free rein.

In any event, the commission plan has passed far beyond experimental stage. In the hands of good men it approaches as near the ideal as any scheme devised by moderate civics.

MANY AT HEARNG OF THE TAP LINE CASES.

New Orleans, Dec. 8.—Scores of railroad and lumber men from various states in the Southwest were here today to attend a hearing before members of the interstate commerce commission, beginning this morning, of the so-called tap line cases. The question involves a division of rates between trunk railroads and tap lines.

English Rate Unchanged.

London, Dec. 8. — The rate of discount of the Bank of England remained unchanged at 4½ per cent today.

MINNESOTANS WILL FEAST

Annual Dinner of New York Society Will Be Held Jan. 7.

New York, Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—The annual dinner of the Minnesota Society of New York, will take place at the Waldorf-Astoria on Saturday, Jan. 7 at 7 o'clock. Attendance will be open to residents of Minnesota who may be in New York, or former residents of Minnesota who have temporary permanent residences in New York. A request has been made that those who will attend send their names to the treasurer, W. B. Richards.

TEXAS IS THE FIFTH STATE

Has Passed Missouri in Population in the Last Ten Years.

Washington, Dec. 8.—Texas, the largest state in the Union in point of area, made greater progress in its increase in population during the last ten years than any of the states which exceed it in the number of inhabitants, and now takes rank as fifth in population, passing Missouri.

Census statistics show that only New York, Pennsylvania, Illinois and Ohio surpass Texas in population, while Missouri drops back to seventh place, having been passed by Massachusetts during the last ten years.

Texas' population increase would give her four new representatives if the present ratio of apportionment is retained when congress enacts the new apportionment law.

The population of Texas is 3,896,542, according to the thirteenth census. This is an increase of 847,832, or 27.8 per cent, over 3,048,710 in 1900. The increase from 1890 to 1900 was 814,187, or 28.4 per cent.

No city population statistics for Texas were issued.

MADEIRA SUFFERING SCOURGE OF CHOLERA.

Funchal, Madeira, Dec. 8. — From twelve to fifteen new cases of cholera appear here daily. Forty per cent of these are fatal.

Roasts Anti-Canteen Law.

Washington, Dec. 8.—The anti-canteen law is severely criticised in the annual report of Maj. Gen. William P. Duvall, commanding the United States troops in the Philippine Islands, who says that it is responsible for many of the offenses which cause the soldiers trial by courtmartial.

J. M. Gidding & Co.

"Correct Dress for Women"

An Important Coat Event Now Joins the Suit Sale!

Our Entire Stock of Cloth Coats at ¼ and ⅓ Off

Tomorrow morning all coats, without reserve, go on sale! Included are black or colored Broadcloth Coats, Mannish Homespuns, Swagger Polo Blanket Coats, Touring Styles in Zibelines, Fine Camel's Hair, Diagonals and Handsome Imported Novelty Materials--also our richest and most beautiful dressy styles in Chiffon-Broadcloth, Zibeline-Broadcloth and Velvet---as well as all our Evening Wraps---nothing reserved!

Hundreds of coats are involved, in all manner of Military, Plain Tailored and Novelty Styles. We believe this is a more extensive and liberal coat event than pre-Holiday records have shown in many a season. All coats have been divided into two great lots:

Regular $22.50 Coats at	$15.00 or $16.50
Regular $30.00 Coats at	$20.00 or $22.50
Regular $45.00 Coats at	$30.00 or $33.75
Regular $50.00 Coats at	$33.75 or $37.50
Regular $60.00 Coats at	$40.00 or $45.00
Regular $75.00 Coats at	$50.00 or $56.25

All Suits and All Trimmed Millinery on Sale At ⅓ Less Than Regular Prices.

Extraordinary Values in Fur Sets at $25.00, $29.50, $35.00 and $45.00.

Former Prices to $60.00. Many styles to choose from in Jap Mink, Sable Squirrel, Black Fox, and Black Coyote Wolf.

"THE GIDDING CORNER"—FIRST AVENUE WEST AND SUPERIOR STREET.

SANTA CLAUS HEADQUARTERS.

R. R. Forward & Co

Complete Home Furnishers.
SECOND AVENUE EAST AND SUPERIOR STREET, DULUTH.

We Put on Special Sale for Friday, Dec. 9th

Several dozen dolls' beds, complete with fancy mattress, pillows, and canopy; these are brass plated metal beds. Are usually sold from 95c to $1.15; our sale price only

69c

We Are Showing an Immense Line of Electric Lamps

We have several hundred Lamps on hand for Christmas trade. One of the largest manufacturers informed us that we gave him the largest order for Electric Lamps he ever received in Duluth.

We put on sale Friday, several dozen Lamps, like picture, **without fringe,** in Early English and fumed finished oak; these have most beautiful glass tops, in assorted colors. They measure 19 inches high; shades are 12 inches square; usually retailed from $3.00 to $3.75; our Friday special, only—$1.89

The same style of lamp as picture, without fringe, 23 inches high, and shades 14½ inches square, in assorted colors; these lamps sell in a regular way from $3.50 to $4.50; our special sale price, Friday only.................... $2.25

We have a few of these in oil lamps also. No phone orders. One to a customer.

Our store is full to overflowing with hundreds of suitable Christmas gifts. See us before you purchase your presents.
We invite you to open a charge account with us.
YOUR CREDIT IS GOOD.

CREDIT

Now is the Time To Choose Useful Clothing Gifts.

Our Credit plan will supply you with the best kind of Christmas clothing, and you can save money for other things'

Pony Coats—Seal Plush Coats—Caracul Coats—Hats—Shoes—Millinery and Furs

Guaranteed Clothing Outfits for Men and Women

$12 TO $30

ASKIN & MARINE CO.

No. 20 — — 3rd Ave. W.
Open Evenings Mondays and Saturdays.

Simple and Inexpensive Gifts

It would be a mistake to conclude, from the fact that we do carry many costly and very handsome articles, that our stock is confined absolutely to them. We also have on display scores of medium priced things, which you will find, quality considered, are even a little less than that asked in stores which do not handle more costly jewelry.

Selections for Christmas

Can be made most conveniently at the present time, and articles that need engraving or marking should be purchased early. The engravers can devote more time to their work now than when rushed, and there is no chance for disappointment.

TRADE MORNINGS WHEN POSSIBLE.

Henricksen
JEWELRY COMPANY

332 WEST SUPERIOR STREET.
"Under the Chimes."

Read The HeraldWants

GRANDBALL

Given by the Sons of Vasa at Columbia Hall, Twentieth avenue west and Superior street, Thursday evening, Dec. 8. Ladies free.

SMALLPOX ON LONG TRIP

Children With Disease Journey From State of Virginia.

May Have Left a Trail of Germs Along the Route.

Their faces spotted with smallpox eruptions, Edith Gildhaus, 12 years old, and Jessie Gildhaus, 9 years old, arrived in Duluth yesterday afternoon after having traveled all the way from the state of Virginia to meet their father in this city, where is is employed in one of the local hotels.

When they met their father he immediately noticed the eruptions and notified the health department. Dr. Ignatius J. Murphy of the department diagnosed their ailment as smallpox and they were removed to the city detention hospital before evening.

When they left their former home, Dr. Murphy says, he was informed that the children had the marks on their faces, but that the physician called in said they were afflicted with chicken pox. They have been traveling on different trains and it is possible that they have left the germs behind them. If they used sleeping car berths the bedding is also likely to contain the germs of the disease, which may be communicated to others unless thoroughly disinfected. Dr. Murphy stated that the children were not very sick and he expects an early recovery. They were accompanied on their journey by their mother.

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RAILROADS

CROOKSTON MAY SECURE THE SOO

Surveyors' Activity and Options on Right-of-Way Start Rumors.

Crookston, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—A party of Soo surveyors, which started from Plummer last week and surveyed southwest, crossing the Northern Pacific near Perrault station, thence passing through Red Lake Falls, and are now near Gentilly has caused another revival of the talk of Soo connections here. The party will run a line to this city and from here to Fargo and thence west between the Northern Pacific and Great Northern connecting with the Soo at some point in that state or perhaps in South Dakota.

This line has been talked of because of the exceptionally rich territory it would tap the entire distance. A coterie of Crookston business men are deeply interested in getting the Soo here, but in the past the Great Northern contingent here has been successful in smothering any organized effort along that line. There has been some persistent but quiet work done in the past few months, however, and it is claimed that the Soo will make a definite announcement of the plans and exact route of the branch in the next six months.

Duluth Concern Quite Active.

It developed that within the past two months options on a large amount of land has been secured along the proposed route between here and Plummer, but it has been secured by several different concerns and no one appears to know just what influence is behind it. However, this gives color to the surveying now in progress. A representative of a Duluth land company has been very active and secured options on section tracts in several instances and a Minneapolis concern with connections here and at Fargo has secured some heavy options. It is also understood that a 40-acre tract including a considerable portion of Jerome's addition has been promised the Soo at a merely nominal figure for yards if the deal goes through. Further developments are promised within a few days.

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RAILROAD MAN ENDS REMARKABLE CAREER.

One of the most remarkable careers in the history of American railroading was brought to a close yesterday when Don Juan Whittemore retired from office as chief engineer of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway company, a position he had held continuously for forty-seven years, at the age of 80 and after sixty-three years of active railroad service.

In recognition of such unparalleled long and faithful service, Mr. Whittemore was given the honorary title of consulting engineer. He will be succeeded by C. F. Loweth, engineer of bridges and buildings, who has worked under Mr. Whittemore in his last great achievement, the general supervision of the construction of the Chicago, Milwaukee & Puget Sound railway. This task of building a new line for 1,500 miles from the Missouri river to the Pacific coast was undertaken while Mr. Whittemore was 77 years of age.

He has virtually occupied the position of consulting engineer for several years and while residing in Milwaukee has maintained his office in Chicago, making the trip back and forth several times a week.

Service Is International.

Since the age of 17, Mr. Whittemore has been building railroads all over the United States and parts of Canada and Cuba, and his active service has been practically coincident with the history of the St. Paul railway system, as he was assistant chief engineer of the La Crosse & Milwaukee road in 1853, ten years before it was merged with the St. Paul, and he was made chief engineer of the system.

"I've had a lot of pleasure in my work," the veteran engineer said as he left his office. "I've suffered hardships and endured privations, but I'm not going to talk about them now. That is all over. I look back over a long life and smile with content. Now I'm out of it all. For a time, I suppose, I'll be like a severed tail with a dog to wag it, but I've a little studying to do and here's my chance."

Mr. Whittemore's resignation, he said, was actually handed in over two years ago, but only recently President Earling saw fit to accept it, as the knowledge and experience gained in such a long career has proved of gerat value to the road. Mr. Whittemore's first railroad experience came in 1847 in the engineering corps of the Vermont & Canada railroad. He is a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers, and has been awarded the honorary degree of LL. D. by the University of Wisconsin and of civil engineer by the University of Vermont. He is a native of Milton, Vt., where he was born.

MILD LIQUID CURES ECZEMA

Skin Sufferers! Drop Greasy Salves and Nasty Medicines.

That mild, soothing liquid, D. D. D. Prescription, stops the awful itch with the first drops. A prescription of acknowledged value.

Get a trial bottle at 25c. It will take away the itch right away and you will sleep soundly. We assure you personally of the merits of this remedy; for we KNOW. Lyceum Pharmacy, Duluth, Minn.

FURS FURS

What could be a more appropriate Christmas gift for Her than a set of Furs or Fur Coat.

Where would be a better place in which to buy them than

"The Reliable Fur House."

ZENITH FUR CO.,

D. A. CONE. 22 West Superior St.

$2.50 AND $3

SORENSON SHOES

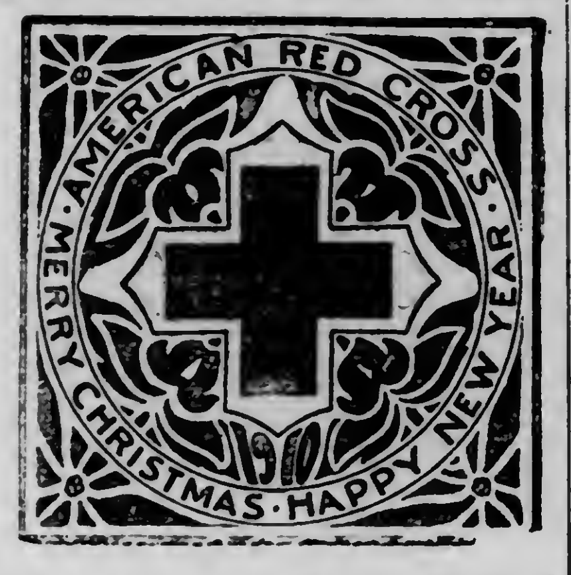
All clean, new Shoes and Slippers made by the best shoemakers in the country. All sizes. You save $1 to $2 on every pair. See our windows.

317 W. Superior St.
Best Quick Repair Shop in the city.

CHILDREN INTERESTED IN SALES OF RED CROSS CHRISTMAS SEALS

In a few things have the children of the public schools been so interested as in the sale of the Red Cross Christmas seals. Prizes for the best essays on "The Uses of the Red Cross Christmas Seal" have been offered by the local committee and a large number of the children are busy finding out the uses, in preparation for the writing of their essays.

A prize of $10 has also been offered the school in which the most seals are sold. If there is anyone in Duluth who misses an opportunity of knowing about and buying their holiday seals it will not be the fault of the children. "We're going to give our $10 to Mrs. Lee to help in her work," said one small girl who was diligently doing her best to sell seals. And that is the very finest spirit that the seal is endeavoring to develop—the feeling that if each one does his share America may in a few years be rid of the plague of tuberculosis.


AMERICAN RED CROSS
MERRY CHRISTMAS · HAPPY NEW YEAR
1910

In the Duluth city schools, 71,000 Red Cross seals have been distributed. At the booth in the corridor of the postoffice, which was in place Monday, there have been sold more than 2,000. The public appreciates the value of each one doing his share and many people mailing a single letter buy the Red Cross seal as conscientiously as they do the regular postage stamp. The demand at the sub postoffice station at Panton & White's has been large and throughout the city the demand shows that the Duluth public realize as never before the value of this endeavor.

The object of the whole plan has been explained as follows:

"Every consumptive uncared for is a public danger. Yet only one-tenth of the cases are in the hospitals and sanatariums of the country. That means that nine-tenths of the victims are fighting the dread enemy in their homes, either intelligently or otherwise. But in both classes there is tremendous need for help.

"The plan of the Christmas seal inaugurated in this country by the Red Cross means a great recruiting for the army already enlisted to battle with the plague. It is good fighting, for it shoots straight at the mark. It means a certain cure for many who would have gone uncured, because the pennies and the dollars spent this season for seals will be transformed speedily into life-saving milk and eggs.

"Above all, the plan is admirable because it is educational—because it will help to teach both old and young that it is the duty of one and all to help lift the burden of tuberculosis which weights upon the whole community.

"Those are the practical material merits of the Red Cross stamps. But there is another side. Those little 'Merry Christmas' squares are gifts that not only will do good, but will do the giver good. Each of us will be enriched by what is given."

WILL USE CRUDE OIL FOR FUEL.

After a thorough investigation by an expert for more than a year the Great Northern railway has decided to utilize oil for fuel on practically all of its locomotives west of Leavenworth, Wash., in the Cascade mountains.

The crude petroleum will be shipped by boats from California to Everett, Wash. It is estimated that the use of oil will result in an economy and it is commended as being practically smokeless, while the absence of cinders makes for greater freedom from forest fires.

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Foley Kidney Pills are tonic in action, quick in results, and restore the natural action of the kidneys and bladder. They correct irregularities. Sold by all druggists.

GET THE BEST

Possible commercial training to warrant the greatest possible success. Do not waste time or money in attending a cheap school. Go to the DULUTH BUSINESS UNIVERSITY and get its thorough training. Do it now. Location, 118-120 Fourth Ave. W., Christie building.

SUPERIOR

EMPLOYMENT AGENT IS PLACED UNDER ARREST.

Charles Frank, an employment agent, was arrested late yesterday on a John Doe warrant sworn out by Max Kramer, who alleges that he paid Frank $1 for a job and that the latter sent him out on a wild goose chase. When he returned to Superior and asked for the return of his money, it was refused, he claims.

Frank was arraigned in municipal court and asked for an examination. This was set for Monday. Assistant District Attorney Robert Kennedy is pushing the prosecution against Frank.

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OLD RESIDENT DIES AFTER BRIEF ILLNESS.

Mrs. William Ellis, 48 years old, died yesterday at the family residence, 1518 Fourteenth street, following a short illness. She had resided in the city for the past twenty years coming to the Head of the Lakes from Wheaton, S. D. She is survived by her husband, two daughters and three sons. She also leaves five sisters and three brothers. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon from the residence to Greenwood cemetery, Rev. L. K. Grimes officiating.

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Farewell to Shong.

A farewell banquet in honor of Prof. A. C. Shong, who has resigned as principal of the Central high school to accept the position of principal at the Milwaukee West Division high school will be tendered by the Schoolmasters' club Monday evening at the Commercial club.

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Officers Elected.

The Douglas County Medical society held its annual meeting and election of officers last evening at the Hotel Superior. Dr. Fred Johnson was elected president. Dr. Johnson is of Iron River, Wis., but formerly lived at Lake Nebagamon Dr. T. J. O'Leary was elected vice president, Dr. R. K. Lohmiller, secretary-treasurer and Dr. C. H. Mason censor.

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Football Team Dance.

Wednesday, Dec. 23, is the date set for the annual dance of the Superior Central high school football team. The arrangements for the affair have been completed and invitations will be issued within a few days. The decorations will be of a holiday character.

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Many Skating Rinks.

At the city's expense, two ice rinks will be maintained in each ward and arrangements are now being made for the flooding of the places selected for this purpose. The ward foremen will have charge of the flooding which will be done by the water company.

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Take Care!

Remember that when your kidneys are affected, your life is in danger. M. Mayer, Rochester, N. Y., says: "My trouble started with a sharp shooting pain over my back which grew worse daily. I felt sluggish and tired, my kidney action was irregular and infrequent. I started using Foley Kidney Pills. Each dose seemed to put new life and strength into me, and now I am completely cured and feel better and stronger than for years" Sold by all druggists.

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CASE SETTLED OUT OF COURT

Personal Injury Action Compromised for Fraction of Sum Asked.

For $250, a personal injury action in which plaintiff wanted $7,500, was settled out of court yesterday by the attorneys engaged in the suit. It was the case of Mary Gustava Moilenen against the Duluth Diamond Drill company.

The complaint stated that at Mountain Iron, Minn., during the month of August, the defendant was doing some blasting. The 10-year-old daughter of Mrs. Moilenen was picking berries in the vicinity and found some dynamite caps. In some unknown way one of them exploded tearing away several fingers.

She brought suit for $7,500 but the case was settled yesterday before it went to trial.

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LOSES CASE; DIES OF HEART DISEASE

Lawyer for Convicted Chicago Bribe-Taker Is Dead.

Chicago, Dec. 8.—Attorney William T. Underwood of counsel for Inspector Edward McCann, the police officer whose sentence of imprisonment for accepting bribes was confirmed yesterday by the Illinois supreme court, died of heart disease today. He was of the law firm of Underwood & Manierre.

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MEETING OF COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD.

Routine business was transacted at a meeting of the county school board held yesterday at the courthouse. County Treasurer Holgate, Chairman McInnis and Superintendent Gilpin, who compose the board, were all present.

Sugar Prices Boosted.

New York, Dec. 8.—All grades of refined sugar were advanced 20 cents per 100 pounds today.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure Send for list of testimonials. Address: F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Early Holiday Shopping Is Becoming the Fashion.

Our Second Floor is full of

Trustworthy Furs

Small Furs, Fur Coats, practical pieces and luxurious novelties.

Every fur is fresh and new, for it is our way to carry nothing over from a previous season, and every fur is sold under its true name.

The qualities of the furs are as rigidly lookt after as their genuineness. No yellowish ermine. No black furs that are poorly dyed.

Among the small furs.

Black Fox Pillow **Muffs,** at **$16.50** and on up to **$50.**

Black Fox large **Shawl Collars,** at **$15, $25, $27.50, $35** and **$45.**

Black Lynx—Genuine Russian Lynx, in large Pillow **Muffs,** at **$85.**

Black Lynx Shawls, extremely large at **$85, $125** and up to **$175.**

Eastern Mink of the very best grade—large Pillow **Muffs,** at **$50, $65, $85, $95** and up to **$175.**

Eastern Mink Neckpieces—Some that are unusual values at **$50.**

Eastern Mink—One-skin affairs, satin-lined, with head and tail trimming, for as little as **$19.50.**

Jap Mink — Zaza, small **Neckpiece,** at the trifling cost of **$8.50.**

Jap Mink large **Shawls,** at **$20, $24.50** and **$29.50.**

Eastern Mink — Large **Shawls,** tail trimmed, at **$45, $77.50, $110, $125, $150, $175** and **$200.**

Jap Mink large Pillow **Muffs,** at **$21.50, $25** and **$35.**

Black Opossum large **Shawls,** at **$12.50.**

Black Opossum large Pillow **Muffs,** at **$12.50** and **$15.**

"Juvenile Furs"

Children's Sets of Thibet, American Ermine, Iceland Fox, Gray Squirrel, Muskrat, Fitch, Krimmer, Summer Ermine, at **$1.50, $3.50, $6.75, $12.50** and **$16.50.**

Fur Coats

Full length **Pony Coats,** with guaranteed Skiner's satin lining, at **$50, $65,** and up to **$175.**

Electric Seal full length Coats, at **$75.**

Monkey Skin Coats, at **$125.**

Near Seal Coats of the very best grade—full length, at **$150.**

Rich **Hudson Seal Coats,** at **$250.**

Sable, Squirrel, Caracul and lots of other automobile and general wear coats of warmth.

You will think as we do when you see these magnificent Furs—there are enough to stock a good sized store.

Every skin is flawless and we are as particular about the shaping of the Coats as the quality of the skins.

See Display in East Windows.

Silberstein & Bondy Company

French & Bassett
DULUTH, MINN.

All Steel

$1.25

Big Bargains in All Steel Full Size, Well Made Carpet Sweepers.

Visit our Carpet Department on the third floor and get one of these bargains—the best Carpet Sweeper value ever offered—full size—made of pressed steel, handsomely enameled with good, heavy, durable brush. This only gives you an idea of a few of the money-saving values to be had here. Sweeper as shown in cut—special bargain at.............................. $1.25

MEN—Get Cured of Blighting Weakness and Poisonous Disease

There are thousands of partially and totally wrecked constitutions among men today form ignorance, neglect and indiscretions in early life. Their weakened vitality, shattered nerves and exhausted energies tell a pitable story. Multitudes have brought upon themselves the horrors of disease and weakness through these causes, which sap the very foundations of manhood, destroying their health and strength, leaving them mental and physical wrecks, clouding the brightest minds and destroying all noble thoughts and aspirations; family circles disrupted and the poisonous fangs reaching out and blighting even succeeding generations.

WE HAVE CURED THOUSANDS of men in Duluth for we have been in practice in this city for over twenty years. Don't make the mistake of going to inexperienced doctors or those which go from one town to another nor to those doctors which treat everything and everybody. They will experiment on you, while we have passed this stage many years ago and either cure a man or we tell him that nothing can be done for him if his case is curable. We have the most modern equipment for curing men's diseases for which we spent more than $5,000. We guarantee to cure you of Stomach Trouble, Catarrh, Lung Trouble, Contagious Blood Poison, Eczema, Pimples, Lost Vitality, Rupture, Piles, Kidney and Bladder Diseases, Unnatural Discharges, Stricture, Skin Diseases and all lingering chronic and contagious men's diseases. We give you a written guarantee of a cure. Consultation free from 9 to 8 p. m. every day. Sundays 10 to 1. Patients out of town may write for symptom blank if they cannot call.

PROGRESSIVE MEDICAL ASSOCIATION,
NO. 1 WEST SUPERIOR STREET, DULUTH, MINN.

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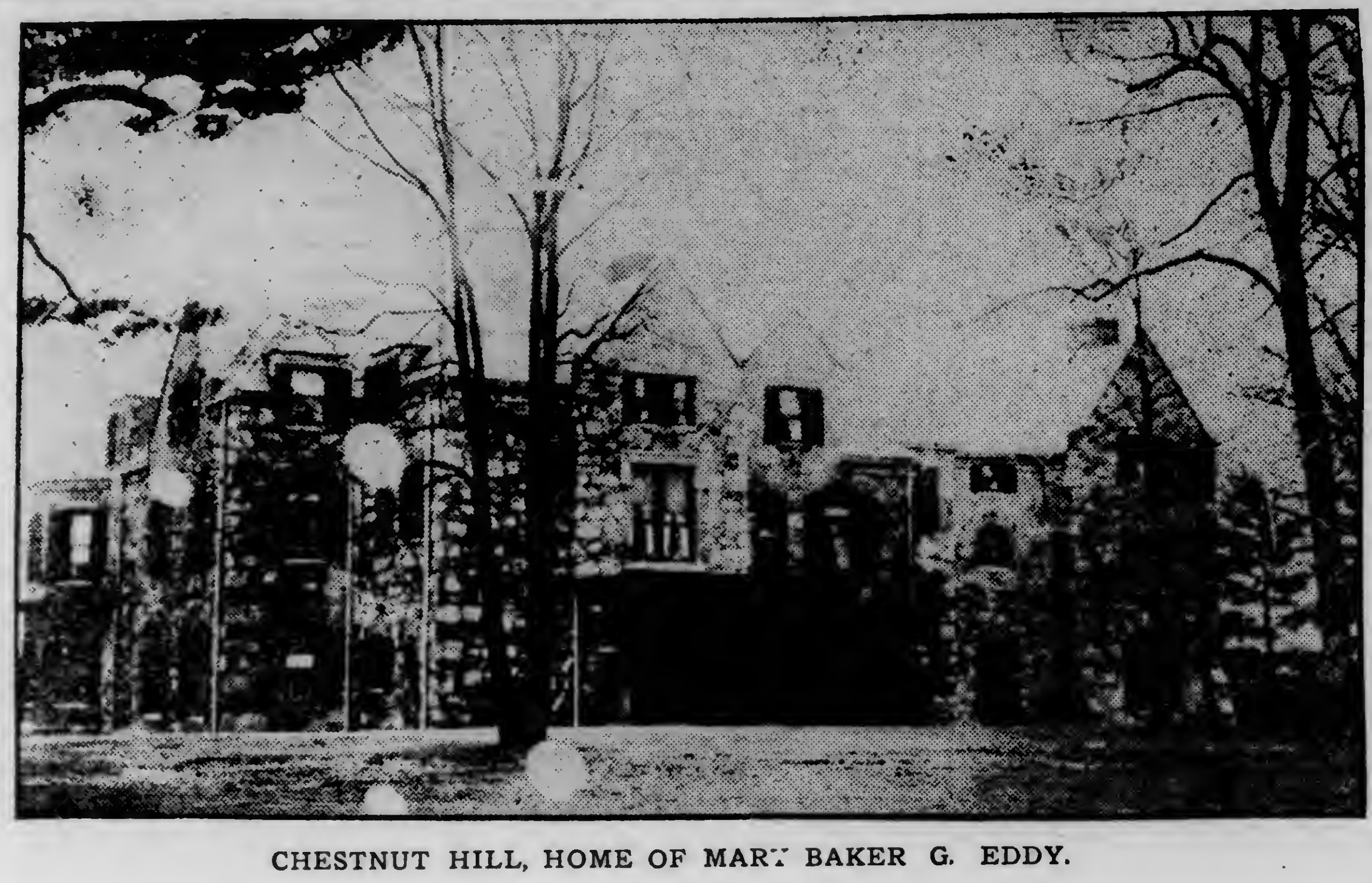
WHERE LAST RITES FOR NOTED WOMAN WERE HELD



CHESTNUT HILL, HOME OF MARY BAKER G. EDDY.

HIGH COST OF LIVING

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other retailers are covering various portions of the same route, and so there is a great waste of effort and of expense in the distribution."

Farmer Gets Only Half.

The farmer receives hardly more than half of the consumer's price in the case of poultry; 69 per cent in the case of eggs; cabbage 48 per cent when bought by the head and 65 per cent when bought by the pound; celery, 60 per cent when bought by the bunch.

The apple grower receives 56 per cent of the consumer's price when the purchase is by the bushel and 66 per cent when by the barrel; the strawberry grower gets 49 per cent of the consumer's price in purchases by the quart and 76 per cent when by the crate. When the consumer buys a peck of onions at a time, the farmer receives 28 per cent of the retail price; when he buys a barrel the farmer receives 58 per cent. So, in the case of oranges, when the purchase is by the dozen the grower receives 20 per cent of the consumer's price, whereas, when the purchase is by the box the grower gets 59 per cent. The rule seems to be, the smaller the retail quantity the smaller the farmer's share of the consumer's price.

Among the many other products represented in the list are oats, with 74 per cent of the consumer's price going to the farmer when bought by the bushel; melons, 50 per cent when bought by the pound; parsnips, 60 per cent when bought by the bunch; potatoes, 59 per cent when bought by the bushel; string beans, 80 per cent when bought by the barrel; sweet potatoes, 61 per cent when bought by the barrel; turnips, 69 per cent in purchases by the bunch; watermelons, 34 per cent when bought singly.

Coffee and Tea.

Four-fifths of the coffee imported into the United States in the fiscal year 1910 came from Brazil; 17 per cent from other countries in South and Central America and from Mexico, so that 97.2 per cent of the imports were from Mexico and Central and South America. About 0.1 of 1 per cent of the coffee imports are from Aden and are the nominal Mocha coffee and 1.3 per cent of the imports are from the East Indies and are the Java coffee.

In 1910 the coffee imported from American countries had an import value of 7.8 cents per pound. The freight from Rio de Janeiro is 0.28 of 1 cent, or about one-fourth of a cent per pound. For nearly all of this American coffee the consumers paid prices ranging from 20 to 35 cents per pound. In other words, the import value, plus the ocean freight charge, is from 23 to 40 per cent of the principal range of prices paid for the coffee at retail.

The case is similar with regard to tea. The imports of 1910 had an import value of 16 cents per pound, and if it may be assumed that most of the tea consumed in this country is bought at retail prices ranging from 50 to 70 cents per pound, the import value of tea is from 23 to 32 per cent of what the consumer pays.

Farmer Not to be Blamed.

After presenting many details with regard to the increase of prices on farm products between farmer and consumer, the secretary of agriculture declares that "the conclusion is inevitable that the consumer has no well-grounded complaint against the farmer for the prices that he pays. The farmer supplies the capital for production and takes the risk of his losses; his crops are at the mercy of drought, and flood, and heat, and frost, to say nothing of noxious insects and blighting diseases. He supplies hard, exacting, unremitting labor. A degree and range of information and intelligence are demanded by agriculture which are hardly equaled in any other occupation. Then there is the risk of overproduction and disastrously low prices. From beginning to end the farmer must steer dextrously to escape perils to his profits, and indeed to his capital, on every hand. At last the products are started on their way to the consumer. The railroad, generally speaking, adds a percentage of increase to the farmer's prices that is not large. After delivery by the railroad the products are stored a short time, are measured into the various retail quantities, more or less small, and the dealers are rid of them as soon as possible. The dealers have risks that are practically small, except credit sales, and such risks as grow out of their trying to do an amount of business which is small as compared with their number."

Why Not Buy Directly?

In continuation of this subject, the secretary of agriculture suggests that the problem of high prices is one for treatment by the consumer. "Why do not consumers buy directly from the farmers?" he asks. "A distribution of farm products in this simple way has already begun in England where co-operative organizations of farmers are selling by direct consignment to co-operative organizations of consumers in cities. Farmers' co-operative selling associations are numerous in this country, but co-operative buying associations among the people of cities and towns are few. Aside from buying associations maintained by farmers, hardly any exist in this country. It is apparent, therefore, that the consumer has much to do to work out his own salvation with regard to the price that he pays. Potatoes were selling last spring in some places where there had been overproduction for 20 cents and in some places for even 9 cents per bushel at the farm, while at the same time city consumers in the East were paying 50 to 75 cents per bushel, although there was nothing to prevent them from combining to buy a carload or more of potatoes directly from the grower and for delivery directly to themselves."

Value and Quantity of Crops.

Nothing short of omniscience can grasp the value of the farm products of this year, is the statement of the secretary of agriculture. At no time in the world's history has a country produced farm products within one year with a value reaching $8,926,000,000, which is the value of the agricultural products of this country for 1910. The value of farm products from 1899 to the present year has been progressive without interruption. If the value of the products of 1899 is placed at 100, the value for this year is 189, or almost double the value for the census year eleven years ago. "During this period of unexampled agricultural production, a period of twelve years, during which the farmers of this country have steadily advanced in prosperity and wealth and in economic independence, in intelligence, and a knowledge of agriculture, the total value of farm products is $79,000,000,000."

Try This Home-Made Cough Remedy

Costs Little, But Does the Work Quickly, or Money Refunded.

Mix one pint of granulated sugar with ½ pint of warm water, and stir for 2 minutes. Put 2½ ounces of Pinex (fifty cents' worth) in a pint bottle; then add the Sugar Syrup. Take a teaspoonful every one, two or three hours.

You will find that this simple remedy takes hold of a cough more quickly than anything else you ever used. Usually ends a deep seated cough inside of 24 hours. Splendid, too, for whooping cough, chest pains, bronchitis and other throat troubles. It stimulates the appetite and is slightly laxative, which helps end a cough.

This recipe makes more and better cough syrup than you could buy ready made for $2.50. It keeps perfectly and tastes pleasantly.

Pinex is the most valuable concentrated compound of Norway white pine extract, and is rich in guaiacol and all the natural pine elements which are so healing to the membranes. Other preparations will not work in this formula.

This plan of making cough syrup with Pinex and Sugar Syrup (or strained honey) has proven so popular throughout the United States and Canada that it is often imitated. But the old, successful formula has never been equaled.

A guaranty of absolute satisfaction, or money promptly refunded, goes with this recipe. Your druggist has Pinex or will get it for you. If not, send to The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

A Simple Safeguard For Mothers.

Mrs. D. Gilkeson, 326 Ingles avenue, Youngstown, Ohio, gained wisdom by experience. "My little girl had a severe cold and coughed almost continuously. My sister recommended Foley's Honey and Tar. The first dose I gave her relieved the inflammation in her throat and after using only one bottle her throat and lungs were entirely free from inflammation. Since then I always keep a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar in the house. Accept no substitutes. Sold by all druggists.

CLASH OVER WATERWAYS

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of a railway with a broad gauge and the branches with a narrow gauge. Pointing out that the expense of such work would be prohibitive, he continued:

"It would seem, therefore, all that reasonably could be asked, so far as our navigable rivers are concerned, is that the government shall dredge them to depths sufficient to accommodate tow boats and barges such as can now be operated on the greater part of the Mississippi river drainage system.

Some Idle Dreams.

"Some of the people of Chicago have visions of ocean vessels loading in their harbor, steaming down through the drainage canal, the Illinois river and the Mississippi river, and thence to Europe; also through the Panama canal to the Orient; or by the Great Lakes and St. Lawrence canals to Europe. Such thoughts are idle dreams, and the trend of economic conditions in ocean transportation makes all such suggestions increasingly impossible.

"Although I have never seen the statement made, I believe it is a fact—and one worth determining by careful test—that it takes less power to move 5,000 tons, or 10,000 tons, of freight loaded on cars, on a railroad, the grades of which do not exceed three-fourths of 1 per cent, than to move the same tonnage on a canal or canalized river. Train resistance on a smooth and level track is less than the resistance of moving a boat through water.

Futility of Plans.

"To dig a waterway fourteen feet deep, would be to provide one that would not be any more useful than the Mississippi river already is for most of its length, and than numerous other streams are. For over 90 per cent of the vessel tonnage on the Great Lakes draws over fourteen feet of water and over 80 per cent of this draws over eighteen feet. It is evident, therefore, that lake vessels could not be used on a fourteen-foot waterway, and of course, ocean steamships could not be used where lake steamships could not go. Even if the Lakes-to-the-Gulf waterway were made sufficiently deep for lake vessels, and it were economical for them to use it, all water transportation on tributary streams would have to be carried in shallower draft vessels, requiring transfer. Would it not be better to serve the entire Mississippi river basin with tow boats and barges which, like the much-abused freight car, could go anywhere within the sphere of navigability, say 5,000 to 8,000 miles?

Is not the real problem to find an economical vehicle of transportation adaptable in a large river system like the Mississippi river and its tributaries; a vehicle which shall do for that river system what the freight car does on our system of railways?

On the Great Lakes.

Of traffic on the Great Lakes he said:

"The most rapid growth in our waterborne commerce during the last twenty years has been on the Great Lakes. This has been largely due to the wise policy of the government in developing harbors and in deepening the Sault Ste. Marie canal. It has also been largely owing to the course of large industrial corporations and of the railways in acquiring control of or putting on the Great Lakes large steamship lines. These things have contributed to its increase for precisely the same reasons that they have helped to stimulate our coastwise traffic."

That Canada owes its existence to its waterways is the belief of Hon. Clifford Sifton, chairman of the Canadian conservation commission, who spoke before the congress today.

Tells of Canada's Work.

"Transportation by water began with the bark canoe of the Indian, followed by the bateau of the voyageurs," said Mr. Sifton. "Today it has reached the stage of the great carriers of the upper lakes."

During the course of his address Mr. Sifton sketched the beginning of the present system of canal and river improvement in existence in Canada, begun in 1700, and indicated the general results that have been attained with special reference to the great waterway which commences at the strait of Belle Isle and terminates at the head of Lake Superior.

Ocean Boats to Duluth.

Mr. Sifton discussed the proposed construction of the Montreal, Ottawa and Georgian Bay canal, which he said when constructed would admit the largest carriers afloat on the upper lakes with full cargoes to tide water, and if found economical and advisable, would admit ocean vessels up to twenty-two feet in draught to go through to Chicago, Duluth and Fort William.

He said it was a matter of great gratification that under a recent treaty provision had been made for an international waterways commission, which shall have jurisdiction to advise on questions regarding waters of an international character, as between Canada and the United States.

FINDS MILK BELOW GRADE

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and that, naturally, from the vat used for the "kickers."

The Scores.

The complete scores, completed yesterday by the inspector, are as follows:

Home restaurant, near First avenue east, 3 per cent.

Boston cafe, near First avenue east, 2.6 per cent.

St. Paul restaurant, Lake avenue and Superior street, 2.8 per cent.

Boston lunch, Second avenue west, 3.6 per cent.

Royal lunch, Second avenue west, 2.6 per cent

Miller's cafe, 2.8 per cent.

Miller's cafeteria, 3 per cent.

Boston lunch, near Third avenue west, 5.6 per cent.

Boston lunch, same as above, 2.2 per cent.

Baltimore lunch, Superior street, between Third and Fourth avenues west, 3.3 per cent.

Delicatessen, Superior street between Lake and First avenues east, 2.8 per cent.

Blackwood's cafe, 27 West Superior street, 3 per cent.

Mrs. Webster's restaurant, 3.3 per cent.

Club restaurant, Superior street near Third avenue west, 3.4 per cent.

Delmonico, 3.8 per cent.

J. N. Hunter, 22 Twentieth avenue west, 3.5 per cent.

W. A. & H. L. Sessions, 2003 West Superior street, 4.9 per cent.

Erickson's restaurant, 327 Central avenue, 3.9 per cent.

Warner's restaurant, West Duluth, 4.5 per cent.

Royal lunch, 511 West Superior street, 1.8 per cent.

Oregon lunch, 515 West Superior street, 3 per cent.

Omaha restaurant, 523 West Superior street, 3.8 per cent.

Omaha, same as above, 2.4 per cent.

Ohio cafe, 617 West Superior street, 5 per cent.

City restaurant, 3.5 per cent.

UNIONISTS LACK SCORE

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Caton, Unionist, majority 148. No change.

Berkshire (Abingdon)—Maj. H. G. Henderson, Unionist, majority 1,349. No change.

Westmoreland (Kendal)—Lieut. Col. J. F. Bagot, Unionist, majority 308. No change.

Sussex (East Grinstead)—H. S. Cautley, Unionist, majority 2,395. No change.

Lancashire (Chorley)—Lord Balcarres, Unionist, majority 2,536. No change.

Kent (Tonbridge)—Capt. H. Spender Clay, Unionist, majority 2,127. No change.

Dorset (North)—Sir Randolf Baker, Unionist, majority 32. No change.

Staffordshire (West)—G. A. Lloyd, Unionist, majority 279. No change.

Hertfordshire (Walford)—Arnold S. Ward, Unionist, majority 883. No change.

Wiltshire (Chippenham)—G. Terrell, Unionist, majority 26. No change.

Lincolnshire (Gainsborough)—J. G. Bellham, Liberal, majority 80. No change.

Lincolnshire (Horncastle)—Lord Willoughby de Eresby, Unionist, majority 524. No change.

Essex (Epping)—Col. M. Lockwood, Unionist, majority 2,629. No change.

Somersetshire (Frome)—Sir J. E. Barlow, Liberal, majority 578. No change.

Gains for Unionists.

Cumberland (Eskdale), Claude Lowther, Unionist, majority, 370; Unionist gain. Liberal majority last election, 34.

Northamptonshire (Mid.), H. Mansfield, Liberal, majority, 250. No change.

Warwickshire, (Stratford-on-Avon) P. S. Foster, Unionist, majority, 1,685. No change.

Surrey (Guildford), W. E. Horne, Unionist, majority, 3,631. No change.

Dublin (Harbour division), Abrham, Nationalist, majority, 2,613. No change.

Devon (Tiverton), Hon. W. L. C. Walrond, Unionist, majority, 1,578. No change.

Liberals Come Back.

Radnorshire, Sir F. Edwards, Liberal, majority, 42. Liberal gain. This was a Unionist gain at last election, the majority being 14.

Norfolk (North), Noel Buxton, Liberal, majority, 696. No change.

Shershire (Norwich), J. Brunner, Liberal, majority, 231. No change.

The following unopposed returns were announced today:

Liberals—Sir J. Herbert Roberts, for West Derbyshire, and John Wilson for Mid-Durham.

Unionists: A. O'Neill, for Mid-Antrim, Viscount Dalrymple for Wigtownshire and B. M. Eyres-Monsell for Worcestershire (Evesham).

Labor: J. W. Taylor, for Chester-le-Street division of Durham and T. Richards, for West Monmouth.

Nationalists: J. O'Kelly for North Roscommon, R. Hazleton for North Galway, W. O'Malley for West Galway and W. J. Duffy for South Galway.

O'Brien—Nationalist: Moretown Frewen for Northeast Cork.

The majorities in the counties generally were smaller in the cases of both the Liberals and the Unionists, but this is accounted for by the reduced total vote cast.

Have American Wives.

Interesting personalities among those whose election was announced today are Moreton Frewer, who comes to the house of commons from Cork county to support William O'Brien, the Independent Nationalist leader; H. Spender Clay for the Tonbridge division, Kent, and Lord Willoughby de Eresby for the Horncastle division of Lincolnshire. All three married American women.

CHILDREN'S FACES AWFUL WITH RASH

Ran Over Bodies, Too. Dry and Very Crusty—Used Cuticura and Did No More Scratching. Eczema Disappeared in 6 Weeks.

Now More Than Two Years Ago and No Sign of Trouble Has Returned.

"My two children suffered from an affection of the face and hands. It started first with little red spots which afterwards got bigger until they were the size of five cent pieces. The outside became dry and very crusty. The rash on their faces was awful and afterwards it ran over the body, too.

"I had a doctor for them but he could not help. Then I read of the Cuticura Remedies. As I am a chemist, having served my apprenticeship in Germany, I did not have much confidence in them. Yet I was soon taught something better, for after I used Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Resolvent the first time the children felt very well and did no more scratching. Then the eczema became dry and entirely disappeared after about six weeks' treatment. This is now more than two years ago and no sign of the trouble has returned, therefore I can recommend the Cuticura Remedies without reserve to all people who are suffering with eczema. William Grelek, 74 Douglas St., Brooklyn, N. Y., Mar. 10, 1910."

Cuticura Soap (25c.), Cuticura Ointment (50c.) and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.) or Cuticura Pills (25c.) are sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass. Mailed free, 32-page book on Skin Humors.

HOLD RITES FOR LEADER

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Gen. Frank S. Streeter of Concord, N. H.

There was no service at the receiving vault other than the reading of the Twenty-third Psalm and the last verse in Jude by Judge Smith.

The casket was then taken within by the pallbearers, the vault was sealed and there a guard will be maintained until a mausoleum has been built on the plot chosen for the final resting place of the body.

Estate of $2,000,000.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 8.—That Mrs. Mary Baker Glover Eddy, head of the Christian Science church, left none of her estate, estimated at nearly $2,000,000, to relatives is gathered from a remark made by Judge Clifford P. Smith, first reader of the Mother church, who said:

"Mrs. Eddy's will is not to be read at once, as it contains absolutely nothing which would be of interest to any of the members of her family."

He made no statement as to that portion of the estate which may go to the church.

Oppose Place of Burial.

George W. Glover of Lead, S. D., did not approve of the plan to bury his mother in Mount Auburn cemetery. He said:

"My first thought upon learning of her death was that the most appropriate place for her last rest would be among her kindred at Tilton, N. H. If she is not to be buried there, I should favor next in order Concord, N. H., where she spent so many years of her life and where her legal residence was, despite the fact that for nearly three years she had made her domicile at Chestnut Hill."

Dr. E. J. Foster-Eddy, Mrs. Eddy's adopted son, it is understood, is in accord with him in opposition to placing Mrs. Eddy's body permanently in Mount Auburn cemetery.

FRED BAARS MISSING ON VERMILION

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a leg in some hole and therefore refrained from going further in the dark in search of the cabin. He had a light pack with several suits of clothing, night shirt, small ax, rifle, big knife but no blankets. When he failed to find the camp, he pulled on several suits of clothing, pillowed his head on the pack sack and went to sleep. When he awoke in the morning, he was covered with the snow that fell in the night.

Mr. Baars spent all that day in camp resting up. During the day, he wrote a communication to The Herald, advocating a system of wardens with police powers to patrol timber lands and game preserves of Northern Minnesota. He slept in Moe Bros.' camp that night and on the morning of Saturday, Nov. 5, started across country to examine iron properties on the northerly side of 62-14.

Found in a Swamp.

On Friday, Nov. 11, Mr. Baars showed up again at Moe Bros.' camp on Section 19, 62—14. He was accompanied by a couple of trappers, who have a camp in Section 6, 62—14. They reported that they had found Mr. Baars in a swamp about a mile west of T. J. Walsh's camp in Section 5, 62—14 and that they bargained to take him back to Moe Bros.' camp for $10.

Having but $2 in cash, Mr. Baars asked Martin Moe to cash a certificate of deposit on a Duluth bank for $25, paying the trappers $10 and taking Mr. Moe's check for $15. It was noted that he had at least one other certificate of deposit on the same bank for $25, therefore, was in ample funds for his trip.

Staying in camp the night of Friday, Nov. 11, Mr. Baars picked up his pack, to which he had added about fifty pounds of ore samples and on Saturday forenoon, Nov. 12, said that he was going to walk over to Murray station, something over a mile southward, to catch the forenoon train to Ely. He had his clothing, rifle, knife and ore samples, but no food whatever, and had lost a small ax and broken one lens of his eye glasses. He was, therefore, in very poor condition to recover a lost trail or to stand exposure in the woods.

Not Seen Since.

So far as Duluth friends can learn, Mr. Baars has not been seen since he left Moe Bros.' camp. No one has been found yet who can prove that he ever reached Ely. Several camp bosses from different parts of the range have been interviewed, and none of them have seen him at their camps. No letters have been received from the missing man, and that is very significant for he was a ready and prolific letter writer. It is known that he intended to inspect the entire Vermilion range from Tower to Ely and beyond. But, if he is not quartered in some remote camp, the probabilities are that the man is lying dead and frozen, away from any beaten or travelled trail.

POSITIVELY NO PHONE ORDERS ON THESE FRIDAY SPECIALS.

Freimuth's

Silk Headquarters at the Head of the Lakes.
LAKE AVENUE, MICHIGAN AND SUPERIOR STREETS.

BE EARLY IF YOU WISH TO SHARE IN THESE BARGAINS.

Friday Bargain News

From Our Great Basement

There's never a Friday coming around that does not bring better than the good every day values. This week these:

Fine China and Dinnerware

Gift seekers will find many of their most troublesome problems settled in this bargain list from the savings offered Friday in Fine China and Dinnerware, that will go far toward purchasing other remembrances.

Complete assortment of French Dinnerware, English Dinnerware, Austrian Dinnerware and American Dinnerware, all open stock patterns, ranging in price from $7.98 up to $135.00 per set.

See Our Hand-Painted China

Japanese China of All Kinds

100-Piece Dinner Service

Austrian China—Gold band pattern; regular price $27.50, special for Friday, set.. $17.98

154-Piece Dinner Set

Haviland China—New holly pattern; regular $125.00 value, special......... $69.50

Cut Glass Special

Cut Glass Vases—Regular price $2.48, Friday. $1.59

Cut Glass Bowls—New floral cut; our regular $5.00 leader, Friday at.......... $3.69

Full Footed Cut Glass Comports — Our regular $3.98 leader, Friday at...... $2.48

Salad Bowls

Reg. $1 Value at 69c

One hundred fine China Salad Bowls—Large rose decoration; a good $1.00 value, special Friday at each 69c.

50c Cake Plates Special 25c

200 China Cake Plats—Nicely decorated; reg lar 50c value, Friday each.............. 25c

Oat Meal Sets — Consisiting of plate, bowl and creamer; regular 98c value, Friday.. 48c

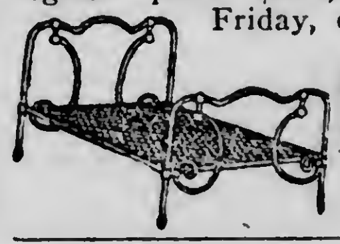
Friday's Stirring Economies From Our

Great Toy Department!

The following list gives some idea of the wonderfully good values arranged for Friday. Glance at the regular prices and figure out the savings:

Brass Doll Bed

Like Cut—Complete with springs; regular price $2.50, special for Friday, each



$1.75

Baby Bumps

Special Friday

50c

200 Baby Bump Dolls — Look just like the baby; 200 on sale Friday at, each 50c.

Toy Tea Sets

$1.25 Values for...... 95c

China Tea Sets—Flow blue decoration; $1.25 sort, special Friday at 95c.

Metal Drums 10c

100 Metal Drums—Nicely painted; regular price 15c, Friday at

10c

English Doll Cabs

Regular $5.00 Value at..... $3.98

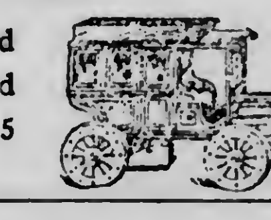
25 English Doll Cabs — 24-inch body; nicely enameled, green or brown; rubber tire wheels; $5.00 value, at

$3.98

Full Line of Trains

Full line of Ives' American Mechanical Trains—The kind that don't get out of order.

Both Floor and Mechanical priced from 50c up to $15



Rolly Pollys

Large line of Rolly Pollys of all sorts and prices — 10c, 25c, 50c and up to $1.25.

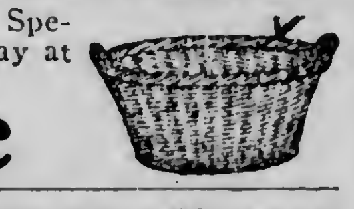
Baby Cutters—Like Cut

Regular price $5.00—
Special Friday at
$3.95

Toy Clothes Baskets

Like cut — Special for Friday at only

25c



Swinging Hobby Horses

Like cut—Dapple gray; our regular $4.75 leader, special for Friday at each

$3.75

Clark's Hill Climbers

Autos, Engines, Street Cars, Fire Engines, etc.; priced at 59c up to $1.25.

Boys' Tool Chests

Regular $3.50 value, Friday at

$2.48

The Important Problem

confronting anyone in need of a laxative is not a question of a single action only, but of permanently beneficial effects, which will follow proper efforts to live in a healthful way, with the assistance of Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna, whenever it is required, as it cleanses the system gently yet promptly, without irritation and will therefore always have the preference of all who wish the best of family laxatives.

The combination has the approval of physicians because it is known to be truly beneficial, and because it has given satisfaction to the millions of well-informed families who have used it for many years past.

To get its beneficial effects, always buy the genuine manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

BOY SENDS FAKE "S O S" SIGNAL

Wireless Company Looking for Meddlesome Amateur Operator in Duluth.

The United Wireless Telegraph company is on the trail of an amateur operator with a perverted sense of humor. All last night, the local station of the wireless company was able to pick up the call " S O S," the distress call, and it was signed with the call of the Booth steamer Easton. The steamer Easton is in port, but any vessel not familiar with the fact, picking up the signal, might spread a report that would cause some anxiety.

The wireless company encourages the use of receiving instruments by amateurs, and harmless sending is objected to only because it hampers the use of the commercial instruments. Fake messages of distress are serious, however, and if the amateur responsible for the signal sent last night is apprehended he will be prosecuted.

The bankrupt stock of clothing of S. Van Wagner will go on sale at the Oak Hall, Saturday morning. Suits and overcoats, hats, caps and neckwear for men and boys, all to be sold very cheap.

WILSON DENIES THAT HE GAVE ANY BRIBES.

Washington, Dec. 8. — Robert L. Wilson, state representative of Illinois, denied specifically yesterday that he had given money or anything of value to any member of the general assembly of that state, either to influence or to pay for a vote for William Lorimer for United States senator. Under cross-examination by A. S. Austrian, attorney for the Chicago Tribune, Wilson said he could not remember what had been said in the bath room at the St. Louis hotel.

SUNNY MONDAY

Sunny Monday soap is just as pure as it looks. It is white, made from the purest materials and contains no rosin—starts dirt like magic—washes woolens without shrinking—does not fade colors—works in any kind of water—and contains a marvelous **dirt-starter** which saves time and rubbing. Sunny Monday will double the life of your clothes and save you half the labor of wash day.

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COMFORTING WORDS.

Many a Duluth Household Will Find Them So.

To have the pains and aches of a bad back removed; to be entirely free from annoying, dangerous urinary disorders is enough to make any kidney sufferer grateful. To tell how this great change can be brought about will prove comforting words to hundreds of Duluth readers.

J. P. Schneider, 210 W. Fourteenth St., Duluth, Minn., says: "The public statement I have given in praise of Doan's Kidney Pills still holds good. In 1898 I said that for a considerable length of time, I had suffered from pains in my back. My condition finally grew so bad that I could not stoop or lift without beeing tortured. It seemed as if a sharp knife were piercing me. I could not lie in one position long without becoming stiff and sore. The kidney secretions passed irregularly and contained sediment. I found no relief until I began using Doan's Kidney Pills. They drove away my trouble and during the twelve years that have since passed, I have never had any serious recurrence."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

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FOR CHRISTMAS!

THE tendency to present PRACTICAL gifts becomes more pronounced each year, and there can be no doubt concerning the appreciation of such gifts.

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TAKES ONLY 3 DAYS

No Hypodermic Injections—No Injurious Drugs—No Publicity—No Absence From Business.

It is idle to talk of the curse of the Drink Habit. It undermines the vital forces of the system. It unfits a man for business. It makes the home of the victim unhappy. It is the broad road to poverty, disgrace and crime. The drinking man is a marked man. No one wants to employ him. He is blacklisted at railroad and business offices. In the industrial and commercial world he is an Ishmael with every man's hand against him. For such a man the Neal Institute is a home of refuge. By a simple treatment requiring only three days' time, the slave of drink is made its master. Instead of a craving for liquor which will not be denied, the Neal Treatment creates a distaste for and an aversion to liquor. The effectiveness of the Neal Cure has been demonstrated. The Cure is permanent. It has no injurious after effects. It can be administered at home. Considering the benefits at once conferred the expense is trivial.

Call, write, phone, or wire for free booklet giving full information, also for a copy of our contract and guarantee bond. Everything confidential; bank reference cheerfully furnished. Address Neal Institute, corner Belknap and West Seventh street, Superior, Wis. Phones: Broad, 37; People's, 4117.

St. Paul, Minn., Institute, 676 Dayton avenue, corner St. Albans. Phones: Dale, 4130; T. C., 4313.

Minneapolis, Minn., Institute, corner Fourth avenue south and Seventh street. Phone: Main, 4357.

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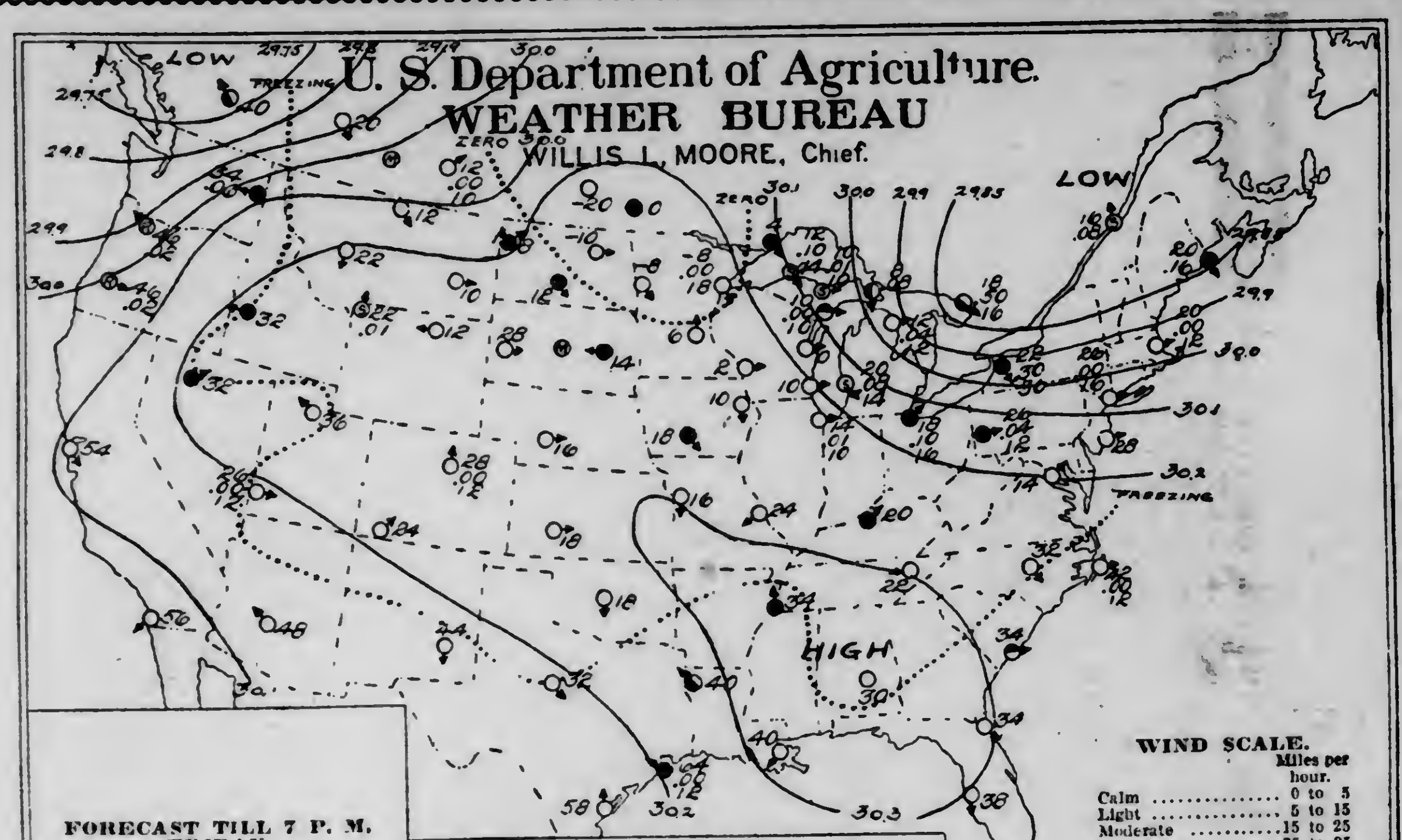
Cures Chronic Ulcers, Bone Ulcers, Varicose Ulcers, Scrofulous Ulcers, Mercurial Ulcers, Fever Sores, Gangrene, Blood Poisoning, White Swelling, Milk Leg, Poisoned Wounds. All sores of long standing. Positively never fails. Draws out all poison. Saves expense and suffering. Cures permanent. For sale by druggists. Mail 25c, 50c and $1.00 J. P. ALLEN MEDICINE CO., ST. PAUL, MINN

MEN who want to enjoy life should buy a box of NERVE BEANS. They relieve nervous decline and weaknesses; restore strength and build up the system; most wonderful vitalizing remedy for young and old. Try a box and note the effect. $1 at Boyce Drug Co., 335 Superior St., Duluth, Minn.

OFFICIAL MAP OF THE WEATHER



FORECAST TILL 7 P. M. FRIDAY.

For Duluth, Superior and vicinity, including the Mesaba and Vermilion iron ranges—Partly cloudy and not quite so cold tonight and Friday; temperature about zero or slightly below tonight; moderate winds, mostly westerly.

EXPLANATORY NOTES

Observations taken at 8 a. m., seventy-fifth meridian time. Air pressure reduced to sea level.

ISOBARS, or continuous lines, pass through points of equal air pressure. ISOTHERMS, or dotted lines, pass through points of equal temperature; they will be drawn only for zero, freezing, 90°, and 100°.

SYMBOLS indicate state of weather: ○ clear, ◓ partly cloudy, ● cloudy, Ⓡ rain, Ⓢ snow, Ⓜ report missing. Arrows fly with the wind. First figure, temperature; second, 24-hour rainfall, if it equals .01 inch; third, wind velocity of 10 miles per hour or more.

WIND SCALE.

	Miles per hour.
Calm	0 to 5
Light	5 to 15
Moderate	15 to 25
Brisk	25 to 35
High	35 to 50
Gale	50 to 65
Hurricane	65 and above

H. W. RICHARDSON,
Local Forecaster.

CONTINUED COLD

It took real courage to be a fresh air fiend last night and some awoke about one hour before the cold gray dawn this morning with air that registered 10 deg. below zero being wafted through the open window by a breeze traveling at about twenty miles an hour, the sheets feeling like a couple of ice packs and the floor a glacier to the touch, regretted their adherence to the teachings of the fresh air cult. Winter will not release his clammy grip to any appreciable extent for the next thirty-six hours at least, the weather man says, and Duluth is in for a few more below-zero shivers tonight.

Cloudy and rather mild weather was Duluth's portion a year ago today.

The sun rose this morning at 7:41 and it will set at 4:19, giving eight hours and thirty-eight minutes of sunlight.

Mr. Richardson makes the following comment on weather conditions:

"Temperatures varying from zero to 20 deg. below prevailed this morning in Northern Minnesota, Eastern North Dakota, Saskatchewan, Manitoba and Western Ontario, while freezing weather prevailed southward to and including the thirty-fifth parallel, except to the westward of the Rocky mountains. Barometric depressions central over the St. Lawrence valley and British Columbia, respectively, caused snow over the lake region and St. Lawrence valley and rain in Oregon and Washington during the last twenty-four hours. Temperatures are moderating over the Dakotas, Montana, Saskatchewan and Alberta. The barometer is highest over lower Mississippi valley and east Gulf states. An increase in pressures has been attended by colder weather over the upper Mississippi and lower Ohio valleys and western lake region. Indications favor generally fair and moderately cold weather at the Head of the Lakes tonight, followed by moderating temperature Friday."

General Forecasts.

Chicago, Dec. 8.—Forecasts for twenty-four hours ending at 7 p. m. Friday:

Upper Michigan—Fair except snow flurries in north central portion tonight or Friday; continued cold tonight; slowly rising temperature Friday.

Montana—Fair weather, except rain or snow in extreme west portion tonight or Friday; warmer tonight.

Iowa, Minnesota, North and South Dakota and Wisconsin—Fair tonight and probably Friday; slowly rising temperature.

Shippers forecast—Zero temperatures tonight in St. Louis and Douglas counties; thirty-six hour shipments to other sections in Wisconsin and Minnesota and Eastern North Dakota should be protected against temperatures varying from slightly below zero to about 10 deg. above.

The Temperatures.

Following were the highest temperatures for twenty-four hours and the lowest for twelve, ending at 7 a. m. today:

	High.	Low.		High.	Low.
Abilene	64	32	Miles City	20	10
Alpena	26	12	Milwaukee	24	10
Atlantic City	38	26	Minnedosa	—2	—20
Battleford	—2	—12	Modena	58	24
Bismarck	16	2	Montgomery	44	30
Boise	46	30	Montreal	12	8
Boston	32	18	Moorhead	6	—8
Buffalo	28	22	New Orleans	48	40
Calgary	40	16	New York	30	22
Charleston	46	34	North Platte	28	12
Chicago	24	14	Oklahoma	54	18
Corpus Christi	62	58	Parry Sound	20	16
Denver	52	26	Phoenix	72	44
Des Moines	28	10	Pittsburg	24	22
Devils Lake	0	—12	Port Arthur	10	0
Dodge	36	14	Portland, Or	54	40
Dubuque	22	10	Prince Albert	6	—10
DULUTH	8	—10	Qu'Appelle	8	—12
Durango	50	24	Raleigh	44	30
Eastport	22	18	Rapid City	38	20
Edmonton	18	—10	Roseburg	58	44
Escanaba	24	10	Roswell	70	34
Galveston	64	58	St. Louis	38	24
Grand Haven	28	18	St. Paul	16	6
Green Bay	20	0	Salt Lake City	50	34
Hatteras	48	34	San Diego	68	54
Havre	16	10	San Francisco	60	52
Helena	38	22	Sault Ste. Marie	26	8
Houghton		12	Sheridan	32	12
Huron	16	12	Shreveport	52	38
Jacksonville	48	34	Spokane	40	32
Kamloops	48	34	Swift Current	12	4
Kansas City	32	16	Tampa	52	34
Knoxville	32	22	Toledo	28	18
La Crosse		2	Washington	36	14
Louisville	32	20	Williston	8	—4
Madison	22	6	Winnemucca	48	32
Marquette	20	10	Winnipeg	0	—6
Memphis	44	34	Yellowstone	34	14

NOT PERFECTION BUT ONLY A STEP IN RIGHT DIRECTION

Mayor Evans of Riverside Discusses Commission Plan Impartially.

Says Every City Has Its Own Problem to Work Out.

Riverside, one of the pleasant cities of California, is under a commission government which is described as a modification of all the other commission forms, adapted primarily to fit local conditions. Success has been achieved in the municipal government of Riverside since the adoption of the new system.

The impelling force that led to the trying out of the commission form was the fact that California cities of the sixth class lacked sufficient power and the right kind of power to insure the best results. It was desired to make a few men responsible for the administration of the city's affairs, with the machinery provided for getting rid of them if they failed.

In Riverside it is considered that the elimination of party nominations has been one of the most important reforms accomplished under the commission form, and there have been many others, so that there is no public sentiment in favor of a return to the old system.

What Mayor Thinks.

Mayor S. C. Evans of Riverside, in a very frank and interesting communication to The Herald, says:

"Replying to your favor, will say that I herewith enclose copy of a letter that I have written to several cities concerning the commission form of government. I can only add that I am not yet satisfied in my own mind that the commission form of government is the best form, or better than a number of other forms—I still believe that the form of government for a city depends very largely upon local conditions, and that the same form will not be of equal success in all cities, and some forms will sometimes be a failure in any city.

"In regard to the recall, will say that Riverside has the initiative, referendum and recall. At the time our charter was adopted in 1907 it would probably have been impossible to have carried the vote without these provisions. At that time I advocated all three of these provisions, not that I did not see some danger in them, provided they were taken advantage of, but I believed, and still believe, that that form of government is best that comes nearest interesting the whole people all of the time. I thought that if these provisions proved that they could be manipulated wrongly, they would be changed as time progressed.

The Recall.

"Our charter provides that a recall petition must have at least 25 per cent of the entire vote for all candidates for the office, the incumbent of which is sought to be removed, cast at the last preceding general election; provided that the petition is to contain a general statement of the grounds for which the removal is sought. I still believe that the theory of the recall is correct, but I am not so sure but that it should be more guarded, and only be resorted to for very grave reasons, and so adjusted that it cannot be taken advantage of for trivial reasons such as it has been taken advantage of in some places.

"There is the danger that some man would not want to assume office, if there was a liability of their being recalled, because their ideas, for instance, did not suit certain classes of people. I believe that a man who gains the confidence of the public enough to be elected, should not be subject to recall for acts of judgment that are not plainly wrong and that are just as liable to be as correct as the judgment of other men in the community. I do not pretend to say how the public opinion is now, in comparison with 1907, only I have heard a few men say that they are not now in favor of the recall unless it were better guarded. I will add that the recall was certainly good in the case of Los Angeles.

"The initiative by our charter requires 10 per cent of the entire vote cast for all candidates for mayor at the last preceeding general municipal election, or submit same at the next general municipal election. But, if such petition is signed by 15 per cent of said voters and contains such request, then such ordinance must be submitted to a special election unless the council will pass it without alteration. I rather feel that this is a wise provision, but it has never been tried with us and I cannot speak from experience.

The Referendum.

"The referendum with us must have 10 per cent of the entire vote cast for all candidates for mayor at the last preceeding general municipal election at which the mayor was elected. This is mainly to prevent ordinances going into effect within thirty days of their adoption and they must be voted on if such petition is provided, unless the council repeals the ordinance. This seems to be all right, but has been made somewhat ridiculous in Los Angeles. I think some wise qualifying provision can be found, but in a general way, the proposition is all right.

"You do not need to consider any of this letter confidential and you can use it as you see fit. There is a wide difference of opinion as to the percentage that should be required for these different provisions. Many are arguing that our percentages are too low, and if we were to have much contention as in Los Angeles, I rather think that they are too low, but, at the same time, there is danger of getting them too high for the reason that quite a few people hesitate or refuse to sign such a petition on account of their position, or their fear of losing either position or trade, although they are in sympathy with the movement."

Charter Is Described.

The letter to which Mayor Evans refers is in part as follows:

"Our city charter is classed as a commission charter and yet it is quite different from others. The benefits claimed by the commission form of government as I understand it are about as follows:

"First. That any citizen has the opportunity to be a candidate for any office and does not have to depend upon the caucus or nomination of any political party—in this connection is a variation, in that in some places they have practically two elections, one called the primary and the other the general or real election—whereas in other places, as in our city, all nominations are made by petition only, and names must appear on the ballot without party designation and in alphabetical order, but we have no primary or preliminary election, the necessity of which is not apparent to me in a city administration the size of ours.

"Second. Alphabetical order on the ballot so that politicians cannot advance their candidate to the head of the ballot for political reasons.

"Third. It is generally given as a benefit of this form of government that ward lines are eliminated, but you will find that some of the cities classed as commision cities have ward representatives and do not elect councilmen at large. Theoretically, the election at large is probably the best plan, but practically, it is often impossible to adopt a good charter on either the commission or any other plan without the election of councilmen by wards.—There are arguments for and against and the question is not yet settled.—Local conditions largely affect this question and it is not a foregone conclusion that you have bad government wherever you have bad government.

"Fourth. Concentration of authority and responsibility. This sounds very well, but you don't know what it means until you have a particular charter before you, for discussion, and it is evident how the different departments of the city are related to each other. The commission men say that authority is lodged in the mayor and four, five or six councilmen, each having one particular department to look after. Under our charter almost all the authority and responsibility is lodged in the mayor and he has the appointive power without confirmation by the council—in some places this would not be well. Personally, I would prefer it than to divide the responsibility among the mayor and five or six councilmen, as I do not see that there is any particular concentration of power when it is divided among five or six, where you probably have at least the majority and minority of opinion of many questions and the majority can easily form a combination and make the minority ineffective or compel them to vote for certain measures in order to have any power at all.

"Fifth. The initiative, referendum and recall.

"Many people object to these provisions and call them un-American, etc. The Los Angeles Times is a very good example of a paper that continually knocks these provisions and they sound their version of the matter in very strong language.

Get Down to Facts.

"Personally, I believe these provisions to be good, provided they are correctly apportioned as a part of the charter, but to say that they are good in the abstract without any reference as to how they are considered in the scheme of government, I would alter my opinion. Some of the claims made for the saving of money under the commission form of government are, to my mind, ridiculous, even as are the claims under the other forms of government, for no form can make the difference in expenditures that some advocates claim. On both sides it is, after all, a question of men, and any new form of government or any new movement of any kind is apt to start off with a rush and accomplish certain things for a while, but this force and energy does not necessarily keep up just on account of the form.

"I would not want a concentration of power as we have without the provision of the recall, for instance.

"Cities that have a large foreign population, or overhead and underground street railways, harbors and wharves, large manufacturing plants; then cities that are mainly agricultural or residental in character, certainly vary in the necessity of government and this may absolutely make necessary a difference in form, so that after all it resolves itself very largely to local conditions and the personality of the men elected to office.

"Also, when comparisons are made in written articles with such cities for instance as Omaha, it is absolutely necessary to understand the state laws of Nebraska and their relation to city government and to know that (a few years ago at least) the governor appointed the chief of police, so that for political purposes the whole police department of the city was practically a part of the state political machine.

"The consensus of opinion among the men whom I have met at the last two meetings of the American League of Municipalities at Omaha and Montreal is very much against interference by the state in city government and while there are certain laws that the state must pass, applicable to all cities, yet the least interference that the state has with the city government will, in my judgment, give the best city administration.

"There are many other reasons that affect the success or non-success of the commission form of government and I might add that the success of some of the cities of the West has been achieved largely through the absence of open saloons and the saloon element and the prohibition from the city of disorderly houses, gambling places, etc. The large cities that have all these things to contend with need laws that we have no need of.

"The solution of many of the problems of the American city is not yet certain, but as long as local conditions do not change, I think that some of the cities are now on the right track."

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No Telephone Orders.

25c Toy Tool Chests 15c. Splendid toy tool chests—contains hammer, mallet, saw, squares and rule, all in good hardwood box, nicely finished; regular 25c value **15¢.**

Limit—1 Box to Customer.

60c Knit Slippers 35c.

Misses' hand knit slippers, made with lambs' wool soles, which alone retail at 35c—various colors. Regular 60c value. Special at **35¢.**

Limit—1 Pair to Customer.

39c Gold-Filled Hatpins 19c—

Gold-filled signet hatpins, pretty designs, 10-in. length, regular to 39c values, special from 8 to 12—with one Old English letter engraved free, at **19¢.**

Limit—2 to a Customer.

To 35c Knit Mittens 15c.

Women's and misses' knit mittens, dark color grounds with little dots—regular 25c and 35c values. Special 8 to 12 o'clock, at **15¢.**

Limit—4 Pairs to Customer.

12½c Kimono Flannel 8c.

Heavy fleeced kimono flannels, patterns are Persian, dots, stripes, etc. Medium, light and dark grounds; regular 12½c values, special 8 to 12 a. m.—at **8¢.**

Limit—15 yards to a customer.

Children's to 50c Books 15c

One great lot children's books, over 200 titles in the lot. Fiction and short stories by such authors as Henty, Alger, Mead, Cooper, etc., regular 25c, 35c and 50c values, from 8 to 12 o'clock at **15¢.**

Limit—2 to a Customer.

$1.50 Cut Star Tumblers—per dozen 89c—

Thin lead blown tumblers, 9-oz. size, straight shape, with dainty and effective cut star; regular $1.50 per dozen values — save 61c per dozen on these from 9 to 12 o'clock—if 100 dozen lasts that long—at per dozen **89¢.**

Limit—1 dozen to Customer.

To $7.50 Trimmed Hats and Turbans $2.19—

One big table of over 100 stylish new trimmed hats and turbans, lot includes fur-crowned and fur-trimmed mid-winter styles—values worth $6, $6.50 and up to $7.50—special from 8 to 12 o'clock at **$2.19.**

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For your shopping comfort we have provided much. It is our desire to make conditions perfect, and to this end we expend every energy. *This is truly the Convenient Holiday Store.*

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JAMESTOWN THEATER FIRE.

Vaudeville House Catches When Full But All Escape.

Jamestown, N. D., Dec. 8.—A fire of unknown origin under the stage in the Orpheum theater Monday evening threatened to destroy the heart of the business district, on account of the fact that the hydrants were frozen and for some time it was impossible to play a stream on the flames.

The fire broke out during the first performance of the evening, when the place was filled with women and children, and the flames lapped through the floor of the stage where an acrobat was doing his turn, and rapidly spread through the scenery and wings. Owing to the diplomacy of the manager, Mr. Brown, who coolly directed the movements of the crowd, the building was quickly emptied and no one was injured.

Madame Marzell's trained birds, which are under contract to tour Australia for $750 per week, were in the burning building, and it was with difficulty that they were saved. The birds are the property of Mr. and Mrs. Max Rose, who were the former owners of the Orpheum, but who disposed of their interests this week to W. W. Brown of Bemidji. Mr. and Mrs. Rose leave shortly for Australia with the trained birds.

About $10,000 damage resulted from the fire.

Marquette Masons Elect.

Marquette, Mich., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—At a meeting of Marquette lodge, No. 101, F. & A. M., Tuesday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: W. M., W. H. Van Iderstine; S. W., E. L. Pearce; J. W., H. C. Davis; treasurer, F. M. Moore; secretary, H. J. Lobdell; S. D., W. H. Elliott; J. D., F. Stope; tiler, F. A. Wentworth; stewards, Ernest Brown, A. C. Bird.

Railroad Fined for "Smoking."

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 8.—The Minneapolis & St. Louis railroad, and W. G. Bierd, its general manager, were found guilty of violating the city smoke ordinance Tuesday and fined $225. In the three cases against the railroad, the company was fined $25 in each case. W. G. Bierd was fined $100 in one case and $25 in the other two.

YOUNG MOTHERS

The greatest crisis in a woman's life is when first she becomes a mother. All the physical strength of her nature is demanded at such times, and it is necessary that her system be thoroughly prepared for the event, in order that her health be preserved for future years. Mother's Friend is woman's safest reliance; it is a medicine for external use, composed of oils and other ingredients which assist nature in all necessary physical changes of the system. Its regular use before the coming of baby prepares the muscles and tendons for the unusual strain, aids in expanding the skin and flesh fibres, and strengthens all the membranes and tissues. Mother's Friend lessens the pain and danger at the crisis, and leaves the mother in such healthful condition that her recovery is always rapid and natural. Mother's Friend is sold at drug stores. Write for our free book for expectant mothers.

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MOTHER'S FRIEND

CONCERNING WOMAN.

The program of toasts for the civic banquet to be held Saturday evening at the Spalding hotel under the auspices of the Women's council has been announced. Mrs. J. L. Washburn, president of the council will preside and the responses will be given by Mayor M. B. Cullum, who will speak on "The Commission Form of Government." The guest of honor for the evening will be Mrs. Fanny French Morse, whose subject will be "Minnesota's New State School for Girls." "The Associated Charities" will be the subject of a toast by Countney Dinwiddie, and "The Visiting Nurse' will be the toast by Mrs. Florence Lee. The last toast for the evening will be by Watson S. Moore, who will talk on "Some Municipal Needs."

The hostesses for the evening, presiding at the various tables will be Mesdames A. M. Marshall, L. W. Kline, A. M. Miller, J. H. McLean, T. W. Hawkes, William White, A. H. Brocklehurst, J. D. Morrison, E. A. Silberstein, O. H. Mather, E W. Bohannan, Robert Smith, A. E. Paull, J. H. Crowley, N. F. Hugo, F. L. Barrows, L. K. Daugherty, T. J. Davis, R. N. Marble, M. R. Baldwin, G. A. Elder, R. E. Denfeld, E. W. Matter, J. F. Killorin and Misses Grace Duncan, Jean Poirier, Mary Statham, Ensign, Jessica Marshall, Irma Hartley, Mary Paine and Madge Millar.

The hostesses are requested to be in the banquet room at ten minutes before 7 o'clock, the hour set for the banquet.

DECEMBER WEDDING.

Miss Hoopes to Become the Bride of W. R. McCarthy.

Mr. and Mrs. William Walter Hoopes issued invitations today for the wedding of their daughter, Miss Gertrude Hoopes to Walter Raymond McCarthy. The wedding will take place Saturday evening, Dec. 17, at the home of the bride's parents, 1801 Wallace street, Hunter's Park, before the relatives and immediate friends of the bride and her fiance. The wedding service will be read at 8 o'clock by the Rev. A. W. Ryan of St. Paul's church.

Miss Hoopes will have as her maid of honor, Miss Emmelyn McDougall and the ribbon bearers will be Miss Florence Bradley and Miss Elsie Crassweller, and Mr. McCarthy will be attended by his brother, Fred McCarthy.

Mr. McCarthy and his bride will leave for a wedding trip and will return to Duluth for the holidays. Later they will leave for Cheyenne Wells, Colo., where they will be at home.

Miss Hoopes will be the guest of honor at a number of affairs before her marriage. Miss Susan Stryker entertained this afternoon at a handkerchief shower at her home at Hunter's Park. Friday Miss Emmelyn McDougall will entertain at a luncheon in compliment to Miss Hoopes at her home, 2201 East First street. Next Monday afternoon Mrs. S. E. Atkins will be hostess at an informal afternoon in compliment to her sister.

IN "CHOCOLATE SOLDIER"

Miss Vivienne Singing With Eastern Company.

Word has been received by local friends of Miss Rena Vivienne that she is singing the prima donna role with the Eastern "Chocolate Soldier" company. Miss Vivienne is singing "Nadina" the role presented here by Mme. Kopetsky. The Eastern company is now in Maine and will appear later in the season in Washington, Pittsburg, Boston and Philadelphia. The company is under the direction of F. C. Whitney, who also sends the one that has been delighting Duluth audiences this week.

In Honor of Bride.

The wedding of Miss Christine Ross, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George F. Ross, to Harry Smead of St. Paul, will take place Monday, Dec. 19, at the home of the bride's parents, 1511 East Second street. Only the immediate family will be present for the wedding. Mr. and Mrs. Ross will entertain at a dinner Saturday evening, Dec. 17 at the Panton & White tea rooms in compliment to their daughter and Mr. Smead. Covers will be laid for twenty-eight.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Watterworth will entertain at dinner Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Ross. This afternoon Mrs. F. E. Fregeau was hostess at a theater party at the Orpheum in her honor, and a number of other affairs are being planned.

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Mrs. James McVickar is a stepdaughter of Isaac Emerson the wealthy drug man of Baltimore. Like her sister, Mrs. Smith Hollins McKim, she is a divorcee. She was first married to Mitchell Horner of Atlanta and got a divorce from him. She later married James McVickar of New York.

SUGGESTS CANES.

Mme. Kopetzky Has New Idea for Duluth Women.

"I have an idea," said Mme. Antoinette Kopetzky, as she massaged a "toothache in her knee," this morning in her room at the Spalding. "It would be for women to carry walking sticks. Now I should think here in Duluth that you would all have them. When it gets cold and icy, a walking stick like I have in Switzerland with a curling handle and a spike in the end—think how easy it would be for you to go up and down hill."

Mme. Kopetzky is a Bohemian, but a very cosmopolitan one. Her home is in England, she spends much of her time in Mexico and she sojourns in France and now she is touring America. She slipped on some ice three weeks ago and seriously hurt her knee but no one who has been delighted with her acting and singing in "The Chocolate Soldier" this week, had discovered that she was laboring under such pain. The young singer is from the land that has recently sent to America Kocian, Kubelik, Emmy Destin, and others of the artistic musical folks.

"If," said the inventor of the walking stick idea for Duluth, "some one would only start it, why it would be a great success."

Miss Kopetsky doesn't mind the cold but she doesn't want to fall again. She has lived in the open far in excess of what many fresh air enthusiasts have done. In Mexico where she spent a few years in mining camps with her husband, who is interested in mining matters, she slept in a tent with two feet of snow round about. The Mexicans kept huge bonfires going at either side to protect them from draughts. "And when I say bonfires I mean great trees this big around. The mesquit is very oily and the branches and trunk and all are put on the fire and they blaze for a long time."

Pinchot's name was mentioned as maybe some one who would object to such bonfires. "Oh, but this is in Mexico," said the young prima donna. "And the mesquit anyhow is not a really tree, it's a snarly, gnarly bush, but it is large around the base. It makes a fine fire." Miss Kopetzky's real home is in England, except when she's in Paris or Mexico or California, and she has the usual aversion of folks from the tight little isle to steam-heated apartments. The tent in Mexico is her idea of a fine way to sleep.

But she would like to be remembered especially for her contribution of the suggestion to Duluth to try walking sticks for icy pavements. She thinks it's a fine one.

Musical History.

The Musical History club of which Miss Edna Harris is leader held its regular meeting yesterday afternoon at her studio in the Edison building. There were fifteen present and Mozart was the composer studied. Pictures of musicians were the prizes for the musical games, and were won by Marion Murray and Mabel Sanders.

The soloist for the meeting was Miss Laureta O'Gorman, who was heard with much pleasure. "Beethoven" will be the subject of study for the next meeting which will take place Dec. 28.

Afternoon Reception.

Mrs. W. H. Cole and Mrs. Frank Fregeau received yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Cole at 2204 East First street. The receiving hours were from 3 to 6 o'clock. In the living room and dining room decorations of pink roses were used and yellow chrysanthemums were the decorations of the hall. The assisting hostesses were Mrs. Alexander Milne, Mrs. Edward Florada, Mrs. J. D. Titcomb and Mrs. Henry Damkroeger. La Brosse's orchestra played during the afternoon and 200 guests called.

Card Party.

Mrs. K. A. Franklin entertained at cards last evening at her home. Five hundred was the game and the favors were won by Mrs. J. C. Harrington and Mrs. J. Myer, the men's prizes being won by J. L. Dorsey and Charles Neff. The guests were:

Messrs. and Mesdames—

J. L. Dorsey	J. A. Myer
Charles Neff	Charles Huebsch
J. C. Harrington	Albert Lieha

Women's Auxiliary.

The Women's Auxiliary of St. Paul's church will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. A. St. Clair of 1125 East Superior street. "Alaska" will be the subject for the afternoon with Mrs. Henry Taylor as leader.

Engagement.

Mrs. Ashley Tomlinson entertained at a small tea this afternoon in the new rose room of the Spalding at which Mrs. Ellis Millar announced the engagement of her daughter, Madge, to Henry Clay Beck, both of this city.

Church Society.

The Missionary Society of the First Christian church will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Palmer of 119 East First street.

L'Alliance Francaise.

The Duluth branch of the L'Alliance Francaise will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the clubroom of the library.

Personal Mention.

Mrs. Roy Williams of Cleveland is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George F. Ross of 1511 East Second street.

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Miss Louise Hackett of Miles City, Mont., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. De Witt Southwick of Lakeside.

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Mrs. L M. Dickerson has returned from a visit at Los Angeles.

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Miss Kate Sexton, who was the guest of Duluth friends, left today for her home at Stillwater.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Mies left for Spokane, Wash., where they will make their future home.

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Miss Victoria Russell has gone to Los Angeles, Cal., to spend the winter. In the spring she will go East to New York and later to Montreal to make her home.

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Dr. and Mrs. L. Catterson of 614 Eighteenth avenue east have as their guest, Dr. Catterson's father, Mr. Catterson of Maryville, Mo.

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Mrs. Joseph Maitland of 111 Second avenue east has gone to Neenah, Wis.

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  Than ever will fall to your lot,
So don't count the bad that you never had,
  But reckon the good that you've got.

Contentment's a pearl that every girl
  Should value all she can;
She who can cheer's worth a thousand a year
  To every woman and man.

The girl who smiles is a legion of miles
  Ahead of the surly one—
For the smiler finds cheer for every day in the the year.
  And her work will be better done.

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THE EVENING STORY

HAND OF IRON

By Angus Lynne.

"There he goes, old Hand of Iron. Duty before everything that's his motto, and yet a finer, kinder man you could not find in all Australia."

I looked intently at the fine figure of the sergeant of police as he mounted his horse on the other side of the hot, dusty street. He was tall, heavily built, a man of about 50 years of age, if one could judge by the stern, tanned face surrounded by iron gray hair, but his figure, in well-cut, blue tunic and white cord breeches, semed all muscle and sinew, and he sat the large gray charger with the grace and ease of a boy.

"Why do you call him that?" I asked, turnig to my companion, and for the first time during our desultory conversation noting his appearance.

He was a small gray man of uncertain age. Large melancholy eyes of the same neutral tint looked from a small-featured pinched face. His figure as bent and shrunken and clad obviously in cast-offs, of a much bigger man and only his large and distorted hands showed any signs of occupation or employment. These, as he spoke, were never still but nervously moving, pulling at buttons or fumbling with his pipe.

The sun was hot and the day was oppressive in the little West Australian township, yet, a shiver shook him before he spoke, and he clasped his right wrist with his left hand.

"Why do I call him that?" he repeated. Then with a curious smile: "You're a stranger in these parts surely?"

"Yes," I answered, amused at his cross question; "I am only waiting here for the coach to Southern Cross."

"Ah," he replied; "there ain't many about here—old-timers, I mean—who don't know how he got his name, but even they don't know it all."

He stopped and looked down the hot, dusty road. The sergeant had disappeared from our view, and the dust of his passage hung on the still air.

I pushed my pouch along the bench towards him and motioned him to fill up. The coach was not expected for over an hour, and, by all accounts, would be late; so I settled myself to hear the regular "bush" yarn.

My acquaintance slowly filled his pipe, pushed back the pouch with a "thanks" and lit up.

"Five and twenty years ago," he commenced; "ah, we were young men then, young and strong, full of hot blood and hot passions. He was a trooper then as big—ay, bigger—than he is now, and no two men in the colony could put him on his back. I was—but what's the good of telling you?—I was a 'waster' then that's all, a waster."

He paused and took a few draws at his pipe. "There was a rough gang—a bad gang—in the district. Big Rourke, a black Irishman; Ned Steevens and Dicky Baird—Dick Bird, they called him—were the worst.

"It was cattle stealing one week, holding up coaches the next, and they were never caught. You see they stuck together, so there never was any evidence against them, though all knew who were the guilty parties.

"Then came the holding up of the Bulla-Bulling coach. There were women in that—it was a bad affair; very bad.

"Dicky Baird was one of them that time, and his mask got knocked off so that one of the women saw his face and called out, "That's Dicky Baird!" Oh, it was a black business!

"Well, it was soon known all over the place and warrants for Dicky's arrest were made out, but there it stood; for, you see, though it was pretty generally known that he was lying hidden at Black Rourke's place on the Dinding river, about seven miles from the township, yet this was also the headquarters of the gang, and such was its name that the few police in the district thought it best to wait until Dicky left cover before they took him. Meanwhile things went on much as before.

"About this time Trooper Mayhew, the man you saw just now, was sent up, and things began to look different. He seemed to put some of his spirit into the others, for two of the gang were caught stealing sheep and whipped off Perth Gaol amid general rejoicing.

"Then — how it happened I don't know—Mayhew was reported to have said plainly that he would take Dicky Baird single-handed or leave the force altogether.

"I remember how the news was received by the gang. Twenty of us were making a night of it at Rourke's, and this formed the chief topic of conversation and point of all the jokes. Twenty of us, I said. Oh, yes, I was one of them—and a waster; a waster."

He paused again, and I seemed to see the noisy scene in the log hut by the river twenty-five years ago—the scene that this quiet gray man saw in the dust of the sunlit street.

"Two nights after that we all met again, drinking, gambling and making new plans for raids.

"He'll never come," said Black Rourke, speaking of Mayhew; "he'll never show his dirty face within two miles o' my sheebeen. If he did'—and he spat into the fire—'he knows he'd go back to the station in his shirt tails with the marks of Black Rourke's hands and feet to keep him warm."

"Oh, he was a big black devil of a man, was Rourke—black and bad.

"Well, about eleven a knock came at the door, and 'Open in the Queen's Name' to follow.

"We were all struck dumb, and Dicky Baird made for the window open toward the river, but 'sit ye still,' roared Bourke, and strode to the door. 'Come on and be damned to you and yer Queen's name," said he.

"Open flew the door right back to the wall with a bang, and into the glare of the fire stepped the Trooper Mayhew, alone without a weapon in his hand, and slam went the door behind him.

"For fully half a minute there was silence. In our bad lawless hearts we admired and respected the man's splendid courage, for he never winced nor wavered, never blanched nor trembled, though twenty pairs of wicked eyes watched him and twenty cruel hands clutched weapons near him. Then, 'Richard Baird, in the queen's name I arrest you on a charge of robbery with violence. I warn you that anything you say—"

"'Ye want Dick Bird, do ye, ye great omadhaun!' he cried. 'Then, take him, for, by G—, ye need a man with wits to take care of yer great silly carcase,' and with that and another great laugh he pushed Baird against him, the constable, and turned to finish the drink.

"What followed happened so quickly that no one could follow events. We all heard a clik and saw the handcuffs flash; then it seemed as if the space in the middle of the room was filled with struggling men. There were blows, oaths and yells; then we saw Rourke step back with a bleeding face and pick up a heavy stool.

"As he did so the trooper threw off the men trying to hold him, and raising himself to his full height, threw a small bright object through the open window with a sweep of his right arm.

"'It's both or none now, ye cowards,' he cried; then Rourke struck, and down he fell dragging Baird with him.

"All drew back but Rourke, who wanted to strike again, being mad with the pain of a broken face, for Mayhew had punished him terribly in the short struggle. Some of the boldest dragged him back and took the stool from him.

"Baird tried to rise, but the weight of the big trooper held him down and his right wrist was still in the grip of the fallen man. Yes; he was still held and more than that, he was handcuffed to the stunned and senseless constable.

"Everybody crowded around offering suggestions. 'Soap yer hand, Dicky; it'll come off then,' said one. 'File the chain,' said another. 'Find the key,' said a third, until Rourke, pale and deadly fierce, hushed them and took command.

"'Stevens, search the dog for the key. Cook and Bell, down the path and see if any of the other troopers are there. Put the fire out, some of ye, and then clear out the lot of ye,' was his orders.

"The trooper's body was searched but no key was found. Bell came back to say the path was clear. Mayhew's horse was tied to a tree, but he had come alone.

"As the men filed out, one by one, Baird started whimpering: 'Don't leave me, boy; don't leave me!' He was always chicken-hearted, was Dicky.

"Rourke, in a cold rage, was looking for a file. 'Curse him,' he muttered, 'he won't beat me!'

"Then he came back to Dicky Baird with his teeth showing and his gums bare. 'There's nothing for it but this.' and he drew his sheathed knife.

He stooped and stared across the road. Between the houses opposite the bush could be seen stretching for miles barren and bleak.

The noise of an approaching horse broke the stillness, and the sergeant of police cantered by and pulled up at the police station across the way. As he dismounted I noticed, with a cold feeling down my back, that he held the reins in an iron hook instead of a left hand.

"Yes," went on the gray man as he nodded and smiled, in response to the sergeant's salutation. "There ain't many men who look after a 'waster'—feed him and clothe him for seven or eight years as he done to me, with no more claim than—well, old acquaintance. God bless him, I say. God bless him." His voice fell into a murmur—an almost infantile croon.

"How about the others? Didn't I tell you?" he went on in response to my question. "Well, there ain't much to tell. After it was done, Rourke went mad again and wanted to finish his dirty work, but those of the gang that had stayed fought him off and took away his knife.

"Then they took him off, and Baird was the last man to leave the hut, and he was crying like a child. You see, sir, it was a bit of a trial, and he was too young; then he had that severed hand still on his right wrist.

"Mayhew got back to the station early next morning, nearly done up, but said nothing until about noon, when Dicky Baird came along and gave himself up; you see, he couldn't stand it, sir, being young, and Mayhew's hand alone arrested him after all.

"Rourke was shot soon after, and the gang broke up. What did Baird get? Twenty years—hard, though they knocked off one or two for good conduct. Trooper Mayhew spoke for him from the witness box and proved that Dicky hadn't resisted, and also that he had bandaged his arm before he left the hut, but they wouldn't change the sentence. Twenty hard!

"You see," went on the gray man, as he got up from the bench, "I know more than most people, because," he smiled curiously, "I'm Dicky Baird."

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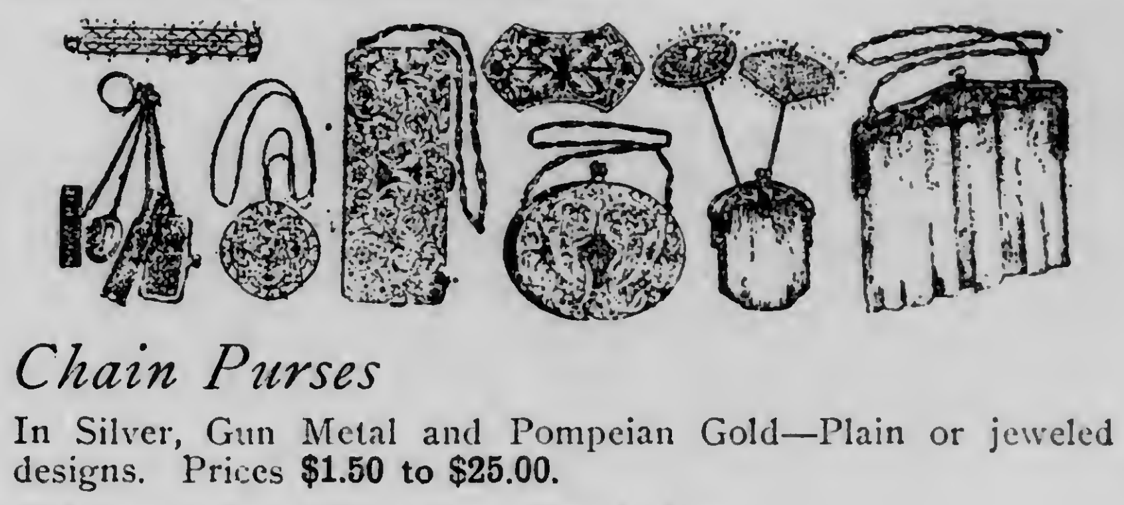

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REVOLUTION HALTS WORK.

Negaunee Man Writes That Mexico Is Rather Unsettled.

Negaunee, Mich., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—Ralph Mackenzie, who has had charge of diamond drilling operations in Mexico, writes that he expects to spend Christmas here, as he believes that exploratory work will be discontinued temporarily because of the revolutionary trouble. Mr. Mackenzie writes that the troops have control of the situation. On the night of Nov. 26, about 200 of the revolutionists tried to take possession of El Oro, near where the Negaunee men are working, but the regulars soon drove them back to the hills. El Oro is about 10,000 feet above sea level. Mr. Mackenzie expects that the drilling will be brought to a close about the middle of December, especially if the trouble continues.

CAUGHT IN SHAFTING.

Employe of Pioneer Furnace at Marquette Is Killed.

Marquette, Mich., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—His clothing catching in a shaft revolving over 200 times in a minute, Harry Wightman was fatally injured at the Pioneer furnace Tuesday afternoon and died three hours later at St. Luke's hospital. Mr. Wightman was about 50 years of age and leaves a wife and four children. He has worked at the furnace about a year and a half, and prior to that he was a locomotive engineer on the South Shore railroad for several years.

Overhauling President Fitch's Car.

Marquette, Mich., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—President W. F. Fitch's private car is to be thoroughly overhauled and a private car from the Soo line has arrived here to be used by Mr. Fitch until No. 555 is again put into service.

D. H., 12-8-'10.

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IS AFTER REFORMS

MacVeagh Attacks Currency System in Report to Congress.

Customs Service and Red Tape and National Debt Assailed.

Washington, Dec. 8.—Currency reform; extension of the scope of the national banking laws, in the event of no immediate general changes in the monetary system; civil service retirements; a customs service free from "practical" politics; business-like methods in the daily transactions of the government, and a general abolition of red tape wherever it clogs the wheels of the government's business, are among the recommendations contained in the annual report of Franklin MacVeagh, secretary of the treasury, presented to congress today.

The expenses of government in the fiscal year 1912 for which this session of congress is asked to appropriate, are estimated at $630,494,013.12. The estimated expenditures of the Panama canal are given as $56,920,847.69, making a total of $687,414,860.81.

Would Save $18,000,000.

The estimates, if carried out, represent net savings of about $18,000,000 in the executive departments as compared with the appropriations for the current fiscal year.

While the secretary's report estimates the total expenses of government at $687,414,860, the estimates which have been transmitted to congress ask for $748,414,861, a difference of $61,000,000. Congress is asked to appropriate this extra $61,000,000 to make the sinking fund law effective. It would be an appropriation to permit the treasury to begin applying 1 per cent a year to the discharge of the national debt. The law authorizing such a procedure has been a dead letter for some time, as congress has never appropriated any money.

Receipts for 1912, Secretary MacVeagh estimates, will be $680,000,000, which would leave an ordinary surplus of a round $50,000,000. If the treasury should continue to pay for the Panama canal out of the cash drawer, as at present, such a surplus would be turned to a deficit of $7,414,860.81.

"Panic Breeding System."

Secretary MacVeagh expresses the hope that the monetary question will come into congress detached from sectional or political considerations.

"Our system can fairly be called a panic-breeding system," he said, "whereas every other great national banking and currency system is panic-preventing. Panics are no longer necessary and no longer respectable. It is for the government to say whether we shall have panics in the future or not. It is a mere matter of choice. Our system, instead of building up a reserve, destroys it as fast as it inclines to accumulate."

In connection with his criticism of the money system, one of the secretary's most important recommendations concerns future issues of Panama bonds, of which $290,000,000 were authorized by the tariff act. The secretary renews the recommendations he made last year for legislation to tax the new bonds at 1½ per cent if used by national banks for circulation, and intimates that it might be preferable to issue the new securities for investment purposes only, at a rate of 3 per cent.

Foreign Banking Facilities.

If there is no prospect of immediate change in the monetary system the secretary thinks the American national banking system should be developed to perform an international function. There is a clear need of banking facilities in foreign countries where there is American commerce, he says.

"We shall never be a full-fledged commercial nation," he says, "unless we have merchant ships of our own and foreign banks of our own. We should have banks at all ports that are important to our commerce.

The treasury's relations with the business communities are unbusinesslike, artificial and burdensome, the secretary declares and he recommends legislation to permit the payment of revenue to the government by certified check, guarding the government against loss.

The recommendation that the treasury be authorized to issue gold certificates against gold bullion and foreign gold coin is renewed.

Reviewing the discovery of frauds and the subsequent reorganization of the customs service, Secretary MacVeagh urges appropriations for rewards to those who aid the government.

Government on $300,000,000.

As the economies of administration which have been effected in the treasury department are reviewed, the secretary pauses to take notice of a statement made by a United States senator, that the business of the government could be conducted with a saving of $300,000,000 a year. Secretary MacVeagh says:

"The popular impression as to the extent of possible economies in the administration of the executive departments is singularly exaggerated, and this misconception is very harmful.

"When it is the fact that the entire ordinary expenditures of the government last year were less than $660,000,000, and when a great part of those expenditures is not reducible at all, as, for example, the interest on the debt, and the pensions, one can readily see that there probably is not very much more than $300,000,000 gross left on which to save $300,000,000."

Too Many Customs Houses.

Superfluous customs houses, mints and assay offices should be abolished, the report says. There is an oversupply of the latter, and the mints in San Francisco, Denver and Philadelphia are not fully employed. The secretary also promises to send to congress a list of customs houses which he says "are no use under the sun."

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WEST END

WELCOME FOR NEW PASTOR

Grace Church Will Tender Reception to Rev. John H. Murray.

A welcome reception for Rev. John H. Murray, new pastor of Grace M. E. church, Twenty-second avenue west and Third street, and Mrs. Murray, will be held at the church parlors tomorrow evening. It is to be held under the auspices of the ladies' aid society, which is now making arrangements for the affair.

Former Mayor R. D. Haven will give the welcome address of the evening, and among those who will speak on behalf of the congregation are: J. W. Preston, J. W. Cummings, W. W. Allen and Charles E. Dice. All of the Methodist clergy of the city and the pastors of the West end have been invited to attend the affair and to make a few remarks.

The Misses Eva Adams and Gisa Perry will contribute to the musical program by rendering vocal solos, and instrumental numbers will be rendered by Miss Frances Berg and Miss Ruby Gorman. Miss Jessie Preston and Miss Mayme Kennedy will have charge of the refreshments.

Mr. Murray and his family arrived last week from Silver City, N. M., changing places with Rev. M. O. Stockland, the former pastor, who is now located at Silver City. Grace church is being remodeled, and although the Sunday schoolrooms in the basement are now ready for occupancy, the church proper will not be completed until next week. The rededication will take place Sunday, Dec. 18.

Annual Meeting.

Beta Council No. 2, Modern Samaritans, has named the following officers to serve for the ensuing year: Joseph Olson, good Samaritan; W. W. Allen, high priest; Mrs. M. Olson, vice good Samaritan; Mrs. R. Nelson, centurian; William L. Anderson, financial scribe; Joseph Miller, scribe; Charles E. Dice, treasurer, and Miss Gerda Erickson, musician.

WILL TALK TO CLUB ON COMMISSION GOVERNMENT.

The commission form of government will be the chief topic under consideration at the meeting of the West End Commercial club tomorrow evening and an open meeting will be held at which Mayor M. B. Cullum and Alderman Wharton will be the principal speakers.

Arrangements have been made to have the large hall in the Sloan block, Twentieth avenue west and Superior street, for the evening. As the question is one which has aroused much interest among West end people, it is expected that the attendance tomorrow evening will be large. President S. W. Hill of the Commercial club will call the meeting to order at 8 o'clock sharp.

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WILL INVESTIGATE ALLEGED LID TILTING.

The United Temperance association, formed by members of the various I. O. G. T. lodges and the West end branch of the W. C. T. U. for a systematic investigation into the alleged practice of "lid tilting" will hold its first meeting tomorrow evening at the home of L. A. Simonson, 2102 West Superior street.

A set of by-laws will probably be adopted at this time and committees appointed to look into the alleged practice of selling liquor on Sunday.

Officers Elected.

C. J. Anderson was elected consul for Duluth Camp No. 2341, Modern Woodmen of America, at its annual meeting last evening at Columbia hall, Twentieth avenue west and Superior street. The other new officers are: Charles Hasselstrom, advisor; Charles Shogran, clerk; Charles E. Dice, assistant clerk; N. N. Oye, banker; Ed Gustafson, escort; Jack Thorson, watchman; J. G. Coning, sentry; Doctors O. A. Oredson, L. P. Pare and L. O. Greeley, physicians, and William L. Bernard, trustee for three years.

Missionary Lecture.

Miss Soderberg of Seattle, Wash., will be the principal speaker this evening at a meeting of the missionary societies of Central Baptist church in the lecture room. Miss Soderberg will relate her experiences as missionary among the Finnish people of Seattle.

West End Shortrails.

The Young People's Society of the Second Presbyterian church will meet tomorrow evening at the church, 1515 West Superior street. A program will be given and refreshments served.

"How We Meet Opportunities," the second of a series of sermons by Rev. Edward Erickson, pastor of the First Norwegian - Danish M. E. church, Twenty-fourth avenue west and Third street, will be delivered Sunday evening.

Mrs. John Ludingham has been called to Berkley, Ont., on account of the death of her father.

Mrs. James Maghan of 2826 West Third street entertained the Ladies' Aid Society of the Second Presbyterian church at her home this afternoon.

Mrs. J. W. Ekblad of 2301 West Third street has returned from Scandia, Kan., where she has been visiting.

The Misses Daisy Stevens and Orpha Lent of Hibbing were in the West end yesterday calling on friends.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Central Baptist church held its annual election of officers yesterday at the church. Mrs. George Jewell was named as president and the other officers were Mrs. D. J. McPhail, vice president, and Mrs. John McKenzie, secretary-treasurer.

Mrs. Florence Coleman of Virginia, Minn., is a guest at the home of R. C. Sloan of 2601 West Sixth street for a few days.

CHANGE IN COMMISSION.

East Grand Forks Water Board Has a New Member.

East Grand Forks, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—A change in the board of water commissioners was made yesterday, when A. N. Briggs retired in favor of Thomas Murray. Mr. Briggs was appointed at the time the board was originally created and has been a member ever since.

The action before the supreme court in which it is contended that the commissions were appointed illegally, and that the board is not acting with proper authority, comes up for a hearing Dec. 23. On the result of this action depends the future life of the commission.

NO GAS IS STRUCK.

Atho Westhope, N. D., Drillers Are Down 2,000 Feet.

Westhope, N. D., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—Gas well prospectors operating in Westhope and backed by the business men of the city have all kinds of perseverance, but up to the present time gas has been a minus quantity. The drillers have reached a point 2,000 feet under the surface and are still going down. While traces have been found here and there indicating the presence of gas, no flow has been struck.

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COTTON GINNING REPORT.

Increase Is Shown Over Figures for 1909.

Washington, Dec. 8. — The cotton ginning report of the census bureau issued at 10 o'clock this morning shows 10,139,986 bales, counting round as half bales, ginned from the growth of 1910 to Dec. 1, compared with 8,876,886 for 1909; 11,008,661 for 1908 and 8,343,396 for 1907.

The per cent of the last three crops ginned to Dec. 1 was 88.1 for 1909; 84.1 for 1908 and 75.5 for 1907.

Round bales included this year are 101,652, compared with 134,393 for 1909; 201,480 for 1908 and 154,636 for 1907.

Sea island cotton ginned for 1910 was 66,634 bales compared with 77,591 for 1909; 68,396 for 1908 and 55,299 for 1907 and distributed as follows: Florida, 23,649; Georgia, 35,405, and South Carolina, 7,580.

TERMINAL ELEVATOR PLANS.

Will Be Discussed By North Dakota Equity Society.

Grand Forks, N. D., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald)—Secretary John M. Anderson of the North Dakota union of the American Society of Equity, says active steps will be taken at the Tri-State Grain Growers' convention in Fargo in January toward the organization of a terminal elevator and commission company, with the end in view of launching actively into the business. Of the $50,000 necessary stock to swing the proposition, $44,000 has already been subscribed, while the remaining $6,000 has been pledged.

The company, when organized, will have its main office in Minneapolis, with a branch at Duluth. The plan has been under consideration for a number of years.

COMING BEMIDJI DANCES.

Elks' Charity Ball Friday, Military Ball New Year's Eve.

Bemidji, Minn., Dec. 8.—The committee having charge of the arrangements for the Elks' charity ball, which is to be held in the Armory opera house Friday evening, are getting the decorations in place.

A mass of white and purple—the Elks' colors—are being arranged in unique formations with lights, banners and bunting. Elks' heads, the finest specimens to be obtained, are already in place and electricians are at work wiring for electrical effects. The members of Company K, M. N. G., have decided to give a New Year's eve dance in the Armory.

Transcontinental Railways of the World.

Of all the world, Africa and Australia are the only continents not yet crossed by a through railroad, but such a system is soon to be commenced in Australia. The first transcontinental railroad in the world was the Union Pacific, completed a little more than forty years ago. Since that time six lines have been built across the Rocky Mountains in this country. When in need of a malt tonic for use in the home we look for the purest and one of strictest cleanliness. This is to be found in the highest form in Golden Grain Belt beer. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by the Duluth branch Minneapolis Brewing company.

Bemidji Commercial Club Banquet.

Bemidji, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Bemidji Commercial club is arrangeing for its annual banquet and the following committee has charge: George W. Campbell, W. P. Dyer, A. P. Riehle, M. E. Smith and A. G. Wedge, president of the club.

The banquet may be held in the high school building, which is equipped for such an event, complete cooking apparatus being used by the classes in domestic science.

DEMOCRAT WINS OUT IN NINTH WISCONSIN.

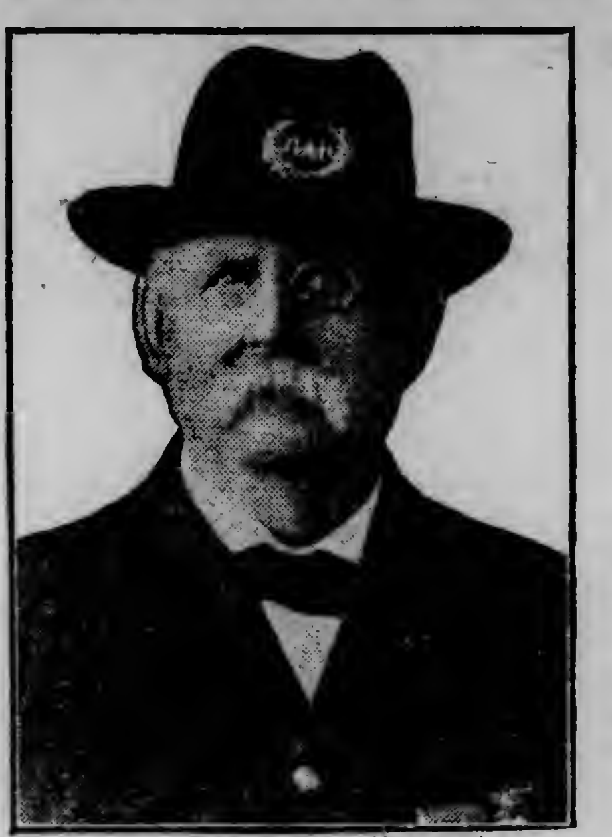
Madison, Wis., Dec. 8. — The state board of canvassers has completed its investigation of the election of the congressman in the Ninth district and issued a certificate of election to Thomas W. Knop of Kewaunee, the Democratic candidate.

The final returns give Mr. Knop a majority of five votes.

SUPPOSED BRITON IS DEAD IN CHICAGO.

Chicago, Dec. 8.—A man believed to be H. Mayson Turley of London, Eng., a mining man with properties in the Saskatchewan, died late yesterday at a Chicago hospital of pneumonia. He was taken unconscious from a train just arrived in Chicago from the West four days ago. The police believe that Turley was on his way to London to spend Christmas with his family.

Hale and Hearty at 81



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From a helpless invalid, owing to a weakened, rundown condition of the system, to a vigorous man of 81 years of age, is the experience that Mr. Wm. H. Haines, a Grand Army Veteran, has passed through during the last few years, owing to the use of Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey as his only medicine.

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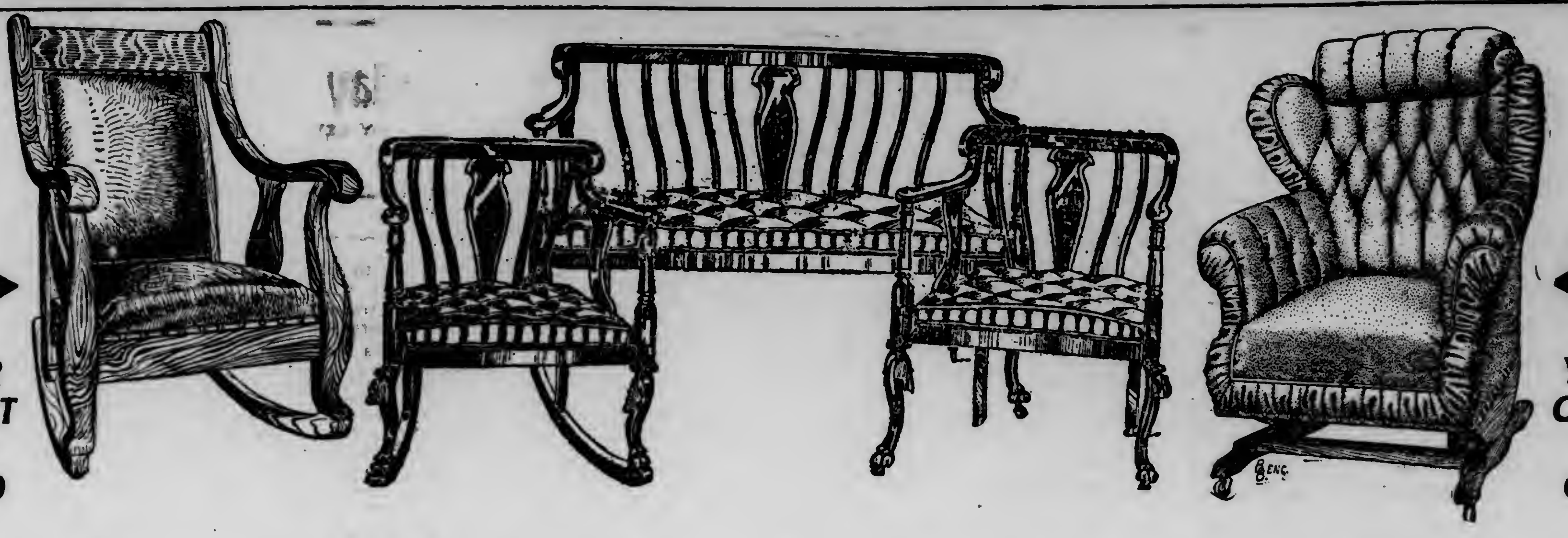

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A Pre-Holiday Sale of Parlor Suites and Leather Furniture.

That will mean much in the way of saving to Christmas shoppers. This is not a sale of shop-worn goods and out-of-date odds and ends. It is a sale of complete suites, chairs and rockers in leather, fancy corner chairs, in a great variety of woods and finishes, magnificent davenports and hand-carved solid mahogany pieces.

These goods were all bought for this fall's business, most of them have just arrived, too late for fall business, and as we do not wish to include them in our inventory, which we will take in a few weeks, we are going to sacrifice profits and move the goods.

IDEAL CHRISTMAS GIFTS AT A SAVING OF 40% TO 50%

THIS GREAT SALE STARTS TOMORROW MORNING.

PARLOR SUITES.

Here is an exceptionally attractive five-piece suite. It is all that could be desired in quality and style; built of **Solid Mahogany** along Mission lines, upholstered in imported panned mohair plush with pillow cushioned back. This suite sells regularly at $175—our Pre-Holiday sale price........ $87.50

This is a magnificent, over-stuffed, two-piece suite in English style of upholstery. Springs in arms, back and seat, stuffed with best quality curled hair; covered in imported panned mohair plush; very desirable for living room or library; Regular price $300—our Pre-Holiday sale price only........ $150

A big, massive, Colonial Sofa and Arm Chair. Frame of selected mahogany; highest grade construction with imported French tapestry covering. Elegance is expressed in every line of this magnificent suite. Regular price $300—our Pre-Holiday sale price only........ $150

A magnificent over-stuffed Davenport with Turkish rocker to match; high grade in every detail; best curled hair filling and covered in a rich toned, red, imported panned mohair plush. Regular price for the two pieces $325—our Pre-Holiday sale price only........ $162.50

MANY OTHER SUITES OF THE SAME EXCLUSIVE STYLE AND HIGH-GRADE CONSTRUCTION AT A SAVING OF ONE-HALF THE ORIGINAL PRICE.

Here is a dainty little four-piece suite in Colonial style, solid mahogany frame, with genuine English embossed hair cloth covering that sells regularly at $120—our Pre-Holiday sale price........ $60.00

A beautiful three-piece suite, Colonial style, solid mahogany frame, daintily upholstered; worth $116—our Pre-Holiday sale price only........ $58.00

A very tasty three-piece, in desirable modern style, solid mahogany frame; loose cushions trimmed with cord and tassels. Regular price $105—sale price........ $52.50

Another exceptional value in a medium priced suite is this one in mahogany finished frame with upholstered seat and back; worth $55—our Pre-Holiday sale price only........ $27.50

A stylish three-piece suite in mahogany finish; loose cushions covered in heavy velour. Regular price $60—our Pre-Holiday sale price only........ $30.00

Here's one of our bargains in three-piece, leather suites, mahogany finished frame; sells regularly at $27.50—sale price........ $15.75

We can't list all the bargains offered in this line, but the foregoing will give you an idea of the values to be obtained at this sale.

LEATHER FURNITURE.

We are exceptionally strong on this line of furniture and the values we will offer during this big sale will mean a saving of many dollars to the purchasers of this class of goods. NOTE SOME OF THE VALUES OFFERED:

English style upholstered Sofa and chair to match, covered in English Morocco leather; worth $200—our Pre-Holiday sale price only........ $100

Leather Chair, best grade construction; a nice size for a lady's reading chair. Regular price $68—our Pre-Holiday sale price only........ $34.00

Ladies' Turkish Rocker; best leather covering, springs in arms, seat and back, full leather fringe; worth $70—our Pre-Holiday sale price........ $35.00

Ladies' Chair in English style of upholstery; best leather covering; worth $80—our Pre-Holiday sale price only........ $40.00

Large Comfort Rocker; best grade leather; worth $70—our Pre-Holiday sale price........ $35.00

Large Turkish style Rockers in genuine leather; worth $60—our sale price only........ $30.00

A genuine leather rocker in Turkish style; worth $38—our sale price only........ $19.00

Mahogany Frame Rockers upholstered in leather—a large assortment at just HALF PRICE.

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DAMAGES FOR INJURIES

Mathew J. Reid Awarded $1,560 From Northwestern Fuel Company.

Verdict Against D. & I. R. Railroad for Damage Caused By Fire.

Mathew J. Reid, who sued the Northwestern Fuel company for $15,000 for injuries alleged to have been sustained while working at Superior, was given $1,560 by a jury in district court this morning.

Reid while working for the company as a carpenter, attempted to climb on a scaffold. One of the planks gave way and Reid fell to the ground. As a result he sustained a broken leg and other minor injuries.

He claimed that the company was negligent in that the scaffold was not safely constructed.

A jury returned a verdict of $976.75 in favor of John Andrews and against the Duluth & Iron Range Railroad company.

Andrews asked $1,750 for damage to his house by fire, which he claimed began in the combustible materials that were allowed to accumulate along the company's track.

FINGERS WORTH A LARGE AMOUNT

Child's Thumb and Index Finger Basis of Personal Injury Action.

August Davis asks $35,000 from the Duluth Crushed Stone company in an action brought in district court for his son, Stanley Davis, 10 years old, who, it is alleged, lost several fingers when a dynamite cap which he was holding went off unexpectedly.

Davis in his complaint states that the company was negligent in that it allowed dangerous material to lay around in plain sight and easy reach of children under the age of discretion.

The lad, it seems, was playing about the plant of the company at Fifty-seventh avenue west. The men employed by the company were engaged in blasting rock. The child found some of the caps and poked a sharp instrument into one of them. It exploded tearing away a thumb and index finger of the left hand.

The case is being heard before Judge J. D. Ensign and a jury in district court.

The bankrupt stock of clothing of S. Van Wagner will go on sale at the Oak Hall, Saturday morning. Suits and overcoats, hats, caps and neckwear for men and boys, all to be sold very cheap.

APPOINTMENTS ARE ANNOUNCED

Arthur E. Templeton Will be Chief Clerk in Probate Court.

Probate Judge-elect S. W. Gilpin announced this morning that Arthur E. Templeton, a local newspaper reporter, will be chief clerk in the probate office after the first of the new year.

Miss Della Chevrette will be deputy and Thomas Feaks will be recording clerk. Miss Chevrette has been in the probate court for some time.

Mr. Gilpin will be out of the city on a business trip for some little time but will be in Duluth in time to take charge of the probate judgeship on the first day of January.

At the present time Mr. Gilpin is winding up the affairs preparatory to turning the office of county superintendent of schools over to N. A. Young, who was elected to the position at the recent election.

But little is known of the appointments in the sheriff's office although it is generally understood that Victor Dash will be chief clerk. Sheriff-elect Meining visited the courthouse this morning and made arrangements for taking over the office.

NEW FIRE CASE IN DISTRICT COURT

August Lindy Asks $3,099 From Duluth & Iron Range Railway.

Before Judge Dibell and a jury in the district court, August Lindy is trying to recover $3,099 from the Duluth & Iron Range Railroad company as damages alleged to have been sustained when fire destroyed his boarding house.

The plaintiff claims that the company was negligent in that it allowed live coals to be dropped near the Adriatic mine. He claims that the fire which eventually destroyed his building started from the coals which set fire to the dry material which is alleged to have been strewn about the track.

The house which Lindy claims was a total loss together with its furnishings, was at the Knox location.

Officers Elected.

At the annual meeting of the Clan Stewart lodge, No. 50, O. S. C., the following officers were elected for the coming year:

Chief, Robert Ferguson; past chief, Alex G. McKnight; tanist, Dr. Alex Graham; chaplain, Alex. Guthrie; secretary, Don McLennan; financial secretary, John Burnett; treasurer, Henry Taylor; senior henchman, James Ross; junior henchman, John Kelly; seneschal, Alex. Macdonald; warder, Samuel Gillespie; sentinel, John Gow; physician, Dr. E. N. McGiffert; standard bearer, D. A. Cameron; piper, Norman McLean; trustee, James D. McGhie, Sr.

Harney Elected President.

The Ancient Order of Hibernians, division No. 1, elected the following officers at the meeting held last night: President, M. J. Harney; vice president, John Mackay; financial secretary, A. J. Powers; recording secretary, F. McGirl; sergeant-at-arms, Will Casey; sentinel, Stephen Cafe; medical examiner, Dr. Fahey; treasurer, Edward Curry.

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A substitute is a dangerous makeshift especially in medicine. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs and colds quickly and is in a yellow package. Accept no substitutes. Sold by all druggists.

DRUGGISTS CAN GET NO ALCOHOL

Brainerd Is Dry as Dry Can Be—Ray of Hope Is Seen.

Brainerd, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—Everything is quiet at Brainerd today except that the dryness is causing murmurs of complaint. Saloon keepers are shipping their stocks back to wholesalers and some are leaving for the Twin Cities, to check their goods on arrival there.

The reported closing of saloons and malt shops on the Cuyuna iron range in the towns of Crosby, Deerwood, Cuyuna and Ironton, did not take place yesterday, although every one expects it hourly.

Drug stores of Brainerd are unable to ship alcohol from the Twin Cities to this dry district.

The Brainerd Brewing company is still operating.

The proposed cut in the federal appropriation to the Indian bureau promises some relief, because it will reduce the activity of this agency, is the concensus of opinion of local liquor men.

Count Boni Not a Suicide.

Paris, Dec. 8.—There was no truth in the rumor current last night that a well-known Frenchman had committed suicide. Some versions of the story associated the name of Count Boni de Castellaine with the matter.

SAVE THIS

Best Known Recipe for Kidney and Bladder Troubles.

Go to any good druggist and get the following: Half ounce fluid extract Buchu; half ounce Murax compound; six ounces of good pure gin; shake well each time and use in doses of one to two teaspoonfuls after each meal and at bed time.

This should be used promptly at the first sign of backache, rheumatic pains, scanty and frequent urination or pains in groin. Prompt attention to these symptoms is necessary to prevent more serious trouble, such as Bright's disease or diabetes.

Worse than an alarm of fire at night is the metallic cough of croup, bringing dread to the household. Careful mothers keep Foley's Honey and Tar in the house and give it at the first sign of danger. It contains no opiates. Sold by all druggists.

RETURNS FROM A TRIP TO EUROPE

Jack Luoma Promises to Care for His Family in Future.

Jack Luoma has taken his wife off the county's hands and with his children will once more take up his residence at Virginia, Minn.

Luoma, who claims to have just returned from a visit to the old country, was charged with desertion and had a hearing this morning in court. Upon a promise to care for his wife and children he was given a chance to make good.

Mrs. Luoma's mind gave way some time ago after she thought herself deserted, and she was found under the house by neighbors after she had been missing for several days.

She has been at the county poor farm for some time past and is now said to have fully recovered. The children have been cared for by the county at the children's home.

Luoma says that he thought the family had enough to live on while he was away and did not deem it necessary to tell his wife where he was going.

BOYS' CABINET HAS MEETING

Monthly Session Is Held and Plans for Work Discussed.

The regular monthly meeting of the boys' department cabinet was held last evening at the home of Mrs. George St. Clair. The following members were present: Palmer Bevis, Glen Merritt, Rex St. Clair, Earl Bradley, Ledru Bevis, Caldwell Harris, Wellington Cook, Duncan Frick, Thornton McLean, Forest Huyck, Harold Bradley, J. R. Batchelor and N. D. McLeod.

Reports of the month's work were read, and plans for the coming month were discussed. The date for the annual cabinet reunion was set for Thursday, Dec. 29. On this occasion all the former cabinet members will meet for a social time, and those who are attending college give experiences of college life.

The cabinet is very enthusiastic over the one day hustle Friday, and every man will spend all of Friday in getting new members. A membership rally will be held at the Boys' building tonight at 7:30 to hear reports on the prospects. All the committees will plan special activities for the holiday vacation and each committee will arrange for a meeting next week. Special effort is to be made in connection with the Sunday club meeting and the cabinet will boost for an attendance of 75 to 100 for this Sunday, when Mr. Young, principal of the high school, will give the talk.

SAFE AND $15,000 CONTENTS STOLEN

Adams Express Company's Minneapolis Office Is Robbed.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—A small portable safe, containing $15,000 and some valuable merchandise, was stolen from the office of the Adams Express company, 256 Hennepin avenue, some time last night. The safe was delivered at the office by one of the company's drivers. Shortly afterward it was missed.

MANY BILLS TO REPEAL TARIFFS

Measures Are Being Buried in Committee in the House.

Washington, Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—Bills to repeal duties on various commodities are now being introduced in the house daily and referred to the committee on ways and means, where they will be promptly pigeonholed.

Representative Smith of Texas today introduced a bill to repeal the duty on lumber. Representative Clark of Florida has put in a bill which provides for the admission of all food or food products free of any import duty whatsoever.

The bankrupt stock of clothing of S. Van Wagner will go on sale at the Oak Hall, Saturday morning. Suits and overcoats, hats, caps and neckwear for men and boys, all to be sold very cheap.

OBITUARY

Prof. Ludwig Knaus, the painter, died in Berlin, Dec. 7. He was born at Wiesbaden in 1829. Ludwig Knaus first studied under Hehn and Schadow in the academy at Dusseldorf. He perfected himself in the technical part of his art at Paris. He was professor at the Berlin academy from 1874 to 1884.

J. Willard Brown, department commander of the Grand Army of the Republic in Massachusetts and for forty years an educator in the public schools of greater Boston, died suddenly of heart failure, Dec. 7. He served four years in the United States signal corps and then became chief signal officer of the Powder River Valley Indian expedition in Wyoming and Montana, where he served a year.

Commander Robert Platt, U. S. N., retired, died at his home in Washington, D. C., Dec. 7, following an attack of cerebral embolisment, with which he was stricken three weeks ago. Commander Platt was a native of North Carolina.

THE MILITANT MUSTACHE.

Youth's Companion: The practice of clean shaving has made such strides among English army officers that a general order has been issued reminding them that the regulations still require them to wear a mustache. Times have changed since Rawdon Crawley so vigorously protested against poor Joseph Sedley's mustache. Civilians in those days were supposed to wear a bare upper lip. Nowadays they wear what they like, it is only the sons of Mars who are not allowed the luxury of a clean shave nor yet that of a full beard.

CONFESSION OF AN OLD ERROR.

Washington Herald: An unsigned letter unique in the history of the postoffice department was received yesterday at the postmaster general's office, telling of a violation of the postal laws committed twenty-five years ago.

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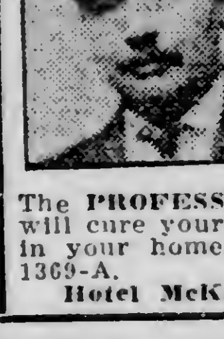

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This Week's Sunday School Lesson

WRITTEN FOR THE HERALD BY REV. J. S. KIRTLEY, D. D.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON: Dec. 11. Matt. xxvii, 15-50: The Crucifixion.

THE CONNECTION.

Pilate hated the Jews, knew that Jesus was innocent and saw their vile purpose. He had power to prevent the murder and made up his mind to do so at any cost, save one thing. He would not sacrifice his office and he knew that the Jews had it in their power to accuse him at Rome of harboring an enemy of Caesar's, to remove him from office, if he could not get their consent to let Jesus go free. So he did every thing in his power to gain their consent. He reasoned with them, showed them His innocence, scourged Him, thinking that would satisfy their thirst for His blood, offered to release Him according to an honored custom of releasing one prisoner on a feast day, as the governors of some of our states always discharge some one prisoner on Thanksgiving day. Their madness made them deaf and he sadly gave Him over to their will. Now they are at the place of death.

THE LESSON.

I

Jesus Nailed to the Cross, 33-38.

"And when they were come unto a place called Golgotha, that is to say, The place of a skull, they gave Him wine to drink mingled with gall; and when He had tasted it He would not drink. And when they had crucified Him, they parted his garments among them, casting lots; and they sat and watched Him there. And they set up over his head his accusation written, THIS IS JESUS THE KING OF THE JEWS. Then are there crucified with Him two robbers, one on the right hand and one on the left."

1. SYMPATHY.—The place was northwest of the city, where the limestone escarpment has the appearance of a huge skull and the Hebrew word, Golgotha, and the Latin, Calvarium, mean skull. The tender hearted women of Jerusalem were in the habit of giving a drink to such sufferers, in which was a stupefying drug that acted somewhat as an anesthetic and they offered it to Him. Though exhausted and burning with thirst, He would not taste of it, for He would keep His mind clear for His tragic experience and His taste for death pure.

2. APATHY.—The Jews and Pilate were responsible and the soldiers did the actual work. Their ghastly work was not disagreeable to them; they loved to crucify Jews. They must have got some merriment out of it, for they made a horse play of it, in Pilate's judgment hall, and now, the most interesting thing to them is the division of their perquisites, His clothing.

3. REVENGE.—Pilate has his tardy revenge on the Jews for compelling him to do their will. He advertised Jesus as their king, in the most striking way, and nothing could have been more galling to them, for, as they usually announced the crime of a criminal by writing it on the instrument of his execution, so he wrote it in this case, and put it in the three great languages, so every body could read it and tell about it to all the world. And when they came to him and pleaded with him to change it to say that He claimed to be the king of the Jews, he was firm. But his firmness makes him all the more contemptible. They had their way about the tragedy; he has his petty spiteful way about this single item. We blush for both him and them. His revenge went still further. As the Romans crucified only criminals and slaves, he put their king down on a level with them and actually has two criminals by His side; and if their king is thus worthy of dishonor, what of the people themselves?

II.

Jesus Taunted on the Cross, 39-44.

"And they that passed by railed on Him, wagging their heads, and saying, Thou that destroyest the temple, and buildest it in three days, save thyself; if thou art the Son of God, come down from the cross. In like manner also the chief priests mocking him, with the scribes and elders, said, He saved others; himself he cannot save. He is the king of Israel; let him now come down from the cross, and we will believe on him. He trusteth on God; let him deliver him now, if he desireth Him; for he said, I am the Son of God. And the robbers also that were crucified with Him cast upon Him the same reproach."

1. FALSEHOOD.—It seems to have been the crowds, the mob, passing to and from the city, who repeated the lie that they had condemned Him on. His physical sufferings were as great as possible, the nails driven into His flesh, where the nerves are most sensitive and yet farthest from the seat of life, so that the agony would be prolonged. But the sorrow of His soul knew no measure, as His words were perverted and all the universe seemed against Him.

2. HELPLESS.—It was the dignified priests who flung this taunt at Him. And it was true, He could not save Himself and the people too. So He chose to save those who were putting Him to death and lay the foundation for the salvation of the whole world, rather than come down from the cross, as He could have done.

3. REPENTANCE.—The two robbers joined in the insults till, as we learn from Luke, one of them was smitten with contrition, and asked the favor of Jesus. This was an experience that came to His relief, to know that His work for man was beginning to tell so soon. It must have heartened Him as He went on into the deeper gloom.

III.

Jesus Dying on the Cross 45-50.

"Now from the sixth hour there was darkness over all the land until the ninth hour. And about the ninth hour Jesus cried with a loud voice, saying, E'li E'li, la'ma sabachtha'ni? that is My God, my God, why hast thou forsaken me? And some of them that stood there, when they heard it, said, This man calleth Elijah. And straightway one of them ran, and took a sponge, and filled it with vinegar, and put it on a reed, and gave him to drink. And the rest said, Let be; let us see whether Eli'jah cometh to save him. And Jesus cried again with a loud voice, and yielded up his spirit."

1. FORSAKEN—We have seven sayings from Him on the Cross—but Matthew gives only two. Jesus was forsaken. The nation, the officials, His ardent followers, save a few, the angels who had been with Him from His birth, the Holy Spirit, who had given Him a body and had trained His mind, the Father—all had left Him. He was there for sin, not His own, and the Father must look away from sin. This was about the noon hour and He had spoken three times before, praying for His murderers, comforting the robber and instructing John and His mother.

2. SURRENDERING—He had before said that He had power to lay down His life and take it up again. He allowed Himself to obey the law of death. His loud voice showed that he surrendered Himself. He went to sleep, with the taunts of the officials in His ear; in His desolation, He still kept His mind free from resentment towards them and still clung to His Father.

WHAT THE MASTERS SAY.

How possible it is to look at Christ's sufferings and see nothing. The rude legionaries gazed for hours on what has touched the world ever since and saw nothing but a dying Jew. They thought about the worth of the clothes, or about how long they would have to stay there, and, in the presence of the most stupendous fact in the world's history, were all unmoved. We, too, may gaze on the cross and see nothing. We, too, may look at it without emotion, because without faith, or any consciousness of what it may mean to us. Only those who see there the sacrifice for their sins and the world see what is there.—Maclaran.

This spot to which we have come is the center of all things. Here two eternities meet. The streams of ancient history converge here and here the river of modern history takes its rise. The eyes of patriarchs and prophets strained forward to Calvary and now the eyes of all generations and of all races look back to it. This is the end of all roads. The seeker after truth who has explored all realms of knowledge comes to Calvary and finds at last that he has reached the center. The weary heart of man that has wandered the world over in search of perfect sympathy and love at last arrives here and finds rest. * * * At Calvary poets have sung their sweetest strains and artists seen their sublimest visions and thinkers excogitated their noblest ideas.—Stalker.

PERTINENT QUESTIONS.

1. Why does doing right get us into less trouble than doing wrong?
2. Why is personal revenge always an indication of great littleness?
3. Could Jesus have come down from the cross?
4. Why could He not have saved others, if He had come down from the cross?
5. Why has Christianity always lost its power, when the atoning work of Christ, on the cross, has been denied?
6. What is the crowning proof that Jesus gave up His life voluntarily?
7. What is your attitude toward Him?

VISITOR AT POLICE STATION LAUGHS AT LOCKS AND ROPES

Paul Kruger, inventor of a new signal system which he states will double the efficiency of any police force, entertained the detail at headquarters yesterday afternoon with some handcuff tricks which made them sit up and take notice.

The policemen were unable to produce a set of irons which would hold him. Without the use of a key of any kind he slipped out of them as easily as though they were ordinary bracelets. How he accomplished the feat was a mystery, as was also his ability to open any handcuff without a key. He also showed them how to substitute a knife for a key in opening a handcuff, and then told them how the cuffs could be locked so that a knife could not be used to manipulate them.

To set aside all doubt the officers handcuffed him to a cell, both hands spread far apart. In two minutes he was free. He had the officers tie his legs and hands together. Detectives Toewe and Terry tied the knots, pulling them together with all their strength. In about a second he was out of the rope. Before he left Kruger gave the policemen some new ideas as to the use of handcuffs and told them how to put the cuffs on a prisoner so that he could hardly make an escape, having almost no use of his hands.

Kruger is traveling about the country talking his new signal system. He states that if it is installed the policemen on the beat will be able to get in touch with headquarters in two or three seconds. He says that the stations can be installed within a few yards of each other, so that if a policeman happened to see a burglar and wanted assistance he would be able to get it without losing sight of the criminals. Kruger declares that he is willing to forfeit a bond of $10,000 if his system is not as represented after it is installed.

Kruger has been on the stage considerably, working under the name of Hayco. He makes a specialty of stunts with handcuffs, ropes, locks and feats of strength. In the East he has acquired somewhat of a reputation in the squared ring as a prize fighter.

LOVE FOR UNSEEN BABY DRAWS HIM

Defaulting Bank Cashier Returns and Surrenders.

New York, Dec. 8. — A longing to hold in his arms his baby, which he never had seen, that brought Walter A. Hall, a defaulting bank teller, back to New York and prison. He surrendered himself yesterday, confessed a theft of $44,600 from the Herald Square branch of the Greenwich bank, and was remanded for sentence.

Hall, who is 24 years old, fled from New York last July and wandered about Canada, he said, betting on horse races. When he heard that the baby had arrived his longing to see the child made his exile miserable. He sent $500 to his wife, which she turned over to the bank. Later, he said, he sent her $1,000, but she told the police that she never received the money. When he could resist no longer the impulse to return to see his baby, he came back to New York. Hall surrendered $15,200, which he said was all he had left of the money he had taken.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT WANTS COUNCIL TO ACT.

Officials of the health department state that they have not yet seen any action from the council upon its request for an appropriation sufficient to erect a trestle adjacent to the railroad tracks from which teamsters can load with manure. One car has been filled, but as it was a box car, only one team could unload at a time, which consumed considerable time. Dr. Webster states that he has received several requests for cars of fertilizer from farmers, but says that without a trestle it will be practically impossible to comply with the requests.

HONOR ROLL OF STUDENTS.

List for Cathedral High School for Girls Is Announced.

The honor roll of the Cathedral high school for girls was announced yesterday. It is as follows: Mary Quinn, Winifred Corcoran, Charlotte Junker, Irene McCabe, Elizabeth Novác, Lila O'Rourke, Marjorie Genereau, Agnes Cruikshank, Elizabeth Monahan, Loretta McManus, Lucille McManus, Evelyn Dorsey, Martha Stone, Dorlores Ryan, Marcella Counihan, Alice Schriever, Alice Thomas, Belle Powers, Katherine Healy, Mary Monahan, Gertrude Lynch, Nathalie La Ferte, Baldina Belanger, Anna Fiebiger, Anna Lamb, Laura McAlinden, Mary Le Tourneau.

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Seventh grade—Bessie Haden, Gertrude Mackey, Estelle Altschul, Mary Benda, Mary Risatti, Agnes Murray, Millicent Destins, Marion McPhee, Mary Sullivan, Frances Green, Martha Green.

Sixth grade—Helen McGuire, Arline Higgins, Ruth Blackwood, Edna Smith, Florence Regan.

Fifth grade — Roderick Le Rocque, Chester Maher, James Ryan, Joseph O'Donnell, Anno Maloney, Anna Benda, Christine Hayes, Josephine Bielli, Margaret Poldan, Mary Ryan, Frances Stack.

Fourth grade — Blanche Spellman, Eleanor Smith, Florence Dugan, Leo Shannon.

Third grade—Joseph Hardy, Leo Conway, Frances Haley, Regina Erstener, Mildred Fix.

CARPENTER MAKING GOOD.

He Acts as His Own Lawyer While on Trial for Murder.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 8. — Austin Greaves, a carpenter, confessedly unskilled in the law, but who is conducting his own defense against the charge of first degree murder, examined his own wife on the witness stand in the circuit court here yesterday afternoon. She declared that Alfred Hunter, the slain man, had made threats against the life of her husband, in response to his leading question.

The defendant smiled complacently at his ability as counsel for himself to catch the prosecution napping, as the latter interposed his objection too late.

Greaves announced at adjournment that he would place his 14-year-old daughter on the stand to give further evidence that his life had been threatened by the deceased.

FORGOT HIS SPONGE.

Illinois Surgeon Is Defeated By Woman on Third Trial.

Bloomington, Ill., Dec. 8.—After three bitterly contested trials, Mrs. Carrie A. Smith of this city has been awarded a verdict of $1,500 against Dr. Ernest Mammen, for alleged malpractice. The plaintiff asserted that Dr. Mammen, who performed an operation upon her, left a surgical sponge in the abdominal cavity when the wound was closed after the operation. The presence of the sponge was not discovered until some weeks after the operation was performed. As a result of the alleged oversight, the woman declared she never fully recovered from the operation and that the injurious effects are permanent. The first jury gave the plaintiff $1,500, the second brought a verdict of $2,400. The case was then taken by the defendant to the apellate court and was reversed and remanded. The third trial brought a verdict for $1,500. An appeal was taken.

BANK TAX LIKE DOG TAX.

Argument Made in Oklahoma Case at Washington.

Washington, Dec. 8.—From the analogy of the tax on dogs to reimburse farmers for sheep killed by canines, the tax on banks to reimburse depositors in other banks was held constitutional in arguments before the supreme court of the United States.

The constitutionality of a tax to create a fund to guarantee deposits in banks arose in the attack on the Oklahoma bank guaranty law passed in December, 1907. This case was reached in its regular place on the docket of the supreme court.

C. B. Ames of Oklahoma first called the attention of the court to the dog cases. He said the attorney-general of Oklahoma referred to them in his brief as supporting the power sought to be exercised by the state. Mr. Ames said the only dog case that he knew about, which passed on the use to which the money was put, was a New York case. In that, he said, it had been held that the use of the dog tax money by the humane society was for a private use and therefore improper.

Banking Not Franchise.

Mr. Ames also argued that banking, not including the issue of notes as legal tender, was not a franchise, and hence the banks, which did not issue legal tender, could not be subjected to a franchise tax, as the bank guaranty tax might be called.

Attorney-General West, in defense of the law, argued that the case presented a mooted question because the original suit was to enjoin the state banking board from levying the tax, and since the suit had been begun, the legislature had changed the law so as to take the power to levy the tax away from the board. He said the power was now in the legislature alone.

RECALL WINS EASILY.

Measure Is Not Dropped From Arizona Constitution.

Phoenix, Ariz., Dec. 8.—The "conservatives" made a supreme effort to eliminate the recall from the Arizona constitution yesterday, but failed. The early session was marked by an attack on United States Seantor Bailey. Delegate Webb of Graham county had received a telegram from Senator Bailey saying, in reply to a question concerning the initiative and referendum and recall, that it would be inadvisable to write anything "debatable" into the constitution, as it might "provoke the opposition of the president and invite the disapproval of congress."

Delegate Parsons of Cochise county then asserted that if the country had been raked there could not have been found a more appropriate person from whom to obtain the desired information. Senator Bailey, he declared, was not in reality a Democrat.

The recall was adopted on a vote 38 to 9, one Democrat against it.

DRIVERS SAY THEY WON THEIR STRIKE.

Chicago, Dec. 8.—The strike of drivers in the big retail stores, which threatened to prevent Christmas deliveries, is ended. A compromise has been reached which the strikers say is a victory for them. The men were promised a bonus of $15 each, to be paid them on Christmas day, two weeks' vacation each summer, and an arbitration of wage scale to be undertaken Jan. 1, 1911. The strike was declared three days ago and over 500 men went out.

DROWNS HIMSELF IN POT OF BOILING METAL.

Barnesville, Ohio, Dec. 8.—In plain sight of fifty fellow workmen, Charles Kendall, a moulder, leaped into a cupola full of white hot metal at a foundry here. The man's flesh was entirely consumed, and only the bones were recovered. Kendall had been separated from his wife for a number of years.

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Mrs. R.: To allay and soothe the irritation and roughness of your complexion caused by hard water, sun or winds apply a lotion made as follows: Dissolve four ounces of spurmax in a half-pint of hot water and add two teaspoonfuls of glycerine. Apply with the palm of the hand and gently rub until dry. Use this inexpensive and excellent face wash daily instead of powder or cosmetic. Spurmax preserves the skin and beautifies the complexion, making it soft, smooth and white.

M. S.: I do not think brunettes are afflicted with superfluous hairs on the face any more than are blondes. Of course, black or dark hairs are more noticeable. You can easily get rid of them if you will use delatone. Make a paste by mixing a little of the powder with a little water, cover the skin from which you wish to remove the disfiguring hairs, let remain two or three minutes, then wipe off the paste and wash the skin thoroughly with warm water. Delatone is pretty expensive. Druggists charge one dollar an ounce, but it is worth it. If the hairs should return they will be thin and almost colorless and another application of delatone will permanently rid you of them.

W. J. G.: Especially at this season of the year you should be feeling energetic, full of life and have a good appetite. Even though you do not feel really sick, you should take a good tonic to rid your blood of its impurities and build up your health and strength generally. Get an ounce of kardene from any drug store and dissolve it with half a cup of sugar in a half pint of alcohol; then add enough hot water to make a full quart. This is a splendid remedy for that run-down, tired, indifferent feeling you speak of. Take a tablespoonful before each meal and in a short time it will restore your appetite and free your skin from those pimples and liver blotches which now annoy you.

Lucy M.: You have made a great mistake in neglecting your hair so long. But it is not too late to restore it to its former beauty, even if it is "falling, scurfy and weak hair," as you call it. Regular use of a good quinine hair tonic will accomplish wonders. To make this tonic, get one ounce of quinzoin from your druggist, dissolve it in one-half pint of alcohol and add one-half pint of water. Rub this tonic into the scalp and hair roots two or three times a week, and it will restore your scalp to a healthy condition, feed the hair follicles, giving your hair new life and causing it to grow in thick, long and glossy. Your sister will find this same quinzoin tonic the right and true remedy for her fading, dull and brittle hair. It will stop the splitting and breaking in one or two applications, but she should continue its use for several weeks and resume the treatment whenever her hair requires it. Read answer to Hermione.

Hermione: You must get the dandruff off your head. Dandruff is a hair destroyer; it chokes the hair, kills it and causes it to fall out. Don't use soap for shampooing; soap leaves the scalp dry and hard, and streaks the hair. I know of only one perfect shampoo, and that is canthrox. All first-class druggists sell it. Just dissolve a teaspoonful of canthrox in a cup of hot water; pour on the head a little at a time and rub well—precisely as you would with any other shampoo; then rinse the hair and scalp thoroughly with clean warm water. Canthrox removes dandruff, and relieves itching scalp. It dries quickly and makes the hair soft, bright and fluffy. For a hair tonic, use quinzoin—described in the preceding paragraph.

A. B. R.: It has been indeed a trying season for even the strongest eyes, and you are only one of thousands who are suffering from sore, red and inflamed eyes. To relieve the irritation, redness and granulated lids, get an ounce of crystos from your druggist, dissolve it in a pint of water, and drop one or two drops in each eye whenever the eyes feel tired, weak or sore. The use of this home-made eye tonic gives brilliance and expression to the eyes, keeping them clear and bright. It is a favorite toilet adjunct with actresses and society women.

"Betty:" I don't know who said "Any fool can catch a husband, but it takes a wise woman to keep one"—but it comes pretty near to being true. For the sake of your present and future happiness, don't neglect your complexion—don't let your skin become sallow, dark, coarse or rough; don't let it wrinkle or sag. Use this home-made cream-jelly for massaging and as a face cream: Get from your druggist one ounce of almozoin, dissolve it in a half pint of cold water, add two teaspoonfuls of glycerine, stir well and let stand over night. This is "the cream without grease"—it won't cause hair to grow. Gently massage your face and neck and you will find it acts on the skin, seeking out the deepest layers, the deepest tissues, the deepest cells and there works like Nature works, thoroughly and surely, for skin health, purity, color and freshness. It not only restores a lost complexion but creates a new one.

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> *I planted; they have torn me, and I bleed.*
> *I should have known what fruit would spring*
> *from such a seed.*
> —*Byron.*

THE COMMISSION PLAN.

No. 21.—What it Did in Houston.

Yesterday The Herald showed what the commission form of city government did in Galveston, the first city to adopt it. There it brought about a new and almost miraculously improved city government, vastly increasing and bettering the service without increasing the tax rate.

One of the cities that soon followed the example of Galveston was Houston. Houston had had no great disaster, but like every other American city, it needed better government, and in the commission plan it found a means of getting it. Here are the results:

The commission retired city indebtedness of $400,000.

The practice of issuing bonds to cover annual deficits was discontinued; there were no deficits to cover because the expenditures were kept rigidly within the city's income.

Current city obligations were promptly met; warrants, previously discounted down to 75 and 80, went immediately to par.

The city's credit was completely restored following a period when bondholders had been threatening to sue on account of defaults.

Waterworks were bought for $901,000, with popular approval showing confidence in the new administration. The purchase was approved in 1906 by a three-to-one vote, whereas it had been rejected in 1903, before the commission plan was adopted.

The water service and fire protection were greatly improved.

The street railways were compelled to bear their share of taxes and improve their service.

Three schoolhouses were built at a cost of $106,000. A 15-acre park was bought for $55,000—cash. Dangerous old bridges across a bayou in the heart of the city, which the old government had refused to replace except with a bond issue, were replaced with new bridges built out of current revenue. Twelve other bridges were put in repair.

The city supplies were bought at reductions of 15 to 25 per cent by the use of business methods.

Good vitrified brick paving was substituted for inferior work.

A shipload of brick was imported from New York and a local brick combination was destroyed.

The cost of city lighting was reduced from $80 to $70 per arc light per year.

Graft, sinecurism, favoritism and incompetency, which permeated every department of the old government, were done away with.

Police and sanitary regulations were strictly enforced, and the fostering of vice was discontinued.

Quarreling and dissensions disappeared; harmony was restored both in the city government and among citizens.

Business methods were adopted in all departments. Council sessions became short, business-like and devoid of speech-making and partisan politics. The confidence of the citizens in the integrity of the city government was completely restored.

Finally, though the results secured were very much larger than before, the tax rate was reduced from $2 to $1.80 per $100.

It was simply because business methods were applied to the conduct of public affairs.

AS TO BALLINGER.

Richard Achilles Ballinger, somewhat loudly say the dispatches from Washington, has been exonerated.

It was time somebody exonerated him. He requires a lot of exoneration, and if there is any more in store anywhere it might as well be added to that provided by the Nelson section of the investigating committee. He needs all he can get.

According to Messrs. Nelson, Flint, Sutherland, Root, McCall, Olmsted and Denby, Republicans, the charges against Ballinger have fallen to the ground, and he is "a competent and honorable gentleman, honestly and faithfully performing the duties of his high office with an eye to the public interest." It follows, of course, that since Mr. Ballinger is such an exemplary citizen and public official, Pinchot and Glavis, who made the charges against him, are not all they ought to be—at which conclusion the committee hints darkly.

But these glorifiers of Ballinger are but seven—all Republicans and all appointed to this committee for the express purpose of doing exactly what they have done. There are five more members of the committee—Messrs. Fletcher, Purcell, James and Graham, Democrats, and Mr. Madison, progressive Republican. These gentlemen evidently were not informed of the purpose for which this committee was framed, and they were innocent enough—or ignorant enough—to go into the matter with the sole purpose of ascertaining the facts. So their report, published last summer after Chairman Nelson had jockeyed the committee hearing to prevent a quorum, sustains the Pinchot-Glavis charges and declares that Ballinger has not acted in the interests of the people.

Politics might be suspected of the seven Republicans who sign the Ballinger whitewash. Politics might be suspected of the four Democrats who arraign him for unfaithfulness. Politics can hardly be charged against Representative Madison, who is a Republican but did not let his Republicanism blind him to his public duty—and Madison agrees with the minority.

If the majority report provides Mr. Ballinger with an easy way of resigning his office, making it available for somebody who will work solely in the interests of the people, it will be well worth while.

THE CENSUS AND REAPPORTIONMENT.

There seems hardly any need of further argument as to the need of a reapportionment of legislative representation in Minnesota. It has been needed for a dozen years, and up to this moment nobody has arisen to deny the need.

Nevertheless, the opportunity offered by the publication of the Minnesota figures from the new federal census should not be passed by, because it furnishes too many strong reasons why any postponement of reapportionment would be an act of perfidy and injustice that would brand the state of Minnesota with the shame of tyranny.

Minnesota has 63 senators and 120 representatives. According to the new census it has 2,075,708 people, an increase of 324,314.

These figures mean that throughout Minnesota there is a state senator for each 32,947 people, and a representative for each 17,297 people.

Though in the state at large 32,947 people are represented by a senator, in Northern Minnesota, the thirty-two counties included in the Northern Minnesota Development association with two additional counties lying in legislative districts of Northern Minnesota but not themselves counted part of Northern Minnesota, it takes 51,688 people to elect a state senator and 22,398 people to elect a house member. In the balance of the state—including the Twin Cities, which are also under-represented—it only takes 28,075 people to elect a state senator and only 15,597 to elect a representative.

Here is a contrast that still further accents the existing injustice: The Fifty-second legislative district, with one senator and two representatives, includes the counties of Aitkin, Cass, Carlton, Itasca and Koochiching, with 63,189 people. These people—63,189 of them, are represented in the state senate by one man.

Now look at the population of a handful of senatorial districts elsewhere in the state, each represented by a senator: Houston, 14,297; Faribault, 19,949; Dodge, 12,094; Steele, 16,146; Waseca, 13,466; Martin, 17,518; Le Sueur, 18,609.

Twelve thousand people in Dodge county have one senator. More than five times that many people in the Fifty-second senatorial district also have one senator.

This state should not rest under the injustice of such a condition a moment longer than is necessary.

Reapportionment should be the first order of business before the session of the legislature which is about to begin.

A fair reapportionment bill, based on population as the Constitution requires, should be prepared in advance of the session, should be introduced in the house on the opening day, should be reported out of committee promptly, should be made a special order for an early day, and passed over to the senate. There a similar course should be followed.

If this is not done, and the legislature adjourns without passing a fair reapportionment bill, Governor Eberhart should make good his implied promise at Brainerd, and call the legislature together immediately in extraordinary session for the exclusive purpose of passing a reapportionment bill.

CHRISTMAS VANDALISM.

It is beautiful to gather the family 'round a brilliantly decorated Christmas tree, but it isn't beautiful to do it if the Christmas tree was stolen from the few remaining groups of evergreens that represent the vanishing glory of the woodland wild that once stood where Duluth now stands.

If there is any way of stopping further inroads upon the scant supply of evergreens left within the limits of the city of Duluth, therefore, steps should be taken to stop them.

In past years private property, and even city parks, have been raided by dealers in Christmas trees, and the indications are that the same thing is happening this year. There are plenty of evergreens further out, without taking the few that remain in Duluth, and nobody with a trace of public spirit will take for a day's use one of the handful of spruce, balsam or fir trees left standing in the city. There is little chance that more will grow, and these trees add so much to the beauty of the city that they cannot be spared.

The parks should be guarded carefully against vandalism of this kind. Owners of property on which evergreens are standing will do well to keep watch. Those who buy Christmas trees should be careful to find out where they come from, and to buy none that are procured at the expense of the city's scenic beauty.

THE WHEELAGE TAX.

According to a local story in The Herald last night, not more than a fifth of the amounts due in taxes under the wheelage tax ordinance have been paid, though the ordinance has been in effect several months and has been so widely advertised that every owner of a vehicle must know that he owes something to the city.

Therefore Mayor Cullum has issued orders to the police department to arrest those who have not paid their tax, and this action is timely. Similar action has been threatened before, without much result. Action, not threats, seems to be what the situation calls for now.

This tax is not burdensome. Neither is it unjust. It merely requires users of pavements to contribute in a small way toward repairing the wear caused by their use of the streets. The money is to be used only for street maintenance, and it will permit a consistent maintenance of pavements that will prolong their lives greatly, thus saving large sums to the property-owners and the city. It is a fair tax, and it ought to be paid promptly and without the necessity for making arrests.

PROTECTING THE FORESTS.

What would be thought of a business man, owning a large amount of valuable property, who not only left it exposed to fire, but practically invited fire through his negligence, when he carried no insurance?

That is exactly what the state of Minnesota is doing with its timber holdings; and it is doing worse than that: it is maintaining a constant menace from fire all around the clearings in which it invited settlers to make their homes.

The resolutions on this subject adopted by the lake states fire conference yesterday are to the point. They favor the establishment of state fire patrols, the opening of adequate fire lanes, the building of roads and trails, the construction of telephone lines through the forests, and the adequate regulation of railroads, lumbering operations and individuals whose carelessness menaces the forests.

THE OPEN COURT.

(Readers of The Herald are invited to make free use of this column to express their ideas about the topics of general interest. Letters should not exceed 300 words—the shorter the better. They must be written on one side of the paper only, and they must be accompanied in every case by the name and address of the writer, though these need not be published. A signed letter is always more effective, however.)

WORK FOR STATE DAIRY AND FOOD INSPECTOR.

To the Editor of The Herald:

I would suggest that the agent of the state dairy and food department in Duluth make an investigation of the quality, I should say, of eggs put up in fancy packages and sold as special stock. My experience has been that a number of such brands of eggs are nothing but the most ancient of ancient storage eggs that could not be sold for anything as storage eggs. They bring 35 and 36 cents a dozen when put in colored cartons, marked with a brand and advertised as finest quality.

I refer to some particular brands. People who have purchased them will know those to which I refer. If the state dairy and food inspector takes a hand, other people would not be taken in by the fancy packages containing long-stored stock. R. H. G.

Duluth, Dec. 7.

TREES ON PRIVATE PROPERTY ARE BEING DESTROYED.

To the Editor of The Herald:

Boys, large and small, armed with axes have begun their annual slaughter of the fir trees on the hills. These trees are taken into the city and sold at so much each and they serve to hang Christmas presents on in many of our city homes. Now, much of the land on which these trees grow is private property. The owners cannot be present to watch their land and the result is that year after year the trees on the hills behind the city become fewer. I live close to one place where the boys, and in some instances men, have been hacking away for some days. We who live on the hill want the trees left as they are. With the building and the growth of the city, they will disappear soon enough. Through the open court column I wish to call the owners' attention to these facts that signs may be posted warning people against cutting the trees. By going out in almost any direction from the city a few miles, larger and better trees may be had, and as these people are in it purely for the money, they should be careful in the matter of cutting trees that are on private property. I wish property owners to take notice that their property is being ruined. This communication to the paper is simply made so that they can post signs if they so desire.

A. WOMAN.

Duluth, Dec. 7.

UPHOLDS POLICY OF LIMITING OUTPUT.

To the Editor of The Herald:

I read your editorial, "An Unwise Policy," last night. Excuse me if I cannot see it your way. There are many fundamental reasons, on the basis of which I protest. Among these reasons are:

That war is war, even among classes, and that in war ordinary reason and morality have no place.

That efficiency and output have nothing to do whatever with a working man's earnings at present, except as creating dividends on watered stocks, if he holds any, which he does not. It is the first fundamental law of Wall Street and "business," that workers, inventors and scientists shall be squelched.

That all benefits arising from science, invention and discovery together with increased individual output of workers shall go to stock and bondholders.

That under present conditions, all improvements, commercial and scientific, only serve to further enslave the multitude, via the stock, bond and dividend route.

That when industry is automatically robbed by the dividend system, it is just as well to be lazy and poor as to be industrious and efficient.

You know it to be a fact that the fatter a hog is the sooner it will be killed. Which is some reason why the unions want to be lean. Yours at variance. PONTIFEX.

Duluth, Dec. 8.

Pa's Failing Faculties.

Pa paid six dollars for a hat; ma thinks he's lost his mind;
It's lined with silk and one of those brown, softish, wooly kind;
He brought it home the other night and kept it on a while;
Before she found out what it cost, ma kind of liked its style,
But when Pa told her what he paid she sank down in a chair,
And said: "Pa, every day you get more foolish, I declare!

"I shouldn't think," she said, "that you would waste your cash like that!
Nobody but a fool would pay six dollars for a hat!
The children need new overcoats; their shoes are shabby, too;
Sometimes you make it hard for me to keep respectin' you;
Think of the many years I try to save day after day;
And here you go and waste the cash in such a foolish way!

"If we had millions, I should be the last one to complain,
But here we live from hand to mouth—it's just a constant strain!
I must deny myself the things I often wish I had,
And then you buy a hat like that—it simply is too bad!
Six dollars merely thrown away! It fills me with the blues—
Six dollars for a hat! Enough to buy two pair of shoes!"

Pa sat and listened for a while as though he felt ashamed,
And pretty soon he says: "Well, I'll take it back, but say,
How much did that one cost that you brought home the other day?"
Ma left the room and we could see a tear roll down her cheek;
She's worried over pa and thinks his mind is gettin' weak.
—Chicago Record Herald.

The Fable of the Golden Plough.

Clifton B. Dowd in Lippincott's: There was once a Benevolent Fairy who was accustomed to doing Good Deeds in Whimsical Ways. One day she was flying across the country to attend a meeting of the A. O. B. F., when she noticed a Farmer laboring in the Fields. His horse was Attenuated and Decrepit, and his plough was Heavy and Old-Fashioned. Often he would pause and wipe the sweat from his brow. Plainly he was having a Hard Time.

The Benevolent Fairy watched him a moment and observed his Haggard Look and his general air of Misery. Suddenly an Idea came to her—to make this man Rich, so that he would no longer have to delve and struggle to eke out a Bare Living. So she swooped down and touched the plough with her wand—she was of course invisible—and instantly it was changed to Solid Gold. Then, with an amused but kindly backward glance, the Benevolent Fairy went on her way.

A year later, remembering the occurrence, she flew over to see how the Farmer was enjoying his Good Fortune. She found him in the Fields, ploughing laboriously, and, if anything, he and his surroundings looked Meaner and More Miserable than they had before. Much surprised, the Fairy flew closer, just in time to hear him murmur:

"I wish this ding-busted plough warn't so heavy!"

The Benevolent Fairy eyed him Pityingly—then she once more touched the plough with her wand, and it again became a thing of wood and iron. Then she flew away, and the Farmer resumed his Toil.

After all, are there not some folk who would die of thirst adrift on a river?

The Pride of Atchison.

Atchison Globe: Atchison people point with pride to Ed Melloy; he got drunk in the City of Mexico once and whipped twenty-eight policemen.

DULUTH AT BRAINERD.

Elmer E. Adams, in the Fergus Falls Journal: As might be expected, Mr. G. G. Hartley of Duluth, was one of the most prominent backers in every way of the development association. For thirty years he has been exploiting Northern Minnesota and has never wavered in his faith, although there have been periods of depression. Years ago when all of Northern Minnesota was in one political division, Mr. Hartley was better known in this end of it, than he is now, but all the old timers who had to do with business or politics still remember him, for his personality is such that when once he is known, he is never forgotten. If Mr. Hartley had been born in Italy instead of Maine he would have been an artist; if he had settled in the Lake region of Scotland instead of Crow Wing county, he would have been a poet; if he lived anywhere else but Duluth he would be a statesman; if he had been born poor intead of rich he would have been a spendthrift, but as it is, he is simply a plain farmer and spends the most of his time in talking agriculture and the agricultural possibilities of Northern Minnesota. Like our pioneer farmer, Jacob Austin, he does not raise wheat because the elevators and railroads would rob him, but he raises more expensive potatoes and produces costlier butter than any man in Minnesota outside of St. Louis county. He is a regular agricultural wizard, not of the Burbank type, who creates new forms, but more on the order of the Indian magicians, who make things grow under impossible conditions and in unexpected places. We know this because we have seen it. In the radiance of his optimism unexcelled vegetables will grow in the pure white sand of Northern Minnesota without water or fertilization. He was at Brainerd helping pay the expenses of the meeting and talking agriculture sixteen hours a day. It seemed good to have him there for when he is on deck no man from Southern Minnesota will come around and offer to cede Northern Minnesota to Canada, reserving half the mineral rights and all the ice privileges.

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Mr. Chester A. Congdon was another Duluth agriculturalist who attended the Brainerd meeting. He is more strictly speaking, a pomologist, for he gets his living raising apples. He talks fruit in Duluth but he raises his apples in the Yakima valley. He used to practice law but now that his orchard is beinning to bear he is gradually giving up his law practice and depending more and more upon his apples as a source of income. When the crop is good he is able to devote some time to politics and as a member of the outgoing and incoming legislature he was qualified to sit and participate in the Northern Minnesota Development meeting. Mr. Congdon was quite active in political affairs in the state while a young man and it was during the time he was assistant United States district attorney that he carried a case to the United States supreme court and it was decided that agents of the Indian department had the right to do what they are doing now, spilling spiritous liquors onto the ground when found in the Indian territory. Mr. Congdon has not participated publicly in the political affairs of the state for some time as he has been engaged in his law practice, but two years ago he was sent to the legislature from Duluth to reason with the members of the legislature and attempt to show them and the people of the state why they should not passs a tonnage tax. He knows every phase of the mining business and as the strongest lawyer and the strongest man intellectually in the house, he was able to present Duluth's side of the case as no other man could and while he was not able to prevent the passage of the bill he greatly changed the view of the state in regard to the matter. In his desire to do nothing as a member which would create hostility to the Duluth view of the tonnage tax proposition he did not take the part nor render the state the service which he might have done, with his experience and ability, in shaping the general legislation of the session. He has a strong leaning to the insurgent view of matters, so much so that one of the Hennepin delegation remarked that it was a good thing that they had the tonnage tax hanging over Congdon or he would have been the worst anarchist in the house.

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Duluth was very strongly represented at the Brainerd meeting and appeared to be the dominant factor in it. The Duluth influence is gradually extending over Northern Minnesota and particularly that portion lying north of the Northern Pacific road. The extending of the mining zone, originally confined to St. Louis county and now including Itasca, Aitkins, Carlton, and last of all Crow Wing, for proved ore has been discovered four miles from Brainerd, has put all these localities in closer touch with Duluth. Their interests are common and in many instances controlled from Duluth. Many of the men, influential in the mining operations, were at the convention. Duluth feels or affects to feel that the hand of the rest of the state is turned against it. This feeling was voiced years ago when one of its state senators proposed to secede because he was unable to secure what he thought his section ought to have. It is of course true that Duluth and the corner of the state tributary to it, is isolated and cut off in a certain sense from the rest of the state and its interests are different from the rest of the state, especially mining and shipping. These two great interests are controlled outside the state while almost every other interest in the state is controlled within the state. It is perhaps unfortunate for Duluth that when anything affecting these interests is to be done, the orders have to come from Pittsburg or New York. But Duluth is extending its influence over the state and when Northern Minnesota is developed Duluth will get the main benefit from it and can therefore afford to lend a helping hand in carrying on the work. This it seems more than willing to do and the next meeting of the Northern Minnesota Development association will be held there.

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It is really too bad that the mining men of the state should feel just this way just because the state wanted to put a tonnage tax on the ore shipped away. They appear to be human beings with red blood corpuscles in their veins, sober and industrious, and it is too bad that, when they want to go some where, they feel that they must go to Hurley, Wis., or Pittsburg, Pa. It would unquestionably do them some good to come out onto the prairie people some time just as it would do the prairie people good to visit Duluth and the Northwest corner of the state and see the wonderful development which has been made there in the past ten or fifteen years.

Pointed Paragraphs.

Chicago News: The man in the honeymoon isn't a myth.

Talk may be cheap, but gossip soon gains currency.

Some men make more money by failing than others by being successful.

But few people are able to recognize bear meat after it has been dressed.

It is better to remain ignorant than to acquire certain brands of knowledge.

Seeing isn't always believing. It often depends upon what newspaper you see it in.

You can't scare children into being good by telling them that the good die young.

Don't you feel sorry for a man who hasn't sense enough to make a fool of himself occasionally?

The boy who is born with a silver spoon in his mouth may live to patronize the free-lunch counter.

Patriots bleed for the benefit of their country, but politicians occasionally bleed the country for their own benefit.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

New York Press: Any man will go home if every other place is closed.

The good don't really die young, because they never are born.

From lying to his wife a man learns to lie to the whole world.

The first time a man does wrong it frightens him; after that his family and friends.

The saddest joke is when somebody else read it ahead of you and spread it around among all your friends before you had a chance.

DULUTH AND THE HERALD.

Just a Half Suspicion.

Houghton Mining Gazette: We sort of half suspect that The Duluth Herald is getting the town of Duluth framed up for the commission plan of government.

Good Commission Material.

Eveleth Star: Down in Duluth the News Tribune and The Herald are agitating the question of a commission form of government for that city. Maybe it would be a good thing, maybe not. There are enough good men in that community to make an ideal commission—if they could be induced to serve.

It's Not That Kind.

Virginia Virginian: "The Odeum" is the name lately applied to a Duluth theater. This would not be an inappropriate title to some of the houses patronized by those odious burlesque performances in some of our larger cities.

Making It Strong But Safe.

Winona Independent: The Duluth Herald intimates that the advertising of Minnesota's products by the Northern Pacific road is, in language not smooth but very expressive, rotten.

Kind to the Locomotives.

Ely Miner: The Duluth Herald is keeping up a humanitarian campaign to ease the strain on the poor horses who are overloaded on Duluth grades. The life of a horse in Duluth is certainly not all sunshine. Every avenue in the Zenith City leads straight up, and horses without a load have about all they can do to travel the avenues. We would suggest that an extra team be stationed on the avenues to help up overloads. This would not cost much, and surely would be a source of much gratification to the horse as well as the teamster. The railroads use extra engines up the hills, and why not give the horse as much consideration as an engine.

Papers and Commission Form.

Hill City News: Duluth has two of the best daily papers published west of Chicago, The Herald and the News Tribune. The News Tribune is a Republican party paper, while The Herald is independent, which means that it lines up on the Democraaic side of the fence. During a political campaign these two papers are implacable enemies, but aside from that, their only contention is to see which one can get in the most boosts for Northern Minnesota. If either one advances a good doctrine the other takes it up and works for it. Just now they are advocating a change to the commission form of government for Duluth, and they will win it, too. It will probably take some time, as the people have to be educated to it before any great change can be brought about. The task of bringing the general public to realize the advantages to be gained by the change belongs exclusively to the newspapers, and with the two strong papers working harmoniously for it, the commission government is bound to come for Duluth.

Duluth Has the Future.

Ely Miner: Duluth has increased 48 per cent in population in the last ten years and the St. Paul Pioneer Press aptly says that "the Zenith City is not only the Head of the Lakes, but is making rapid strides towards the Head of the List." Duluth has a future while some of the other cities have a past. The range towns have done their share towards making Duluth what she is and in the next ten years the Zenith City will do still better.

A Lincoln Story.

Washington Star: Berry Wall said at a dinner in New York:

"It pays to dress well. The most carelessly dressed man will notice and admire elegance in others. Even Lincoln—"

Berry Wall smiled.

"A man named Parsons, a very well dressed man, indeed," he said, "having been appointed minister to a South American republic, came to Washington to thank the president.

"His dress on this occasion was very elegant, and during the interview President Lincoln shot many a shrewd glance at it. The president, as usual, was humorous and abrupt, and Minister Parsons had a very pleasant time. When he rose to go, he said:

"'Good-by, Mr. President, and thank you again and again. I hope I'll see you again, though I've been told it's pretty hot down there, and the climate is likely to affect my health.'

"'Well, Mr. Parsons,' said Lincoln, putting out his hand, 'if you do die down there you'll leave a mighty good suit of clothes.'"

My Old Cob Pipe.

When the world goes wrong, as this old world will
At times, and the wheels of Fate
Don't turn around as I think they should,
And I'm sick of the greed and hate,
Then I hike to the chair on the old back porch,
Away from the din and throb,
And I take my ease and I soothe my mind
In a smoke from my friendly cob.

There's a time, you know, when a fellow likes
To sit and reflect on things
That are past and gone—to cogitate
On thoughts that a ripe age brings.
He likes to steal in a quiet way,
(I'm one of that kind of stripe)
And dream the dreams that he used to dream
In the smoke from an old cob pipe.

Then a toast to the "great god Nicotine,"
For he means good-by to care;
There is never a god in the wide, wide world
Gives rise to dreams so fair.
So sing your songs of the nectars sipped
By the gods of the olden type,
But I'll take my ease and my comfort in
A smoke from my old cob pipe.
—Chicago Tribune.

The Real Cause of High Wages.

Prof. F. W. Taussig, in the Atlantic: It is a familiar adage in the business world that an efficient man is cheap at high wages. Yet in its application to larger questions this adage is never thought of. In discussing the tariff and wages, people assume as a matter of course that the employer who pays high wages must therefore sell his goods at a higher price. The fact is that if the labor is well-fed and intelligent, and is applied under good natural conditions and with skillful leadership, the employer can turn out an abundant product (or a product of high quality), sell it cheap, and still pay his laborers well. And the real source and cause of general high wages, says the economist, is precisely in these conditions: efficient labor, good natural resources, skillful industrial leadership. Given these, and you will always have higher wages, and need not fear competition from cheap and inefficient labor.

Not the Lathery Kind.

Philadelphia Times: A New Jersey farmer came to the city the other day and, among other things, he visited a high-class restaurant. His appetite ran to cheese and, inquiring of the waiter what sort of cheese was listed, remarked that he desired "something new."

"Why don't you try a bit of roquefort?" sugested the waiter.

"What's that?" asked the farmer. "Hang it," he added, "bring me some. I like the name anyway."

He ate of it and liked it. So he thought he would take some home to his wife. Arriving late, he laid the small cheese wrapped in silver paper on the sideboard.

He forgot to inquire about it till the next night and then he asked his wife how she liked it.

"Oh, I s'pose it's mighty stylish up to the city, but I jes kinder couldn't use it. I couldn't get the foam out of it, and when I washed the children they smelled kinder funny, and I can't say's I like it."

By Contraries.

Chicago Record-Herald: Things go by contraries in this world. People who have nothing to say are always talking.

A MOMENT WITH THE WITS.

Stray Stories: Mrs. Bridgewhist—What is the subject of Mrs. Suffragette's lecture this afternoon?

Mrs. Clubwoman—The disasters of married life.

Mrs. Bridgewhist—I suppose she will have her husband on the platform as an exhibit?

Chicago Post: "But," we say to our friend, after the transaction has been completed and we are leaving the automobile store, "why in the world did you buy two autos?"

"To get ahead of the repair men," he answers. "I can get parts from one of them to repair the other."

Washington Star: "It seems cruel to slaughter all those pigs for market," said the Chicago girl.

"I don't know that it's cruel," replied Miss Cayenne. "But when you think of what the packers charge for the meat, it does seem a little unfraternal."

Fliegende Blatter: "But, Cousin Bertha, how did you make the acquaintance of your second husband?"

"It was quite romantic. I was out walking with my first when my second came along in an automobile and ran him down. That was the beginning of our friendship."

Houston Post: "She was very complimentary to me last night."

"In what way?"

"She called me a human comet."

"And you consider that a compliment?"

"Sure! means I'm a hustler."

"Not exactly; she told me yesterday that she had just learned that a comet is composed of millions of feet of gas."

New York Sun: Noah rejoiced to see the water outside. "I was afraid they were going to conserve it," he cried. Gladly he saw Ararat appear.

Cleveland Leader: "I can't see why men like to get up early and go fishing," said Mrs. Malaprop. "Now, my husband is a regular anglomaniac. I mean, he's a debauchee to the episcatory art. Fish? Why he's an apostle of old Isaac Newton himself!"

Judge: Mrs. Simmons glanced at the scare headline, "Bank Robbed! Police at Sea!" and laid down the sheet.

"Naow, look at that, Ez!" she ejaculated, repeating the headline aloud. "Here's a big city bank broke into by burglars, and th' city police force all off fishin' somewhere! What a scandal!"

Not the Medicine.

Washington Star: Upton Sinclair, apropos of the recent church congress' discussion of Christian healing, said:

"Pierpont Morgan, I see, is against any adoption of such doctrines by the church. Well, Mr. Morgan is undoubtedly right. At the same time, what good do drugs accomplish?

"A very lean man once called on a doctor.

"'Doctor,' he said 'I want to get fat. I look like a living skeleton.'

"The doctor filled a bottle from a demijohn, handed it to the lean man and said:

"'This will fix you up. Take a teaspoonful after every meal. At the same time eat lots of soup, red meat, starchy vegetables, cereals and sweets, and take no violent exercise. Five dollars.'

"An hour later a very fat man entered the doctor's office.

"'Doctor,' he said, 'I want to be reduced.'

"'This will fix you up,' said the doctor, filling another bottle from the same demijohn. 'Take a teaspoonful after every meal. At the same time eat no soup, red meat, starchy vegetables, cereals or sweets, and take lots of violent exercise. Five dollars.'"

Mistaken.

Life: Title: The Melancholy Epic of a Young Gentleman Who Got What He went for, and Found It was Not Exactly What He Wanted.

Text:

He ran for the train, and he got it,
For he'd once been a champion sprinter.
Then he gasped, "Is this my train? What? Not it?
"Oh——" (Sprinkle some asterisks, printer).

Making a Hit.

Circle Magazine: At a small stag dinner the only young and entirely unnoteworthy person present sat throughout the meal communing with his own bashful soul, afraid lest by speaking he betray his sophistication. Dessert being served, he felt he must have some of the candied fruit at the other end of the table. Clearing his voice, he fixed the nearest waiter with a glittering eye, and, amid a sudden total silence, peremptorily called out at the top of his voice, "Pigs, fleas!"

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ON THE IRON RANGES

SOCIALISTS WILL INVITE QUERIES

Non-Believers Asked to Question Speakers at Virginia Meeting.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—Next Saturday evening, Dec. 10, the joint Socialist locals will hold a mass meeting at the Socialist hall at which Ralph Krongold, one of the most forceful speakers, will speak and fully explain the Socialist doctrines.

Mr. Krongold has instructed the joint committees of all the Socialist locals to invite all clergymen, professional and business men to come and ask questions of the speakers. By so doing the Socialists of Virginia are establishing a precedent which will be carried out in the future at all political meetings held in the city. As the Socialists will invite everybody to ask questions, they in turn will ask the right to go to all other political meetings and ask questions. The Socialists hope to gain control of Virginia at the next city election and intend to keep up a steady campaigning until that time.

A special invitation is extended to all workingmen and women to attend the meeting on Saturday, to hear Mr. Krongold answer the questions put to him by the local politicians. There will be a concert by the Virginia Socialist band at the opening of the meeting and everything will be free and every one is invited.

VIRGINIA OWES VERY LARGE SUM

Numerous City Improvements During Year Have Caused Big Deficit.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to the Herald.)—The report submitted by City Clerk A. E. Bickford for the month of November shows that the actual indebtedness of the city is approximately $184,146.24. On April 1 last, the beginning of the fiscal year, the city did not owe a cent but had several thousand dollars to the good. The large deficit is due to the fact that the city has done a great deal of street improvements during the past year, paving some nineteen blocks, put in several miles of both sanitary and storm sewers, and making many other needed improvements. These figures show the financial standing of the city on Dec. 1: clerk's overdraft on Nov. 1, $65,353.03; receipts for the month, $27,392.52; total overdraft Dec. 1, $37,960.51; orders issued during month, $44,016.82; clerk's overdraft Dec. 1, $81,977.33; outstanding orders, Dec. 1 $108,105.11; treasurer's balance Dec. 1, $26,127.78. A large overdraft is noted from the different funds: General fund balance Dec. 1, $18,597.06; sewer fund balance, $608.61; park fund balance, $1,660.11; police-fire fund overdraft, $2,180.63; library fund balance, $1,369.26; interest fund overdraft, $1,634.39; permanent fund overdraft, $100,397.35; balance in all funds, $22,235.04; making a total overdraft of $81,977.33.

Total outstanding orders Dec. 1, $108,105.11; improvement warrants outstanding, $39,647.03, add overdraft, $81,977.33, making a total of $229,729.47 indebtedness; deduct assessment asset of $45,583.23, and the approximate indebtedness of the city of Virginia up to Dec. 1, was $184,146.24.

FATALLY SHOT BY COMPANION

Joseph Franze, Sliver Mine Miner, Accidentally Shot While Hunting.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—Joe Franze, an Italian miner employed at the Silver mine, north of this city, while out hunting rabbits with a party of friends yesterday afternoon, was accidentally shot by one of his companions and died while on the way to the hospital. Franze was walking in front of Leonard Curry, when the latter's gun was discharged, the charge of shot taking effect in Franze's back near the spine. With him were his brother, Rock Franze, Tony Youko, Dominick Mentelena and Leonard Curry. Chief of Police Walsh received word that there was trouble and some one had been shot and went to the scene of the fatality, but upon investigating was convinced that the shooting was purely accidental and made no arrests.

Franze was about 30 years of age and has a wife and one child living in the Old Country.

HARTLEY MINER KILLED IN MINE

Struck By Piece of Frozen Earth That Had Jarred Loose.

Chisholm, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—A large piece of frozen earth that had jarred loose, about 3 p. m. yesterday, in the Hartley open-pit mine, came down with a crash from its position eighty feet above, where some miners were working, and killed Victor Lokson, aged 35, having a wife and three children. His fellow-workmen had narrow escapes. The mass of earth, hard as a rock, struck Lokson on his head and crushed his skull.

JUDGES TO PLAN FOR LOBBYING

Range Municipal Judges Will Send Committee to State Legislature.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—Judge Vivian Prince, president of the Range Association of Municipal Judges, is making preparations for the meeting of that association here next Wednesday.

The principal matters to be considered will be the securing of a range juvenile court, raising of the jurisdiction of the state municipal courts from $500 to $1,000, and methods of court precdure. The meeting will also decide upon the advisability of all the members appearing before the judiciary committee of the state legislature to secure action on the bill for the raising of the state municipal courts' jurisdiction.

BLINDPIG IN HOME.

Virginia People Fined for Illicit Sale of Liquor.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—Five more alleged blindpiggers were arrested yesterday and arraigned before Judge Carey. Mrs. Annie Kimpotch and John Doe each paid a fine of $50 and costs, Mrs. Aluni put up a bond of $100, and John Starovich and Nick Novucher were committed to jail. All were charged with operating blindpigs at their homes in the Second ward.

John Makovich paid a fine of $25 and $2.50 costs for assaulting Officer John Chopp, who had arrested him for disorderly conduct.

ALDERMAN CUTTING ICE.

Member of Virginia Council in Business on Big Scale.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Messaba Range Ice company recently organized by Alderman Frank Weber, has begun cutting on Haenke lake, some distance from Wolfe Junction. The lake covers about 1,800 acres, and has a sandy bottom. The company expect to load about 400 cars this winter for the big users of ice all over the Missabe range.

In order to reach the lake the company was obliged to lay a spur track about 1,800 feet in length, which connects with the main line of the Missabe railway between Wolfe and Hibbing. The work of grading and the furnishing and the laying of the ties on the spur track was done by the ice company, while the railway company supplied the rails for its construction.

Virginian Weds Superior Girl.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—Walter Darcy of this city and Miss Margaret Clendenning of Superior, were married in Duluth Monday afternoon. Mr. Darcy is a member of the firm of Landrigan & Darcy, while the bride has many friends here, she having made this city her home from time to time in the past several years.

Deputy Sheriff Gately Out.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—The quarantine on the home of Deputy Sheriff Owen Gately was raised yesterday and the officer came to his office last evening for the first time since last Saturday. Mrs. Gately and two daughters, who were ill with diphtheria are out of danger and getting along nicely.

BREWERIES NOT SHIPPING BEER

None of Amber Fluid Being Hauled Into Hibbing By the Makers.

Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—The local agents of the liquor companies are not getting any further replenishment of stock.

The breweries are not hauling beer into the town, and have decided not to do so, according to the statements of two of the best known agents, just here.

Whatever beer is being hauled into town is being brought in by private parties, and not by the agents of the breweries. The latter are not consigning any more beer to their agents either in or near Hibbing, so that it is a cinch that they are not hauling it.

Another agent of a well known wholesale liquor firm stated that his firm had complete confidence that the matter would soon be adjusted, and that afterwards conditions would be better for the town than prior to the closing order.

Grand Rapids Is Now on Dry List.

Grand Rapids, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—The local saloons, twenty in number, went out of business late yesterday afternoon following a visit of Indian Agent T. E. Brentz and Deputies Fred and James Davis, assisted by B. E. Patten and F. S. Kahlberg, the latter of Bagley.

They served notice upon all dealers to close and ship their remaining supplies out of town as soon as possible. Many saloon men had anticipated this order and had allowed their stocks to run low so the loss will not be as heavy as otherwise. Last night was the first time in years it was hard to secure a drink here.

The closing of local saloons was conducted very quietly, and there was no demonstration of anger or of violence on the part of the saloon keepers. One of the deputies stated that the closing here was the most orderly they have made in the closing campaign.

The saloon men were given twenty-four hours in which to remove their stocks. This morning every dray in town was busy hauling booze. Two cars have been loaded, and the Great Northern depot is the only place in town where there is booze in any quantity. The express office is piled high with barrels and cases which have been offered for shipment. Mr. Brents and his men will remain until they have seen the wet goods on their way to the wholesalers, to whom most of the shipments have been consigned.

COLERAINE, TACONITE AND BOVEY CLOSED.

Coleraine, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—Indian Agent Brents and deputies have closed two saloons in Coleraine, twenty-five in Bovey, one in Taconite and three or four in Holman.

STOLEN CHISHOLM SLOT MACHINE FOUND.

Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—The paybox or slot machine of the Mesaba Telephone company, containing $29 in nickels, which was stolen from the premises of Steve Garius in Chisholm last Monday at the time the Great Northern depot safe was blown by yeggmen, was found in a barn. It is presumed the men who cracked the depot safe stole the paybox, too.

The machine was still intact and no money had been extracted. The men found it impossible to open the box.

EVELETH SOCIAL EVENTS.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—The boys' club of the Sunday school of the First Presbyterian church held a social at the Goard residence last evening. Many were present, games being played and refreshments served.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal church will hold a home cooking sale at the City drug store, Saturday, the proceeds of which will be used to lower the debt confronting the congregation.

The 10-cent lunch given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Van Slyke, Tuesday afternoon by the Ladies' Guild of the St. John's Episcopal church, was a success and a substantial sum was realized.

The German Lutherans have completed arrangements with Rev. Mr. Drews of Duluth, to have him speak here, the latter part of the month, on the matter of establishing a eGrman Lutheran church.

A committee has been appointed by President F. Rabinowitz of the Jewish synagogue to plan for a charity ball in the near future.

The Masons initiated last evening following with a banquet.

The officers of the Odd Fellows, who were recently elected will be installed at the next regular meeting.

The Eagles held a banquet last evening, at which many members from the surrounding towns were present.

NEW ALLEN DEPOT.

Allen, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Iron Range railroad has constructed a new two-story depot here, the lower part for the public and the upper portion for employes. The building is equipped with a lunchroom and is steam-heated.

There is considerable traffic on this road, Allen being a junction point and many have to lay over here between trains. Since the beginning of the extensive logging operations near Missabe by the Duluth & Iron Range railroad the depot has accommodated large crowds of lumbermen almost continually.

Plan Basket Ball Games.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—The high school basketball team are preparing to play Virginia, Gilbert, Biwabik, Two Harbors, Aurora high school quints, and the local city and militia teams. The opening game of the season will be played at Chisholm a week from Friday.

Eveleth Winter Sports.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—Local horsemen are preparing for an active winter racing season on Ely lake. William Murray, a local horseman, has offered a cup. The Eveleth Curling club has begun active curling, and the rink at the foot of Jones street every afternoon and evening is the scene of many interesting matches.

"Baby Mine's" Advance Man.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—Jacob Wilk, formerly of this city, advance agent for William A. Brady's "Baby Mine" company, which will appear at Duluth and Hibbing next week, visited his relatives here yesterday.

To Save Ely Lake Pines.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—A meeting of the Commercial club will be held tonight to discuss taking steps to save the pine near Ely lake situated on the St. Mary Lake picnic grounds, which it is understood will be cut down by the Northern Lumber company soon.

The bankrupt stock of clothing of S. Van Wagner will go on sale at the Oak Hall, Saturday morning. Suits and overcoats, hats, caps and neckwear for men and boys, all to be sold very cheap.

MERCURY DROPS BELOW ZERO

Duluth Has 10 Degs. Below and Eighteen-Mile Wind.

The cold snap did its worst last night and Duluth had the first below-zero temperature of the winter. This morning at 6 o'clock, the mercury stood at 10 deg. below zero and an eighteen-mile wind impressed on those who ventured forth in the early morning air the fact that winter is really here.

At 10 o'clock this morning the mercury had climbed to zero again, and it is standing at about zero during the day with little variation. The forecast for the next thirty-six hours holds out no hope of a break in the cold snap, although the temperature is expected to be only a little below zero tonight.

BROKEN BACK WILL BE FATAL

Oscar Ellis of Superior Is Injured in Lumber Camp.

Oscar Ellis, whose home is at 1107 Baxter avenue, Superior, was brought to Duluth last evening from a lumber camp at Allen Junction, and he is at St. Mary's hospital. His back is broken and he will die. A falling tree is believed to have caused his injuries.

SAY VICE IS UNCHECKED

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trict below the dead line early in October. Following his excursion he delivered an address under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. in which he commented upon conditions in Duluth.

In the letter Mr. Ferguson states that he and the man who accompanied him saw two prominent business men in the the abodes of the women upon the night in question. He said that he saw women soliciting from the windows of eighteen or twenty houses and that beer was sold freely.

The letter, which is dated Oct. 5 last, is as follows:

"I understand that there has been some little misunderstanding about what I said in my address at the Y. M. C. A. in your city last Sunday regarding the existence of vice in Duluth.

"I came to Duluth under the supposition that the reports which I had heard about conditions there were correct. I had been told that vice had been driven out of your city; that there were no known vicious resorts and that your city government was enforcing the law. I found the condition to be the exact contrary of this.

Saw Women Soliciting.

"I examined the situation carefully, going personally into the district that used to be your vice district and finding it still devoted to vice. I saw women soliciting from the windows of eighteen or twenty houses; together with another gentleman who was with me, I entered some of the places and we saw liquor sold, of coure, in violation of the law, but without the slightest hesitation.

"Two prominent business men of your city were pointed out to me among the visitors in that district that night.

"In short, I was very much disappointed to find that, instead of being free from vice, Duluth bears all the marks of being as thoroughly as ever under the domination of the vice dealers and of having a police department that allows the law to be violated, so long as it is violated according to the rules which they set down for its violation."

The league also passed a resolution against the presentation of indecent and immoral plays in the city and appointed a committee to make a formal protest against them. The commission form of government was also discussed.

SPOONER, MINN., BUILDS RAPIDLY

New Buildings Going Up in Fire-Swept Town at Rapid Rate.

Spooner, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—Building operations continue here at a rapid rate and it is predicted that before extreme cold weather sets in the fire-swept village will be a newer and better town. The $25,000 school building is rapidly approaching completion and is expected to be finished by Jan. 10. The building occupies the site of the structure that was burned. It will contain eight school rooms, a large assembly room and teachers' rooms as well as a vault for the records. The new village hall is also expected to be completed soon. It will be a two-story brick. The first floor will be used for fire hall and office rooms, the second floor for theatrical purposes and public gatherings. The most pretentious residences that are nearing completion are C. L. Isted's bungalow; A. E. Noble's, Knute Nelson's and Joseph Meloney's residences. The Shevlin-Mathieu Lumber company have completed many of their fifty dwellings under construction, and their employes are now occupying the same.

BURN FISHERMEN'S NETS.

Objection to Lake Being Robbed of Fish Alleged Motive.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Dec. 8.—Deputy Game Warden J. H. Jones was called to Ashby yesterday to investigate a fishing controversy. Messrs. May and Kester had prepared to seine a large lake for buffalo fish. They had miles of seines, costing about $2,000, and had expended $1,600 in making soundings and for apparatus for hauling the seines under the ice. The seines reach to a depth of twenty-five feet and, as the water is very deep, two of them are fastened together, making a seine fifty feet deep and half a mile in length. People living in the vicinity, believing the fishermen would strip the lake of fish, set fire to their seines, which were piled up on shore, destroying hundreds of dollars' worth of them. Deputy Warden Jones found that the seining was perfectly legal and that the men were proposing to take nothing except buffalo fish, which are destructive to other varieties.

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Another great value, exactly like the illustration; heavy base finished fumed oak; shade of green art glass; size of lamp, 18 inches high. Complete with green silk cord. A regular $3.75 value. Kelly's price for this week $2.29

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We have a nice assortment of fancy and hand painted plates, and are placing at your disposal some very nice designs, special at only 59c

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A fine little pair of rocking horses, painted in natural wood colors, striped and ornamental painted mane, hair tail — early shoppers' special..... 79c

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TO DEVELOP WATER POWER

Pinchot and Others Are Working for Co-operative Plan.

Private and Federal Interests May be United for the Work.

Washington, Dec. 8.—A plan is being considered by the National Conservation association, of which Gifford Pinchot is president, to bring together the advocates of federal regulation of water power sites and those who stand for state control, according to an announcement made today by the executive committee of the association.

The object of the plan, which was drafted by Philip P. Wells, former law officer of the forest service, is to afford "a water power platform on which both sides of the water power controversy may unite to protect the public interest and at the same time encourage the development of the many millions of horse power now going to waste in the mountain streams of the Far West and the great rivers of the central and Eastern parts of the country."

The proposed plan has been laid before a number of engineers of wide experience in water power development as well as various officers and managers of hydro-electric power companies, and is said to have met with their approval.

Without Waste or Delay.

The basis of the plan is development "without delay, waste or the sacrifice of other and higher uses of flowing waters."

For this the plan declares, private capital must be aided by the states or federal government through corporate franchises, condemnation of private property, and licenses to use public lands and obstruct public waters. The power companies are to have certainty of tenure for a reasonable time and a chance for "generous profits on their actual investment."

For the public the plan promises "good service, fair prices, full publicity as to cost, honest capitalization and fair rentals for public property used by the companies."

The federal government, it is conceded in the plan, has no jurisdiction unless its land is to be occupied or navigable streams affected.

The bankrupt stock of clothing of S. Van Wagner will go on sale at the Oak Hall, Saturday morning. Suits and overcoats, hats, caps and neckwear for men and boys, all to be sold very cheap.

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Cheap and Effective, Too.

The most effective and economical cough syrup can be made at home by any one, and in this day of high prices for foodstuff and clothing any family can appreciate a saving even on a necessity like cough syrup.

First, obtain of any well-stocked druggist 2½ ounces of essence Metho-laxene. Empty it into a pint bottle. Then take a pint of granulated sugar, add a half pint of boiling water, put on fire and let come to a boil. Cool and pour in bottle. Shake the mixture well and take a teaspoonful every hour or two until cough is broken up; then take whenever necessary. Give children less according to age.

This mixture will break up a cough much more rapidly than any cough syrup you can buy. It is not constipating, but laxative in action when 8 to 10 doses are taken daily. If your druggist does not have metho-laxene, he can obtain it for you from the wholesale firms. Try this splendid recipe and you will never want anything better.

PROGRAM FOR FREE CONCERT

Some Music New to Duluthians Will Be Heard Sunday.

The program for the Masonic free concerts at the auditorium of the Masonic temple, tomorrow at 3:30 p. m., follows:

Organ—
(a) Selections from "William Tell". .... Rossini
(b) Selections from "William Tell". .... Rossini
Song—Selected
Miss Marie Clark.
Symphony, No. 6, "Surprise" .... Haydn
(a) Adagio-Vivace
(b) Andante
(c) Menuetto
(d) Finale Allegro.
Song—Selected
Miss Marie Clark.
Organ—"Reminiscences of Ireland". .... Godfrey

The program for the next Sunday concert at the Masonic temple presents delightful music new to Duluth programs although not new music.

So many people have heard and enjoyed the overture to "William Tell," that when music from that opera is mentioned 90 per cent will have in mind the music of the overture, but the "William Tell" overture, while a very pleasing and satisfying piece, embraces but a very few of the most tuneful and striking portions and it is to present those parts seldom heard that the first double number on the program is given.

One of the most strikng characters in the development of music was Franz Joseph Haydn, the father of the sonata form and symphony, and if it is excusable to use slang at all in connection with such music, it may be allowable to say that he was the "Sunny Jim" of that cult. His compositions are particularized by geniality and grace and the symphony mentioned in this program is a good sample. It is called the "Surprise" symphony because, it is said, that when Haydn led the orchestras in London the heavy feeding Englishmen often fell asleep during the softer and more languorous passages, which annoyed Haydn and he determined to wake them up, so after he had lulled them to sleep in the second movement, without warning or reason, he introduced a terrific crash on one note by all the instruments and then as if nothing had happened proceeded on with the soft, simple melody. It is thefore rightly called "Surprise." It tickled the joker and awakened the Johnny Bulls. The entire composition is beautiful, most simple, clear, free from technical display and can be easily followed and understood by a novice, who really wants to understand it.

The concluding number is a collection of many of the best known and generally most liked Irish melodies, arranged by the English bandmaster Godfrey.

There will be no concert on Christmas day, but a special program of Christmas music will be given on New Year's day when the temple will be opened up to the Masons and their friends, including the regular concert goers, in order that the new interior decorations, which will then be finished, may be examined by those who desire to do so.

Actress Tells How Youth Is Preserved

(From New York Theatrical News.)

One of America's leading actresses—who for thirty years has stood in the front rank of her profession, and who still plays young girls' parts in a manner to cause our fathers to say: "She doesn't look a day older now than when I first saw her,"—recently told an interviewer how she retained her beauty.

"I never use paint, powder or other cosmetic, except on the stage. I attribute my complexion today to the use of mayatone, the only thing I use to preserve a woman's complexion in its natural daintiness. I buy an original package of mayatone from my druggist and dissolve it in eight ounces of witch hazel to make a solution with which to massage my face, arms and neck daily.

"I have been on the stage more years than I care to tell, but you see my skin is not coarse nor saggy. Mayatone keeps my face free from pimples, blotches and blemishes and prevents the growth of downy hair that annoys so many women. This treatment is not harsh—indeed, it is absolutely harmless and I would advise any woman not satisfied with her complexion to try mayatone. It certainly does wonders for me."

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NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST

TO WED OLD SWEETHEART

North Dakotan Nearly 60 in Up-State New York Romance.

J. M. De Lance of Ross, N. D., Formerly of Crookston, to Marry Widow.

Crookston, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—A romance which had its beginning forty years ago in a little hamlet sixty miles up the Hudson river from New York City will, it is said, culminate in a marriage next spring. One of the principals will be J. M. De Lance of Ross, N. D., who was for many years a prosperous farmer, living south of Crookston, for years on the H. E. Cooke farm which he later purchased.

Although on the shady side of the three score year mark, Mr. De Lance is in rugged health and a few years ago moved to Ross, N. D., where his son, A. J. De Lance, also located and was elected to the North Dakota legislature last month.

J. M. De Lance went back to New York this fall to spend Thanksgiving with several brothers and sisters residing there. He made known his intended visit to but one brother, who is wealthy, and who had the other relatives as Thanksgiving dinner guests Thanksgiving day and wandered into the parlor where all were assembled just before dinner, and none of his brothers or sisters recognized him as he had not been back in eighteen years.

But there was one who did know him, a comely widow who had been a sweetheart o this young manhood. She recognized him at once; the old flame was soon fanned to life with the result that when Mr. De Lance returned he had the promise of a bride and will return to New York in the early spring when the wedding will take place. His old sweetheart has been a widow for many years and has a daughter of 18. Mr De Lance is a man of means and his bride-to-be is also independent.

ENDEAVORERS AT GRAND FORKS, N. D.

Twenty-First Annual Gathering of North Dakota Body Next Week.

Grand Forks, N. D., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—Next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday the twenty-first annual meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of North Dakota will be held here.

Trafford N. Jayne of Minneapolis at the opening session will speak on "Christian Endeavor Fundamentals," and on the closing day on "Christian Endeavor and its Relation to Reforms." Miss Mildred Haggard, also of Minneapolis, and state superintendent of Junior work in Minnesota will be another of the out of state speakers.

The first session Tuesday evening will be given over almost entirely to the registration and assignment of delegates.

At the Wednesday morning session the speakers will be Rev. W. H. Matthews of Grand Forks; Rev. C. H. Phillips of Jamestown; George L. Hempstead of Jamestown; C. H. Cruttenton of Inkster; Rev. T. U. Richmond of Inkster; T. N. Jayne of Minneapolis; H. H. Rottman, field secretary, and H. S. Pond of Grand Forks. Messrs. Phillips, Hempstead and Cruttenton are president, secretary and treasurer respectively, of the association, and their reports will be made at this session. Wednesday afternoon the speakers will be Rev. C. A. Mack of Oberon; Prof. C. C. McCown of Grand Forks; Mrs. Scott Rex of Grand Forks; Mrs. Walter A. Snow of Fargo; Miss Annie McIlrath and George Rich of Grand Forks, and Rev. G. Booth of Larimore. The evening session will be given over to addresses by Rev. C. C. Creegan, president of Fargo college, and Rev. B. Scott Bates of Forest River.

Dr. McVey Talks Thursday.

Thursday there will be election of officers and the selection of the next place of meeting, as well as an address by Dr. F. L. McVey, president of the state university. At the morning session the speakers will be Taylor O. Thompson of Minot; H. H. Rottman, field secretary; J. F. D. Willey of Dickinson; Rev. C. H. Phillips of Jamestown; Rev. E. P. Lawrence of Casselton; Rev. J. Walker Pugh of Grand Forks, and Rev. Thomas Hiner of Sykeston. In the afternoon Messrs. Jayne and Rottman are again on the program, while the others who will speak are Caroline M. Sheldeler of Grand Forks; F. B. Haines of Towner; Miss Mildred Haggard of Minneapolis; F. Walter Snow of Fargo; C. H. Cruttenton of Inkster; Rev. F. M. McCoy of Grand Forks; Rev. H. J. Glenn of Grand Forks, and Rev. F. M. William of Bottineau. In the evening H. H. Rottman and President F. L. McVey are the speakers, bringing the convention to a close.

Appointed Menominee Principal.

Menominee, Mich., Dec. 8.—T. A. Humbert has been appointed principal of the Menominee high school to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of J. Boyd Crouch.

The estimated cost of the proposed new Menominee school is $35,000. It is estimated that it will cost $54,000 to bring the schools of Menominee up to modern standards of sanitation.

QUICK ACTION PRESCRIPTION CURES COLDS IN A DAY

What is said to be the best and quickest prescription known to medical science for colds and coughs is as follows: "Get two ounces of Glycerine and half an ounce of Concentrated Pine compound. Then get half a pint of good whiskey and put the other two ingredients into it. Take a teaspoonful to a tablespoonful of this mixture after each meal and at bed time, shake the bottle well each time." Smaller doses to children according to age. This has cured hundreds here. Be sure to get only the genuine Concentrated Pine. Each half ounce bottle comes put up in a tin screw-top case. Any druggist has it on hand or will quickly get it from his wholesale house. Any one can mix it. Don't use the weaker pine preparations.

EAST GRAND FORKS MEN ARE INDICTED

Two Are Alleged to Have Been Implicated in Robberies.

Crookston, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—The grand jury, which convened Monday has returned but two indictments thus far, one against William Forsyth for robbing the saloon of H. P. Gies at East Grand Forks of some goods, and Martin Anderson for robbery committed upon the person of Knute White.

Several sensational cases in which the accused had been discharged after preliminary hearings in municipal court here and at East Grand Forks are being probed and indictments may result. Otherwise nothing is expected from the grand jury which will probably conclude its work today. The petit jury will convene next Monday.

WESTERN COUNTIES SHOW GREAT GAIN

North Dakota's Census Gain Means New Reapportionment Deals.

Grand Forks, N. D., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—North Dakota's census published yesterday will raise the reapportionment question in the state and delegates from western counties are expected to push claims before the legislative assembly this winter for an increased representation. The census reveals a tremendous increase in population in the counties of the western districts while in several instances the eastern counties, in which there are good sized delegations allotted under the present apportionment, have shown decreases.

One of the situations resulting from the increased population of the western counties indicates the condition at present. Cavalier county, with a population of 15,659, has two legislative districts and thereby gets two members of the senate and three in the house. Ward county's population is 42,185, the report of this year including Burke and Renville, which have since been established as independent counties, and it has two legislative districts giving it two senators and seven representatives. Ramsey county, with the same population as Cavalier county, has one legislative district and is entitled to only one senator and three representatives. Pembina county, with 500 less population than Ramsey, has two senators and three representatives.

Just what stress will be laid on the re-apportionment question is still uncertain, but developments will be watched with general interest.

BUYS BACK NEWSPAPER.

W. M. Smart Has Repurchased the Minot Optic.

Minot, N. D., Dec. 8.—A change took place in the management of the Minot Daily and Weekly Optic Monday, when W. M. Smart became editor and general manager, having repurchased an interest in the paper from Franklin Kauffman.

Mr. Smart retired from the newspaper field a year ago last June. At a recent meeting of the Optic Publishing company, he was elected vice president and general manager, Mr. Kauffman retaining his office as secretary and treasurer.

Mr. Mitchell, who for several months has been the efficient city editor, will leave Friday for his home at St. Cloud, where he will spend a couple of weeks before taking up any new work. He has several propositions submitted to him, but has not yet made any selection.

GETTING MAIL OVERLAND.

Winter Schedule Now in Force for Grand Marais.

Grand Marais, Minn., Dec. 8.—This village is now getting its mail by the overland route always followed in the winter. John Melin, who has been the stage driver west for the past two years, is again serving the public in that capacity. Joe Disheau drives the stage from Grand Marais to Grand Portage, as usual. The contract this year is sublet to John Woods. The west mail connects with the railroad north of Schroeder, via the new county road just completed. Each year shortens the distance to railroad travel.

BLAMES BLACK HAND.

Benton County Man Believes One of Them Fired at Him.

Foley, Minn., Dec. 8.—There are no new developments in the attempted assassination of John Moser, who was fired upon as he lay sleeping in his farm home, but was not hit. Moser is firm in his opinion that the attempted murder was committed by some friend of Sam Rosso, now in the Stearns country jail for the abduction of his two children. He feels certain that the man, a member of the Black Hand, fired the shot through the window which, in his mind, accounts for the poor aim.

THESE GET PARDONS IN NORTH DAKOTA.

Bismarck, N. D., Dec. 8.—At the session of the pardon board this week the following were granted pardons: David Parish, sent up from Barnes county, for ten years in 1904 for highway robbery; Thomas Conner, sent up from Barnes county, for fifteen years in 1906 for highway robbery; John Young, sent up from Cass county for twenty years in 1904, for highway robbery; Harry Klawitter, sent up from Pierce county, Feb. 15, 1910, for indeterminate sentence of from two to three years commuted to one year straight.

W. E. Longstreach, who has served his sentence of one year for producing abortion was restored to citizenship. The board has adjourned and will meet again in June, 1911.

MORE MONEY FARMING THAN SHEEP RAISING.

Richardston, N. D., Dec. 8.—Peter Gress, an old time sheep rancher of this place, has sold out the last of his sheep, and this year as a side line he put some of his land in crop. The result has been so satisfactory that he will never have another large flock of sheep. He has marketed flax to the amount of $2,200 and $1,600 worth of wheat, and still has on his farm enough wheat and flax to bring him $2,500 more, including a lot of fine seed wheat which should bring more than market price. This is a total of $6,3000, aside from his sheep business and is probably as much as he ever made in a single year from sheep.

Gress has a large plowing outfit and will have about 1,000 acres seeded next spring.

GOING TO INAUGURATION.

North Dakota National Guard Association to Felicitate Governor.

Bismarck, N. D., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—The annual meeting of the North Dakota National Guard association will be held here in January during the time the inauguration of Governor Burke that the members may participate in the festivities. The exact dates of the session will be determined by the board of directors at an early date.

Each company of the national guard in the state is entitled to a certain number of delegates to the association session. The organization was launched for the purpose of furthering such measures of a legislative nature as may be desired by the state guard.

BUGBEE TO FARMERS.

Duluthian Is Addressing the Agriculturalists of Aitkin County.

Aitkin, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—C. H. Warner has secured L. H. Bugbee, president of the Producers' Co-operative Market association of Duluth, for a series of meetings in Aitkin county. Mr. Bugbee works under the direction of the superintendent of the farmers' institutes, and is a ready and forceful speaker. The idea is to encourage better social relations, better farming methods, to enable the farmer to use organized effort in aiding the settlement of this section of the state and above all to make rural life more pleasant to the end that farmers may conserve their children to agriculture.

The following meetings have been arranged: Thursday, Dec. 8, Cutler schoolhouse at 3 p. m.; Kimberly, Monday, Dec. 12, 1 p. m., Lone Lake school house Tuesday, Dec. 13, 11 a. m., Erick Wahlen school house; Tuesday, Dec. 13, 3 p. m., Clear Lake school house Wednesday, Dec. 14, 1 p. m., Rice River school house; Morrison township, Thursday, Dec. 15, 1 p. m., Aitkin court house; Friday, Dec. 16, 1 p. m., Rossburg school house, Saturday, Dec. 17, 1:30 p. m.

HALL IS FOUND GUILTY BUT PROTESTS INNOCENCE.

Mankato, Minn., Dec. 8.—Whitford M. Hall, charged with shooting George Crook, the husband of his niece, at their home, Oct. 1, was found guilty of murder in the second degree.

Hall's spirits had been buoyed by his attorneys, who told him the worst he could expect would be a verdict of manslaughter in the first degree, and when the jury announced its finding, Hall appeared crestfallen. After he was remanded to jail he continued to protest his innocence and that Crook was shot while trying to pull the gun out of Hall's hands. The jury was out five hours.

STEARNS COUNTY GIRL IS ACCIDENTALLY SHOT.

St. Cloud Minn., Dec. 8.—Miss Viola Reed, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leavy Reed of the town of Raymond, Stearns county, accidentally knocked down a loaded rifle which was standing up against the wall, causing it to fall to the floor and discharge, the bullet passing through her body just below the heart. The young girl was scrubbing the floor in her home and in some manner struck the rifle. She is in a very critical condition.

NORTHWESTERN LUMBERMEN HAVE ELECTED OFFICERS.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 8.—W. H. Sill of this city was elected president of the Northwestern Lumbermen's association at the annual meeting held here. W. C. Stanton of St. Paul was chosen vice president, C. F. Osborne of Minneapolis treasurer and J. F. Hayden of Minneapolis secretary. The board of arbitration consists of P. R. Hamilton, A. S. Bliss and F. M. Bartelme of Minneapolis and F. A. Nolan and A. E. Peterson of St. Paul

VICTIM'S FATHER BLOCKS PARDON FOR HIS SLAYER.

Upham, N D., Nov. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—The fact that the aged father of Jefferson Whittaker's victim, Conrad Steenerson of this city, entered objection to the granting of a pardon to the man who is now serving a penitentiary sentence, was probably responsible for the adverse action of the state board on the convicted man's application. Young Steenerson was killed in a pool hall at Upham in 1908 and Whittaker was sent to the state's prison for a term of ten years as a result.

GRAND FORKS AND DULUTH CLUBS TO CONFER LATER.

Grand Forks, N. D., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—At the suggestion of the officers of the Duluth Commercial club, no steps will be taken in the matter of holding a conference between representatives of that body and of the Grand Forks Commercial club on the question of railroad construction until about Jan. 15. At that time the railroad committee of the Duluth club will be in better position to consider the matter thoroughly.

McGovern Spent $12,376.48.

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 8.—The statement of the campaign expenses of Francis E. McGovern, governor-elect, forwarded to the secretary of state's office at Madison by William L. Essmann, manager of the McGovern primary campaign and secretary of the Republican state committee, shows total expenditures of $12,376.48 for the McGovern primary and state campaign, while the statement for the state committee showed expenditures of $8,592.08.

PENINSULA BRIEFS

Negaunee — The senior class of the Negaunee high school has issued invitations for a dancing party, to be given in the gymnasium of the school building next Friday evening, the 9th. Dancing will start at 8:30.

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Ontonagon—Relatives are advised of the death by drowning of Frederick Millard, formerly of Ontonagon, but for the past two years of Monroe, Wash., near which place the accident took place. The deceased was forty-seven years of age. No particulars of the fatality have been received.

Ishpeming—The Oliver Iron Mining company's pay days for this month will be as follows: Champion and Stegmiller mines, Friday, Dec. 16; Regent group, Dec. 17; Lake Superior Hard Ore and Section 12, Monday, Dec. 19; Lake Superior Hematite and Section 16, Tuesday, the 20th.

Marquette — The newly organized Marquette nest of the Order of Owls will give their first ball at Fraternity hall on the night of Dec. 26. The members are bending every effort to make this dance one of the most enjoyable events of the season.

Houghton — Carl and Harold Mills, young Houghton mechanics, have put into successful operation the automobile sleigh on which they have been working for some weeks. Their early experiments were on the soft surface of College avenue, in the roadway, and they found the sleigh did not work well, but when they tried the sleigh on the more firmly surfaced sidewalks the tractor wheel got a better purchase on the snow and good speed was developed.

Hancock—The funeral services over the body of the late John Kujala of Atlantic, who died in that village Sunday at the age of 57 years, were held Thursday afternoon. Interment was made in the Atlantic cemetery.

Houghton—The following officers were elected at the recent annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Huntingtown M. E. church: President, Mrs. W. G. Prout; vice president, Mrs. W. Champion; secretary, Mrs. E. Colenso; treasurer, Mrs. E. Bennetts.

Calumet — Frank J. "Butch" Kemp, aged 33, a familiar Red Jacket character, is dead of pneumonia. He was a large man weighing 400 pounds.

Houghton—The funeral of Mrs. James Williams was held at 2 p. m. here this week from the Grace M. E. church, Rev. H. C. Shaw officiating, with interment at Forest Hill. Mrs. Williams was one of the oldest residents of the Copper country. She is survived by a husband and four children.

Hancock—Mystic lodge of Odd Fellows has elected these officers: Noble grand, Fred Merrifield; vice grand, Charles Matthews; secretary, S. Williams; financial secretary, William Jeffreys; treasurer, David Case.

Laurium—The Young Men's Catholic club has elected the following: President, Michael Murphy; vice president, Joseph Hirsch; secretary, John Bernard; treasurer, Paul Haller; chairman of athletic department, Charles Salotti; librarian, John Samida; trustees, Pat Lang, Michael Dooley and Dennis Sullivan; spiritual adviser, Father Willibord.

Hancock—The funeral of Miss Margaret Conway, who died Sunday night at the St. Joseph's hospital, was held Tuesday morning from St. Patrick's church at 9:30 o'clock, and interment took place in the Hancock cemetery. The decedent was formerly a resident of Mount Pleasant, Mich.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Grand Marais—The directors of the Cook County Commercial club held a meeting at the Hovland school house recently. The meeting was well attended and ten new members joined the association.

Aitkin—The carcass of the largest wolf ever seen here was brought to town last Thursday and the bounty of $15 collected on it from the county auditor. The wolf was of the timber variety, a male, and stood thirty-eight inches high at the shoulder. He was a big, powerful brute, and was killed by Steve Yoman in the township of White Elk, while he was out hunting deer.

Fergus Falls—Amund Larson, who was brought from Pelican Rapids to answer to a charge of illegal liquor selling, changed his mind and entered a plea of guilty. It did not appear that he had sold the liquor himself, but he had countenanced its sale in his place of business, and was therefore liable. Judge Baxter fined him $60 which he paid.

Brainerd—Mrs. Christine Malmlin, aged 52 years, died at St. Joseph's hospital on Dec. 3. She was a resident of International Falls and is survived by her husband, Rasmus Malmlin. The funeral was held Tuesday, Rev. M. L. Hostager, of the Seventh Street Lutheran church, officiating. Interment was in Evergreen cemetery.

Anoka—Work on remodeling the electric light system of Anoka is going very well. The work is being done thoroughly and well and no detal is being slighted in order to turn the dights on a few days sooner. Anoka stores have made shift very well with kerosene lamps, gasoline lamps, candles and in fact most anything which would give a light.

Mankato—Mayor Meyer, Health Officer Dr. Dahl and Chief of Police Pond Tuesday made a personal inspection of the local bakeries and meat markets, the first since the visit of Mrs. Crane to Mankato, and they found great changes had taken place, there being a marked improvement in the condition of these places.

Mankato—The thirtieth anniversary of the founding of the Minnesota Valley Medical association and Southern Minnesota Medical association was celebrated Tuesday at a joint meeting of the associations. The question of merging the bodies was discussed. All the delegates were in favor of the plan, but voting on the proposition was postponed until the summer meetings of the associations.

St. Paul—A call has been issued for a business meeting of the Minnesota Educational association, to be held in the old capitol in St. Paul, Dec. 28 and 29, for the election of officers and other matters.

Stillwater—Following up the municipal court cases of Monday in which there were allegations of selling whisky and pure beer on Sunday without a license and contrary to law, Mayor J. W. Foley decided on a policy that will put out of business blind pigs and even the sale of malt preparations in candy stores, groceries or other unlicensed places in the city.

DAKOTA BRIEFS

Minot, N. D.—Louis Vallers was held to the county court on a charge of slander by Judge Murfay. He was charged with slandering Mary Uebleman, the complainant in the case.

Grand Forks, N. D.—F. W. Wilder left Monday evening for Geneseo, N. Y., to join his family for the winter. He has been spending the past summer looking after business interesas in Grand Forks. George H. Wilder accompanied him as far as the Twin Cities, where he will transact business.

New England, N. D.—About sixty neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. John Carroll called at their home ten miles southwest of town to assist Mr. and Mrs. Carroll in celebrating their twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage.

Aberdeen, S. D.—Two engineers at the Aberdeen Light and Power company were rescued by their fellow workman, William J. Bruhn, after a narrow escape from asphyxiation at 4 o'clock Tuesday morning.

Fargo, N. D.—Huber K. Beard of Fargo college was successful in the recent Rhodes scholarship examinations and will be entitled to a scholarship at Oxford for three years, carrying with it $1,500 a year for expenses.

Beach, N. D.—The Northern Pacific station at Beach which has been an eye sore to the town for years, went up in smoke. The fire started in a box car, which was attached to the freight depot and was used as a temporary express room.

Fargo, N. D.—The civil association of Company B, N. D. N. G., elected these officers for the ensuing year: President, Capt. G. C. Grafton; vice president, Lieut. Harold Sorenson; secretary, Lieut. R. M. Still; treasurer, Corp. Roy G. Frohling; trustee for three years, Capt. R. A. Thompson.

Courtenay, N. D.—Tom Suchla has left for Minneapolis and other points to look after the manufacture and the placing upon the market of his patented lumber car unloader which is one of his latest inventions.

Williston, N. D.—Dan Brennan, a young business man of Williston, was married Tuesday morning to Miss Emma Swehla of Williston. Rev. Father O'Neil performed the ceremony at the parish. The couple left for an Eastern trip. They will be at home to their friends in Williston upon their return.

WISCONSIN BRIEFS

Ashland—The board of health held a meeting Tuesday to consider the drinking water question. Supt. Wheeler of the water company was present, and made a statement as to what he is doing. The dead ends of the water pipes have been flushed, and the filtration plant has been closely examined, but the exact source of trouble has not been located.

Waukesha—Hugh Stroud, marshal of Pewaukee, who shot and killed Paul Lehr in the Edgemoor hotel, Pewaukee, Saturday, was exonerated by the jury at the inquest before Coroner Charles Hill. The jury found that Stroud shot in self-defense.

Neenah—While heating tallow over a lantern, the grease exploded and Joseph Rieckey, this city, son of a wealthy New York family, was so badly burned that he died.

Green Bay—Edward Henkelmann, a building contractor, 55, committed suicide by blowing his brains out with a shotgun.

Milwaukee — Mayor Horlick of Racine is one of the most energetic campaign managers in the sale of Red Cross Christmas seals. His first order was 60,000. Tuesday he wired for 60,000 more. Eau Claire took an additional 60,000 making 90,000.

La Crosse—Complaining that her friends were walking too fast on the way home from a concert, Mrs. Mary Hughes, sat down to rest upon a curb here. When her companions returned from a nearby house with a glass of water she was dead. She was the widow of Judge E. J. Hughes. Apoplexy caused her death.

Madison—Col. A. H. Hollister, aged 67, an intimate friend of the late Judge E. W. Keyes, died Tuesday, ten minutes after he had returned from dinner at the Commercial club. Death was caused by heart disease. He was proprietor of the Hollister Drug company, and at one time held the position of head banker of the Modern Woodmen of America.

$50.00 In Gold for the Best Essay on Beer—See HERALD of October 11th or 13th or 15th, 1910

Public Drinking Places are Necessary

"To say that certain evils come from a certain source suggests only to fools the hasty annihilation of the source before studying whether greater evils might not result from its destruction, and without asking whether the evils might not be reduced, and the good from the same source remain untouched and untampered with."—Prof. Hugo Munsterberg, of Harvard, in "Prohibition and Social Psychology."

MONOTONY of life—the great evil of modern industrialism which confines the worker to a narrow circle of never changing duties—is the most dangerous condition for a people full of health, strength and vitality.

Nothing so relieves the tension as a good glass of beer in the evening in congenial company.

Many can have it at home or in the club, but even they want a change now and then.

And where will the masses find it?

Where, if not in the beer hall, concert garden or other form of public-house?

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We want our beer sold only in an environment as wholesome and clean as our beer itself.

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FITGER'S PALE BOHEMIAN BEER

And You Will Find a Good Place to Drink It.

CONTEST NOTE: This article marks the completion of the series, and those desiring to compete in the Essay Contest for the prize of $50 in Gold must have their essays in not later than Saturday, Dec. 17th. The name of the winner of the prize will be announced in this paper as soon thereafter as the judges can come to a decision. For complete details as to Conditions of Contest, see our Introductory Ad published in this paper on Oct. 11th, 13th and 15th.

FITGER BREWING CO.,
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SPORTING NEWS OF THE DAY

OVER AN HOUR FOR ONE FALL

Jesse Westergaard Puts Up Stubborn Fight Against Hackenschmidt.

Russian Gets Second Fall in Eleven Minutes With Body Hold.

Chicago, Dec. 8.—George Hackenschmidt defeated Jesse Westergaard, the Iowa wrestler in two straight falls last night. The first was taken in 1:02:15 with a double bar arm hold. The second fall occurred in 11 minutes, 20 seconds, with a reversed body hold.

At no time during the match did Hackenschmidt exert himesif, except when he broke away from several hammerlocks, which the Iowan had secured. Hackenschmidt seemed to rely only on his strength The two men tugged and pulled each other about the mat for over an hour before the first fall went to the foreigner. Several times Hackenschmidt attempted to throw his opponent over his head but on each occasion, his grip gave way.

Westergaard worked harder. He worked the foreigner to the mat and then squeezed Hackenschmidt's head until the foreigner's strength told on the Iowan and his grip was released. Westergaard rushed at Hackenschmidt seven or eight times and lifted him bodily and threw him to the mat.

The second fall came in much quicker time. Hackenschmidt rushed at his opponent at the call of time and in a few minutes both men were on the mat, Hackenschmidt holding a hammerlock. Westergaard broke away and the Russian followed, forced him to the mat and finished the match with a reversed body hold.

In one of the preliminaries, Eugene Tremblay, champion lightweight catch-as-catch-can wrestler of America and "Young" Jordan of Chicago wrestled about 30 minutes without securing a fall.

SLOW PACE IN BICYCLE RACE

Ten Teams in Six-Day Grind Are Far Behind the Record.

New York, Dec. 8.—Although the monotony of the grind around the saucer track was relieved by several sprints, there was no parallel in the early hours today for the exciting moments of yesterday, when the big shakeup occurred among the six-day bicycle riders.

The ten teams left in the Garden contest contented themselves for the most part with a slow pace that resulted in the teams this morning being fifty miles behind the best figures for previous contests. The easy going was evidently helping keep the men in trim and so far as could be observed nearly all of them were in excellent condition. The one exception was Walker of the Pye-Walker team, who fell and sprained his ankle during the night.

At 8 a. m. the score was: Hehir-Goullet, Pye-Walker, Fogler-Hill, Root-Moran, Mitten-Thomas, Cameron-Halstead, Collins-Drobach, 1,526 miles, 8 laps; MacFarland-Clarke, West-Demara,, 1,526 miles, 7 laps; Rutt-Stol, 1,526 miles, 6 laps. The record is 1,575 miles, 7 laps, made by MacFarland and Clark in 1909.

BOWLING SCORES

The Commercial league's bowling season opened last night on the Majestic alleys with a match between the Majestic and the Adams teams. The former team won two out of three games. Otterson of the Adams had the highest score, 228, and also the high average, 203. The games were witnessed by a large crowd. The scores:

Majestics.			
F Steigler	215	175	207
Mausolf	195	146	187
McDonald	159	190	202
Server	129	155	206
S. Lindgren	185	192	199
Totals	883	858	1,002

Adams.			
S. Olson	168	191	211
Brown	156	163	162
Foster	155	185	125
Berini	169	181	180
Otterson	201	181	228
Totals	849	891	906

Lundin Seeks Match.

Hjalmar Lundin, who has for a number of years laid claim to the Swedish heavyweight title of world's wrestling champion, has written here in regard to a match. In his letter Lundin states that he will meet any man the officers of the local athletic association may select for him. Lundin is fairly well known here, having wrestled in this city a number of years ago.

Harley Davidson,
The World's Champion Roller Skater
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LINCOLN PARK ROLLER RINK
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Saturday and Sunday matinees. Admission (including skates) 25c.

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Modern, Brand New
Club breakfast, lunch and dinner, priced to meet everybody's pocketbook, and service the very best.
POPULAR ENTERTAINMENT NIGHTLY BY THE "COLONIAL QUARTET."

McGINNIS IS DEFEATED

Frank Bryant Not Forced to Exert Himself in Skating Race.

Duluth Roller Champion Preparing for Races With Harley Davidson.

The ambitions of John McGinnis to become professional champion skater of the Head of the Lakes district were rudely nipped in the bud last evening, when little Frank Bryant defeated the amateur champion in a mile race by about forty feet. The time of the race was 5:12 and Bryant did not exert himself at any stage of the distance except the spurt that put space between the two skaters.

HARLEY DAVIDSON,
Who Will Race Frank Bryant on the Rollers.

By winning last night, Bryant has established a record that places him in the class of some of the best boys of the country. Last night's victory was the forty-fourth race won by the Duluth flyer. In all his professional career he has lost but four races, these being the contests dropped to the veteran Joe Munch.

Harley Davidson, world's champion roller skater, will be here Friday and Sunday for a series of races against Bryant. After that the little fellow will go to St. Paul and Minneapolis and enter into the roller skating championships.

The race with Davidson will be the biggest contest in the career of the Head of the Lakes' champion.

NORTH DAKOTA UNIVERSITY WILL PLAY MOORHEAD.

Grand Forks, N. D., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—Next Wednesday will mark the opening of the basket ball season of the University of North Dakota, the first game being against the Moorhead normal school. The game will be played in this city. Practice work has been in progress for some time, and the indications are that the university will be in the field with a splendid quint.

NEW BASEBALL LEAGUE FORMED AT BUTTE.

Butte, Mont., Dec. 8.—With W. H. Lucas, president, secretary and treasurer, the Union Association League of Baseball clubs was organized in this city last night, with Butte and Great Falls, Mont., Salt Lake City, Ogden and Boise and Twin Falls, as its members.

HERALD QUESTION BOX

O. B. Hibbing, Minn.—The famous 6 to 6 game between Michigan and Minnesota was played in 1903 at Northrup field, Minneapolis. Syracuse and Dartmouth did not play the past season.

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Rheumatism?
Kur-u WILL cure you. $2 buys a month's treatment. If not cured we hand your money back.
Shipped on receipt of price—Charges prepaid.
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GOSSIP PICKED UP ALONG THE SPORTING HIGHWAY

Some Reminiscences of Great Billiard Players Past and Present—A Little Sermon on the Decline of College Athletics.

(BY BRUCE.)

"BILL" HATLEY WAS IN A REMINISCENT MOOD YESTERDAY. When William gets that way he can sling some choice dope regarding the personalities of the sweet cue handlers. He has met most of them, knows all of them, and has grown gray in the gentleman's game.

"Speaking regarding this Al De Oro person," started William, "he has more nerve than all of the rest of the pool players who have come under my observations. He has won a lot of games on his nerve, for no matter how hard they come, and no matter how they are stacked agin' the Cuban, he is nonchalant, so to speak, the same being cool and collected.

"De Oro comes of the real classy company down Cuba way. There are high class Cubans and there are others who are not so high classed. This De Oro comes from the very best of the class; those that were intermixed with the Spanish nobility, and his grace and easy bearing and the way he tackles every angle of the game, speaks the breeding in the player.

"He used to be in the buggy business in this country. Later he broke into the professional game of pool. His recent victory over Jerome Keogh stamps him as perhaps the greatest of the players of today. He has nerve, and any player with nerve will succeed at either billiards or pool.

"Kline has told me that this boy Hoppe has a whole lot of nerve. I haven't been mixed up with this wonderful boy as much as I have some of the older wizards of the cue, but from his marvellous playing I am ready to believe that the kid does possess nerve and that in abundant quantities.

"This Kline fellow is a real nice chap, and he told me that sometimes he could go along and give Willie fits for 500 points; but that is not saying that Kline could beat Willie, for not so long ago the boy wonder trimmed Kline something like a 100 points in a 500 ball contest.

"Frank Ives, who was called the Napoleon of the game, and who you will remember, was perhaps the greatest opponent of the late lamented Wizard Jake Schaefer, had an iron nerve that nothing could shake. Nothing feazed this really wonderful player, and many of his brilliant victories were gained after the odds were all against him.

"Old Jake was prominently present when it came to the matter of nerve and composure. Composure means much to the player of a game that is as delicate as billiards, and the crowd seemed never to enter into the calculations of the old boy.

"I see his kid is coming along nicely. I should say young Schaefer is a better player today than his old pap was at the same age. It will require years before we will know whether this young man will fill the shoes that the old man left. Here's the very best luck to the kid of the man I was once very proud to call my friend, young Schaefer.

"The game is awfully fast today. Billiards has progressed with the age, as other sports are going ahead. I will believe, however, that Ives and Jake Schaefer were the equal of any of the players of today. Hoppe is a wonderful player, and in some respects may shade the veterans that played their last when he was coming into his full prime.

"But as far as brillance is concerned, there are, any of use who have seen them all, who will hesitate before stating that there was a player ever lived who could make any more wonderful plays than Frank Ives. For all round mastery of the cue, there are many who believe that Wizard Schaefer was the daddy of them all.

"It is reasonable to believe that Hoppe will even get better, and it is not unlikely that he will go down in history as the greatest player produced during our times at least. Hoppe is a wonder, don't make any mistake about that. Sutton, Morningstar and the rest of the boys are great players and good fellows, and more power to 'em all."

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Tea May Be Served at Future Football Games.

Some of you who read the Chicago determination of the conference leaders in regard to the new regime of football and the abolition of messy manners on the part of the little students, are no doubt wondering what the young college man of the present age is coming to. And you have righteous right, Bill, to this wonder.

Every once in a while we hear some sturdy old man from the country rear up and rave several bars about the college education stuff. These hard-grained old boys from the rural communities have sometimes claimed in the past that the colleges are putting a lot of silly notions into the heads of the boys, be gosh.

Education is one of the very best things we do in this great and growing age. Had Mother Eve been educated along the line of will stability and possessed of a general knowledge of the mean and double crosing tendencies of the reptile, such as are many of our learned biologists, we would all be free of this problem of living stuff and would be left to free and careless ways, etc. But that is neither here or over there.

As has been said, education is fine for low foreheads. But when college profesors come to the point where they want to place bibs and pinafores on the young men of our colleges, there are some of us who wil climb on to the band wagon with the gent from the backwoods.

Just now, in the West, a bunch of college instructors have high handed charge of the athletic affairs of the leading colleges. If the students are well behaved, are quiet and promise in the facetious future to refrain from clapping their hands, from stamping their impulsive feet and rudely whistling, they may be allowed to attend the games. It is preferred that they attend in a body, wearing their college gowns and paste board reinforced chapeau; that odes to sweet peace be hummed, preferably in tender tenor, and that the home rooters salaam before the rude rooters from the visiting colleges, kissing the visitors on the alabaster brows when such act does not create a riot.

We are entering on the new football age. The profs. desire that the visiting team be met at the depot and taken to the nearest fraternity house, where tea and caviar sandwiches will be served. If there is no objections, the visiting team might give their signals to the entertainment committee, in order that the home pets may become cognizant of their eccentricities, thus abolishing all nervous dread, which is so bad for the student body.

Both teams are sternly obliged to attend a purity banquet on the eve of the game, where some man with a carnation and a goatee will rave about the dove details attending modernized football. After the professors have been given their first opportunity to speak in public outside the class rooms, the members of the tiddliwinks field corps may be alowed to go to their white cots for refreshing sleep before the brain fag of the morrow.

The good old days are passing fast. There were days when the dear old West hotel of Minneapolis was the quarters of the visiting warriors, as we called the players in those far off days, and students spoke with awe and deep respect of the abilities of the great men on the team. In those dear days there were great and never to be forgotten scenes around the old Park hotel of Madison, fun and frolic raged gayly in the lobbies of the Lexington, Auditorium and Chicago Beach hotels. When students left college and looked back on the days that were past, they remembered with a dear remembrance that sometimes left a lump of tender sentiment in their throats, of the times when all the world was young and men lived in the full exuberance of their youth.

Ah those were days! They gave a man a knowledge of life when life was corking fine. Men met and learned to know each other better in the meeting. They made college life, and somehow and in some way some of us still cling to the opinion that these dear times made better men. The sissy and careless cad was the only one ill at ease in these merry gatherings.

Alas, we have progressed. Instead of the stalwart student leader, the president of the athletic association; instead of the young athletic representatives of their college, keen, eager and in love with the game, knowing the record of every player in the West, knowing and loving the better, therefore, every wrinkle of the game, we have some very serious and bespectacled professors, picking here and prying there, ever critizing, harping upon purity as an institution and not as an asset of the young men of the country, forgetting that they were very young, and frowning with tightened lip upon the natural outbreaks of the charming young animal, man.

They may go further, these professors. They have gone far and there is going to be a break one of these days. When it comes to the pass where students have naught to say regarding their athletics, where rules, silly, shallow and narrow are laid down for the following by men who are supposed to possess sense and ordinary powers of discretion, it is time for a protest.

Faculty control has ruined athletics at Madison. Faculty control at Minnesota will probably compel the cancellation of all further athletic relations with Michigan and will put Minnesota in the petty position of Chicago. Faculty control of the Western conference, a control so autocratic and so absolute that every committee is manned by men who should be confined more closely to the class rooms for the general good of the community of football interest, has made that body a joke among men with ideals of athletic dear and sweet to them; ideals that soar one slight degree above the red blood line.

These men, wholly unfitted by training to take charge of athletic affairs, unfamiliar with even the fundamental training rules, seeking only to inflict some silly rules of moral welfare on the teams and now on the students, are making the whole football atmosphere like unto a gathering where creatures prate and strut and speak of morals and know not one degree of the force of red-blooded accomplishment in the world of athletic idealism, which has always had its basic principles built firmly on pluck, grit, gameness and courage.

Men like prize fighting because it is a man's game; others abhor and cry out against it because they don't understand, and because their natures turn sickly pale at the sight of nervo effort, at the sound of hard blows, at the courage of man under punishment.

Some men have pressed a great misunderstanding down on football. They have mistaken primitive force and sinewy muscular effort for brutality, because their natures, fitted primarily for sedentary occupations, can never know the real glory of returning a little back upon the road made in history by the valorous deeds of our fathers.

These men are in the chair of directorship. They hold the whip in the shape of pink ribbons of petty persecution, and like the young lady who experimented delightedly with pink face powder, they have gone too far. Until that time, until men with broader and saner ideas get into control, this angel cake feed upon the night when athletes should be resting, this escort of the visitors in wheel chairs to their white and pink rooms, with the five feet of books; until that time the good old days will be nice to tell the children about, if you want your boys to grow into stalwart manhood, to rough it with the rest of the gang, to be red-cheeked and full-chested, and not doing a Marathon brain chase after the somewhat mysterious meaning of the long tramp of poor Pilgrim or doing a duty dive after the hidden stuff of irritating Ibsen.

We have spoke.

PACKEY GETS OFFER.

Promoters Want Stockyards Champion to Meet Abe Attell.

Chicago, Dec. 8.—Tom O'Rourke, matchmaker of the National Sporting Club of New York, yesterday wired Packey McFarland, the stockyards lightweight, offering him $3,000 with a privilege of 35 per cent of the gross receipts, if he would agree to meet Abe Attell, featherweight champion, before his club on Dec. 23. Packey said he would accept this offer unless Billy Gibson, matchmaker of the Fairmont club, gave him a similar offer.

Johnny McFarland, a cousin of Packey, who is looking after the managerial affairs of the fighter, talked with Gibson over the long distance telephone and the promoter asked the manager to hold off until 3 o'clock today before accepting O'Rourke's offer. McFarland agreed to this and the matter will be settled definitely before night.

McFarland and Attell have agreed to terms and the fighters will either meet at the Fairmont club on Dec. 19 or before the National Sporting club on Dec. 23.

New Sporting Annual.

That greatest of standard authorities, the "Police Gazette Sporting Annual," published by Richard K. Fox, Franklin square, New York, has just been issued for 1911, and the many new records have increased its size. It contains records of baseball, bicycling, trotting, jumping, football, racing, aquatics and all athletic sports, compiled by Sam C. Austin.

The main feature of the book, however, is the pugilistic records, and many pages are devoted to that popular branch of sport. The book is authentic and reliable, and stands today an authority on the subjects upon which it treats.

Syracuse Meets Michigan.

Syracuse, N. Y., Dec. 8.—According to the schedule of the Syracuse University baseball team, announced yesterday. Syracuse will play Pennsylvania State at Syracuse May 5, Michigan at Ann Arbor May 11, Michigan Agricultural college at Lansing May 12 and Michigan at Ann Arbor May 13. Michigan will come East for two games at Syracuse, May 25 and 26.

SKI CLUB TO BRANCH OUT

Organization Will Probably Take Up Other Winter Sports.

Suggestion That Annual Ski Meet Be Part of Winter Carnival.

Whitney Wall presided over an enthusiastic meeting at the Commercial club last evening, the meeting being a gathering of those who are interested in the complete reorganization of the Duluth Ski club.

There was a good crowd in attendance and the spirit of the evening promises well for the ultimate aim of the men behind the movement, which is to make the club one of the leading athletic organizations of the Northwest.

As stated last evening, it is the object of the men behind the new movement to give the club a broader policy, to embrace a wider range of sports, to provide a greater variety of interest for its members, and also to make skiing one of the geatest winter sports in this section of the country.

It was stated last evening that every effort will be made to make the ski meet scheduled for this city the present winter the greatest ever held in the Northwest, despite the fact that the national meet is to be held the present season at Chippewa Falls.

It was shown last evening that those most interested in the forming of the club are in favor of having the winter ski meet in the form of a carnival, along the general plan of the old ice palace that made St. Paul famous the world over as the home of winter sports. It is suggested that the carnival would be typical of Duluth and would attract visitors to this city from every point of the Northwest. It has been further suggested that the meet last longer than a day.

To Make Club Broader.

As outlined by Chairman Wall, the object of the meeting was the gathering into the club of a number of new members who would take hold and make the organization a big and growing institution. In the reorganization of the club, it has been suggested that the program be made broader, so that a common ground of interest may be provided for a large number of members.

It developed last evening that the club financially is in the best condition of its career. The ski meets have always proved paying propositions and have added to the finances of the club. A carnival, such as the club proposes, under the new organization, it is believed, would add greatly to the treasury.

Mr. Wall stated that the club could be made into one of the greatest organizations in the Northwest, that the scope of its activities would include all kinds of athletics and that it could be made into a club that would prove a credit and excellent advertisement for the city.

A committee composed of Messrs. Mattocks, Wannebo, Evans, Telford, Abbott and Wells, was appointed by Mr. Wall to draw up a set of by-laws. This committee will report next Wednesday evening, when it is believed the new club will be set squarely on its feet.

LEHTO IN DULUTH FOR BIG CONTEST

Finnish Champion Will Complete Training for Match With Hackenschmidt.

Karl Lehto, the pride of the Finnish race, arrived in Duluth last evening and will finish his training for the greatest match in the history of his short but brilliant mat career. Lehto will meet five and six men a day from now until Monday, when his training for the Hackenschmidt match will have been completed. Karl will rest Tuesday so that he will step on the mat in the very best condition.

Encouraged by the showing made by Jesse Westergard against the Lion in Chicago last night, Lehto hopes to make a showing against the wonderful Russian that will make his name famous the length and breadth of the country. In pursuit of his ambition the husky Finn has trained as he has never before prepared for a match.

Lehto is finishing his training at the Finnish gymnasium on West First street, over which Gus Friland, the Finn's manager, presides. Karl will work with four or five men daily, meeting all comers, until next Monday.

In addition to the big match of next Tuesday evening, the officials of the Greater Duluth Athletic association have signed Chris Person, Ole Johnson, Mauritz Harris, lightweight champion of the district in both Northern Minnesota and Wisconsin, and Joe Fish, the popular little grappler who showed such form at many of the shows given last winter by the Duluth Athletic club. These make up the best program that has ever been offered at a wrestling show in this city.

The demand for seats is already brisk. The seat sale will go on today, and Manager Marshall of the Lyceum has stated that mail orders for seats will be given prompt attention.

Hackenschmidt will reach here Tuesday morning, coming in from Minneapolis where the Lion meets five men Monday night. He will rest all day in anticipation of one of the hardest matches he has encountered on his American tour.

FOOTBALL LOST MONEY.

Pennsylvania Directors Report Deficit as Result of Past Season's Play.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 8.—At the meeting of the directors of the University of Pennsylvania Athletic association, Treasurer Gilpin announced that football receipts this fall had run far behind the average and that the loss for the season probably would reach $30,000.

The members did not think that the decrease in receipts was due to any dissatisfaction over the new rules, but rather to a series of counter attractions which have never been equaled before in this city. In the first place the excitement over the winning of the world's championship by the Athletics carried baseball interest far into the realm usually occupied by football.

On one Saturday there was the big automobile race, and on the day that Penn played Michigan, Princeton was struggling with Yale only a few miles away, and local attendance suffered. Finally, on the day of the Cornell game, the aviation meet was in full progress and thousands who would ordinarily have gone to the game, went to see Drexel and Grahame-White instead.

After gloomily perusing Treasurer Gilpin's report for some time the directors awarded the letters to the varsity, scrub and football teams of the past season. The list of varsity letters awarded numbered twenty, an unusually large quota. The men so honored were Jourdet, Marks, Kaufman, Rogers, Morris, Dillon, Wolferth, Craemer, Patterson, Cozens, Scott, Ramsdell, Mercer, Sommer, Young, Keough, Thayer, Hough, Harrington and Kennedy.

"NO CHANCE," SAYS FRANK GOTCH

Humboldt Farmer Denies He Is Planning to Re-Enter Game.

Chicago, Dec. 8.—Frank Gotch will never wrestle again in a big public match.

This was the big champion's ultimatum issued at the Morrison hotel, where he is stopping for a couple of days.

"No chance," he declared when asked if he intended to get back into the game and take on some of the foreign stars.

"What I wrote about retiring, and what I have said since, goes at this time and stronger than ever," he said. "I have had some attractive offers, but have turned down every one of them."

Has a Good Business.

Gotch looked to be in the very best of health, and there are hints that he is to be married next month, hence his anxiety to keep the promises he had made to "somebody." That he intends to keep these promises there is no doubt now after what the world's champion said yesterday.

"To begin with, even if I hadn't the personal inclination to quit the game, my business in Iowa is such that I would have to anyway," he said. "I have a business there that is netting me from $10,000 to $15,000 a year, and it would be foolish to let it run down because I could make a little more than that this winter.

"W. W. Wittig of Milwaukee, the man who promoted my match here with Hackenschmidt in 1908, has offered me the sum of $30,000 for fifteen weeks on the stage. That's going some, isn't it?

Turns Down $50,000 Offer.

"In addition to that he offered me the sum of $20,000 for a match with a man he was to select, and of course that man would have been Hackenschmidt. That makes $50,000, but I have turned down the offers cold.

"The wrestling game has been good to me, but I think I have been good, too, because I have always tried to be square and to wrestle on the level. Always I have tried to give the public that supported me so well and enabled me to accumulate a large fortune a good run for its money.

"These things, I think, entitle me to retirement at this time, and I want to take occasion while I am in Chicago to thank my thousands of friends here for their kindness and support. I'd like to show for them again, but it just cannot be."

ELECTION HELD AT THE Y. M. C. A.

Eight Members of Old Board Are Re-Elected—Two New Directors.

The ballot boxes were opened yesterday at the Y. M. C. A. and it was found that the ten directors nominated by the nominating committee were elected almost unanimously. The votes were cast Tuesday.

The ten directors elected will serve two years. Their term will end Jan. 1, 1913. Eight of those elected are already serving on the board. The new members are E. M. Morgan and J. J. Moe. The other eight old members are: Watson Moore, E. T. Buxton, J. D. Stryker, Alfred Merritt, Oscar Mitchell, Albert Baldwin, L. A. Barnes and W. S. Woodbridge.

One vacancy still remains on the board and this will be filled at the next meeting of that body. The other nine members whose terms expire next year are: F. E. House, W. A. McGonagle, J. H. Hearding, W. G. Hegardt, H. W. Coffin, C. F. How, Sr., W. E. Magner, N. J. Upham and E. L. Bradley.

THREE STATES TO PROTECT FORESTS

Lake States Conference Decides on Legislative Measure to Check Fires.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 8.—The resolutions offered by W. S. Bissell of Wisconsin and seconded by W. R. Mackenzie of Bemidji, secretary of the Northern Minnesota Development association, at the first lake states fire conference held here composed of delegates from Minnesota, Michigan and Minneapolis, were unanimously adopted last evening, after which the conference adjourned.

The resolutions proposed legislative measures intended to prevent and check forest fires. No arrangements were made for future meetings.

Briefly the resolutions provided for the establishment of a non-partisan commission in the several states, constituted with adequate authority to act and to prescribe rules and regulations for the control of the forests. Present systems in the three states were declared to be inefficient.

As the delegates scattered throughout the corridors of the hotel, nothing was heard except expressions of satisfaction over the results of the meeting. There was surprise, both at the attendance and at the interest shown, and it was declared entirely unexpected that such a unanimity of opinion should concur in the framing of the resolutions.

Fire Insurance Men Present.

Conspicuous in yesterday afternoon's gathering were the number of fire insurance men present. They sat alongside of railway presidents, lumbermen, foresters, professors and students to complete agreement with these that forest fires were losses both to business enterprises and to the community at large.

Following the adoption of legislative recommendations, a resolution was passed to the effect that a campaign of education be undertaken with the object in view of arousing public sentiment to the value of precautionary measures. By this method it is hoped to bring the people to a better understanding of forest conditions.

The discussion which preceded the adoption of the resolution, was informal in its nature.

John F. Rhodes, president of the Minnesota Forestry association, presided at this meeting.

Among those who spoke were Thomas B. Wyman of Munising, Mich., forester for the Cleveland-Cliffs Iron company; C. S. Pierce of Michigan, state fish, game and forest warden; H. M. Kelsey of Chicago, chairman of the committee of publicity for the insurance companies of the United States; William O'Neil of Forest Lake, United States Indian timber agent; George H. Marshall of Cass Lake, head forester of the Minnesota national forest reserve, and F. E. House of Duluth, president of the Duluth & Iron Range railway.

PRIMA DONNA FIRST TO USE PRIVATE DINING ROOM.

Mme. Antoinette Kopetzky, prima donna of "The Chocolate Soldier" company, was hostess at an after-theater supper to the leading members of her supporting company, and the occasion was signalized by the opening of the Rose room of the Spalding hotel's new trio of delightful private dining rooms Mme. Kopetzky being the first to requisition their use since it was finished.

There are in the group a rose room, a green room and a yellow room. The designations are supplied by the color schemes followed in the adornment of each. These rooms are easily the finest private dining rooms in Duluth and compare favorably with the private dining rooms in the best metropolitan hotels.

Mme. Kopetzky's guests were: Misses Margaret Crawford and Ilon Bergere and Messrs. Charles A. Moore, Frank Belcher and Harry Davies.

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FOREST PATROL MAY COME AS RESULT OF CONFERENCE

Forest Fire Convention a Practical Gathering, Says Z. D. Scott.

Situation Discussed By Men Who Knew Their Subject Thoroughly.

That the Lake States Forest Fire conference at St. Paul Tuesday and Wednesday will exert a powerful influence for the improvement of conditions which have resulted in vast preventable losses in the past, is the opinion of Z. D. Scott, president of the state forestry board, who returned from St. Paul this morning.

Mr. Scott spoke today in highest praise of the work of those who took part in the deliberations of the conference, and was enthusiastic in his description of the great possible scope of the efforts that may be put forth for the realization of the highest hopes of those interested in the preservation and proper use of the forest resources of the state.

"When the great forest fires swept over the border region this year and wiped out prosperous communities, Mr. Rhodes suggested that it might be well to call a conference of the official representatives of the three states most interested," said Mr. Scott, "but the suggestion was at first thought to be almost presumptuous. It was said the problem was one that applied primarily to Minnesota and we might seem to be intruding our own troubles upon Michigan and Wisconsin in suggesting such a conference, but when it was done we found, with surprise and delight, that the forestry officials of those states were even more interested in the possibilities of such a gathering than we had been.

Interested in Facts.

"Perhaps it was to have been expected that there should have been some intimations that the conference was packed and in the interests of the lumbermen, but the suspicion is utterly lacking in foundation. The lumbermen are interested in securing the solid facts. That is all they wanted to get at. The gathering was not one of a popular sort, but rather of official, with expert representatives of the states involved, with the assistance of outside specialists in their several lines. There was no oratory. The speakers talked to us—they were so well versed in their subjects that at times prepared papers were forgotten and the speaker went ahead and talked what he knew just as he could talk about it off-hand.

"The results we got at this conference were more important than we expected. It is a notable thing to have men like Messrs. McGonagle and House of the northern roads and Aishton of the Northwestern take such an interest in the proceedings of a convention as these gentlemen did, and the exponent of every point of view was given an opportunity to be heard. For that reason we found it easy to formulate the views of the conference as they are voiced in the resolutions.

"With resolutions such as those adopted by the conference to back up our requests, it will be with assurance that we can go before the legislature to ask for what is needed to afford the protection from forest fires that must be provided if there is not to be a recurrence of such disastrous conflagrations as that which we suffered this year.

Forest Patrol.

"The conference in its resolutions recommended that the state provide through the legislature for an adequate forest patrol and efficient protection from fire. The forestry board has no power in the premises. There is a peculiar situation in this respect. The state fire marshal is ex-officio secretary of the board, but his duties are separate and distinct from those of the board. He is appointed by the state auditor and is a member of that officer's staff. It is his duty to combat the fires that destroy the forest wealth of the state, and the board has no money for such work. The only places where the board is authorized to afford fire protection are the forest parks under its control, and no money is provided for such work. Board members sufficiently interested to make inspections of these tracts must do so at their own expense even.

"In Wisconsin and Michigan conditions are somewhat different. Wisconsin has a fairly good forest patrol system, and so too has Michigan."

Mr. Scott smiled, with just a suggestion of state pride when he said:

"The Wisconsin and Michigan officials were quite envious of the good fortune of Minnesota in possessing the great empire of forest and mineral to which it holds title. Governor Ramsey must have had some prophetic foresight, some strange understanding of what the future held for Minnesota, when he proposed the restrictions which he did on the disposal of state lands.

"These conditions, imposed on his recommendation, have given this state a wonderfully rich heritage. Look at the lake region of Northern Minnesota."

And he exhibited maps, showing how St. Louis, Lake and Cook counties are dotted with beautiful, rock-shored lakes from border to border.

"Thousands of people go to the Adirondacks yearly to enjoy a brief space of rest and recreation in the region of lakes and woods, and probably a million people annually go to Maine. These people leave in the summer resort districts great amounts of money each year. Think what Northern Minnesota has to offer in that direction."

Mr. Scott dilated on this feature of what the proper protection of the forests means to Minnesota, saying that from the Twin Cities and from all parts of the country people will come to spend a week, two weeks, a month or more, in the beautiful lake region.

"When the sessions of the conference came to a close, we were mighty well satisfied," said Mr. Scott. "The resolutions adopted very nicely express the thought developed by the deliberations. We don't want any drastic legislation, you understand. That is not the idea. But in view of what has happened in the North this year and for years past, it cannot but be conceded that there is a pressing necessity for the establishment of a careful forest patrol system. The lumbermen should and certainly are willing to share with the state the expense of such a patrol. In the fires this year, one of the largest timber interests lost more than it has altogether by fires in the past.

"The fact is that we are in danger of having more serious fires in the next few years than we have had in the last few, because dry seasons come in cycles. Of late we have had wet seasons. It follows that dry seasons will be encountered for a time, and we must be prepared to combat the menace of them."

Mr. Scott's interest in modern forestry work is not wholly official but private and individual as well, for he has initiated a system of reforestation on lands cut over by his firm in the northeastern corner of the state which has had a considerable influence on the work now in progress along that line in the state.

AGENTS WILL HELP IN WORK

Honest Employment Men Will Welcome Investigation, Says Richards.

Will Co-operate With City to Drive Crooks Out of Business.

George S. Richards, proprietor of the National Employment agency, in answer to the statement of Walter F. Dacey, assistant city attorney, regarding an investigation of the methods of some of the employment agencies of the city, today stated that he would welcome such an investigation, would pay a handsome reward for any irregularity that had ever been found in the conduct of the affairs of his company and, moreover, would get some of the other owners to join in the investigation of the methods of the employment men.

What Mr. Richards objects to is the classing indiscriminately of all the employment agencies. Admitting that there are employment men in this city who have been guilty of unfair practices toward the laboring men Mr. Richards makes the statement that in his opinion the great majority of the employment men of Duluth are honest and square in their dealings with the laborers that flock to the Duluth market for employment.

"Some of the agents have offered to co-operate with the city department in an effort to weed out those employment agents who do business on a plane that is not legitimate," said Mr. Richards. "In the past we have suggested that the record of a man be thoroughly investigated before a license is issued permitting him to conduct an employment bureau. We have offered to assist in this investigation and do everything in our power to work along this line, with the city attorney's office. Our offers of the past have met with no response.

"At this time of the season the work of getting jobs for the laborer must be handled with particular care. There are men being turned out of the mines, from the railroads and also men seeking employment because of the close of navigation. Because of this flooding of the market with laborers, many of the companies have taken these men into their employment directly and have at the same time failed to cancel orders that they have given the employment offices for men.

"As a result some cases have occurred where men have gone to fill jobs and found these places filled. A fair-minded man can see that this is not the fault of the employment agent, where the order of the company employing labor has not been cancelled. In cases like that, we have endeavored in the past to either return the fare expended by the laborer, or secure him another position.

"Those of the employment agents who have tried to conduct an honest and legitimate business, object to being classed with those who may have taken advantage of the laborers. We welcome a rigid investigation by the city and also welcome any ordinance that will make it impossible for the dishonest agent to do business.

"Ten years ago practically all the laborers for the market in the vicinity of this city were supplied by the Minneapolis employment offices. The men, that is the better class of employment agents, who have been in this business here, have built up this city as one of the biggest employment labor markets in the Northwest. These men desire to conduct their business in an honest manner and also object to being misrepresented by being classed with crooks.

"In my business, and also in many other of the employment offices here, business is done directly with the heads of the big firms. We do not send men to a camp on the order of a clerk or camp foreman, unless this order has been countersigned by the head or manager of the company. Most of our correspondence in this regard is carried on with the head of the firm employing labor.

"Mistakes will happen, have happened, and are not always the fault of the employment men. There are two sides to many stories. The best way to get to the bottom of this agitation, which is almos an annual occurrence, is to start a thorough and lasting investigation of the methods of doing business of the various companies, and in this matter the city department will find the willing co-operation of the better class of men conducting employment offices in this city."

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Special Holiday Shoe Sale at Ehle's.

All styles at "bargain prices": Shoes, slippers, rubbers, overshoes, felt and warm lined shoes, lumbermen's rubbers, sheep sox, wool sox and foot warmers—everything in footwear. Not all kinds, only the best of each kind, and guaranteed to be as represented—no shoddy, no fancy prices. Ehle's, 315½ East Superior street.

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COPPERS NERVOUS; UNDERTONE WEAK

Shorts Cover at Close and Market Regains the Early Losses.

The copper market was nervous and erratic today. Weakness in the early hours was pronounced, but the day was saved for the bulls when the report of the Copper Producers' association showed a decrease of 8,872,845 lb in the visible surplus. The November production was 119,353,463 lb compared with 126,469,284 lb in October. Domestic deliveries amounted to 60,801,992 lb compared with 67,814,172 lb for October. Exports amounted to 67,424,316 lb compared with 68,186,912 lb in October. The total consumption was 128,226,308 lb

On its face the report is favorable, but a close analysis does not reveal anything worth crowing about. The real feature of the report is the fact that producers must continue to curtail production. Exports of copper on Wednesday were 215 lb. Since Dec. 1 exports have amounted to 4,027 tons.

The London market came slightly higher and the discount rate of the Bank of England was unchanged. A meeting of steel manufacturers is being held in Pittsburg today when some price reductions may be agreed upon. The Jones & Laughlin Steel company will make important enlargements to its capacity which caused a favorable feeling. This was overthrown, however, by the probable reductions in prices of steel products and the opinion of many people in the steel trade which is adverse to the recent statements of Judge Gary of the United States Steel corporation. They do not concur in his optimistic reports.

Saturday's bank statement may be extremely unfavorable. If loans are not curtailed by New York banks it is possible that the surplus will be wiped out in Saturday's statement. This fact may bring further liquidation in stocks.

The short covering which was prominent at the close today did not strengthen the market. The copper producers' statement helped the market so far as values are concerned. Outsiders are not in the market and banking interests are concerned more with the reduction of loans than in the trend of stock values.

The local market was fairly active. Keating showed strength and was the feature. Keating sold at 95c, 96c and 93c. Butte Ballaklava sold at $7, Greene at $7, North Butte at $27.87½, Red Warrior at $1.68¾ to $1.75, Butte & Superior at $7.62½, Calumet & Montana at 94c, 95c and 96c, Calumet & Corbin sold at 22c, 25c and 23c, Calumet & Sonora at $8.87½, Rawhide Royal at 1c, Summit at 64c and Tuolumne at $4.87½.

Amalgamated sold at $63.25 to $62.87½ to $63.25, off to $61.50 and up to $63.25, slightly under yesterday's close. Butte Ballaklava sold in the East at $7.12½, Butte Coalition at $17.75, Calumet & Arizona at $48.50 to $47.50 to $49, Greene at $6.87½, $7, $6.75 and $6.87½, Shattuck at $22.75, North Butte at $27.75 to $28.25, $27.50 and up to 28.50, Cactus at 22c, 23c and back to 22c. Superior & Pittsburg at $13.50, $13.25 to $13.50.

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At the North Butte, marked and constant improvement is noted. The Speculator shaft has been sunk from the 2,200-foot level to the 2,400 foot level, where a station was cut and sinking has been resumed. The shaft will be taken down to the 2,800-foot level, where a station will be cut probably about next April.

A winze from the 2,200-foot level has been sunk on the Edith May vein for 112 feet and about 200 feet of drifting has been done. The Granite Mountain shaft has been sunk to a depth of 1,800 feet and is now connected with practically all the North Butte underground workings.

Three good veins have been opened in the Croesus, one of them about 25 feet wide, where ore is being stoped. Good ore is also being mined from the Gem vein, and both the Jessie and Edith May have improved considerably.

The company is employing at present about 750 men and hoisting about 1,200 tons of ore per day with an output of about 2,000,000 pounds of copper per month.

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The Boston News Bureau said today: The new Calumet & Arizona company which is to absorb the 1,500,000 shares of the Superior & Pittsburg in the ratio of one share Calumet & Arizona for three and a half Superior & Pittsburg, will have an outstanding capital of 628,000 shares instead of the 200,000 shares, as at present.

The output of the new company should be at least 50,000,000 pounds of copper per annum, and the cost, with economies incident to consolidation, should not exceed 9c per pound. A profit of 4c on the above output would yield $2,000,000, or little over $3 a share on the increased capital on a 13c copper market. Every advance of 1c per pound in the price of copper should increase by 80c per share the divisible net profits of the new company.

Since the reports were made on the two properties as of Aug. 1 last, and which reports formed the basis for the merger, Superior & Pittsburg has increased its ore bodies by at least 30 per cent, and assays show that the recently encountered ore is of very high grade. At the Junction shaft of the Superior & Pittsburg new tonnages have been developed at a remarkable rate.

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Boston wired Paine, Webber & Co.: "William A. Paine is at the Lake making an inspection of the property, his second visit in two months. Mr. Paine is devoting considerable time to Lake Copper company affairs and the expenditure of $443,850 received from the recent issue of treasury stock was made largely on his recommendations.

"President Paine will seek to expedite the installation of the new compressor equipment to permit of more extensive explorations in all directions before any step is taken toward resuming ore shipments.

"The officials state that the favorable showing by the diamond drill in the South Lake property is of the greatest importance to Lake as the cores were taken near the Lake boundary line, in fact, they state that these ores are of greater significance to Lake than to the South Lake property."

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J. A. Minnear of Calumet, Mich., a broker, was in town today on business. He thinks the market will be higher after January. He believes that North Butte, Live Oak, Hancock, Shattuck and Butte Ballaklava are selling too low. He thinks Butte-Ballaklava will be successful in its ligitigation with Anaconda and that it will be a favorite in Boston.

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Closing quotations on the Duluth Stock Exchange today follow:

Listed Stocks—	Bid.	Asked.
American Saginaw	1½	1¾
Butte Coalition	18	18¼
Butte Alex Scott, pt. pd.	....	1¾
Butte Alex Scott, fl. pd.	4	5
Butte Ballaklava	7	7⅜
Calumet & Arizona	47	47½
Cactus Development	....	25c
Copper Queen	....	20c
Cordova, pt. pd	....	40c
Cordova, fl. pd	70c	75c
Denn Arizona	....	4
Giroux Consolidated	6½	6¾
Greene Cananea	6¾	6⅞
Keweenaw	3	3¼
Live Oak Development	....	25
North Butte	28¼	28¾
Ojibway	5½	5¾
Red Warrior	1¾	....
Savanna, pt. pd	1¼	1¾
Savanna, fl. pd	....	4½
Shattuck Arizona	22½	23
Superior & Pittsburg	13⅛	13⅜
Warren Development	....	1¾
Warrior Development	....	5½
Unlisted Stocks—		
Amazon-Montana	....	2¼
Butte & Ely	....	90c
Butte & Superior	7¼	8
Calumet & Montana	90c	....
Calumet & Corbin	22c	28c
Calumet & Sonora	8⅝	9¼
Carman Consolidated	70c	80c
Chief Consolidated	1½	1¾
Cliff	1½	1⅞
Keating Gold	93c	97c
Lake Superior & Son.	....	30c
Mowitza	....	65c
North American	....	2½
Rawhide Royal	1c	2c
San Antonio	....	5¼
St. Mary's	....	15c
Sierra	1⅝	2¼
Tuolumne	....	5
Vermilion Steel & Iron.	2	2¼

Total number shares, 5,587.

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Coats at One-Fourth and One-Third Reductions.

J. M. Gidding & company place on sale tomorrow their entire line of tailored or dressy coats and evening wraps at reductions of one-quarter and one-third—all suits and trimmed millinery on sale at one-third off.

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COST EBERHART MORE THAN $2,000

Election Expense Is Filed By the Governor at St. Paul.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.) — Governor Eberhart crowded close to the limit in his expense incurred during the recent campaign. Some astute mathematician has figured out that a candidate for the state job can spend $2,366. The governor spent $2,342. According to his report, filed this morning, $2,000 went to the Republican state central committee and the rest mostly for railroad fare. Hotel keepers got only $45 from him.

James Gray, the Democratic candidate, has not yet filed his expense account.

It required close to $21,000 to run the Republican state campaign. The time covered by the report is from Aug. 11 to Dec. 7. There are outstanding claims amounting to $1,635.69 with a balance in the treasury of $68.07.

There were several contributions by the same person. Eli S. Warner, St. Paul, G. G. Hartley and A. M. Chisholm of Duluth, each sent in nice amounts to the committee.

The chief expense items were headquarters rent, salaries of office employes and printing and advertising.

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The bankrupt stock of clothing of S. Van Wagner will go on sale at the Oak Hall, Saturday morning. Suits and overcoats, hats, caps and neckwear for men and boys, all to be sold very cheap.

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SCHULZ RENAMED BY THE GOVERNOR

Superintendent of Public Instruction to Keep the Office.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—Governor Eberhart today announced the reappointment of C. G. Schulz as state superintendent of public instruction. The reappointment was urged by a large number of educational men of the state.

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WILLIAM MIES GOES TO SPOKANE

Old Resident of Duluth Will Make Home in Washington.

After twenty-one years' residence in Duluth, Mr. and Mrs. William Mies left today for Spokane, Wash., where they will make their home. Mr. Mies owns an orchard near Spokane and he will give that his attention as well as conducting a tailoring establishment, which he will open in the Washington city.

Mr. Mies was in the tailoring business in Duluth during all the years of his residence here and only recently closed out his stock in the Wolvin building.

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STANDS HIGH IN THE WEST

Duluth Looked Upon as Great Commercial Center, Says B. P. Neff.

Bentley P. Neff, secretary and sales manager of F. A. Patrick & Co., wholesale dry goods, returned this morning from his annual visit to the Western territory.

Mr. Neff reports conditions as being very good in the West, and although there is some inactivity on the part of the lumbering interests, there is every prospects of a big year in 1911, both in the agricultural and lumbering sections.

Mr. Neff found the prestige of Duluth increasing year by year and the city's gain of 49 per cent in population was very favorably commented upon.

"There seems to be a disposition on the part of Western people to think of Duluth as strictly a commercial city, a city of immense activity and a place where the figures of population do not tell the whole story," said Mr. Neff.

"Everywhere in Western territories you find Minnesota people who, while loyal to their new place of abode, are still great boosters for their home state and its business institutions."

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OLD RAILROAD BONDS BURNED

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—Finis in the railroad bond boom of 1858 and their repudiation was written today when $188,000 of the bonds authorized at that time were consigned to the flames. They were the last of an issue of $5,000,000 authorized by the people in the days when Minnesota was just beginning to break into national view.

Governor Eberhart, State Auditor Iverson, Attorney General Simpson, State Treasurer Pettijohn and Secretary of State Schmahl witnessed the burning of the bonds. They were consigned to the furnaces in the capitol power house, and in addition to the $188,000 in old railroad bonds, included $1,450,000 in state capitol construction certificates retired some weeks ago.

Drifting Wreck Victims Safe.

Yarmouth, Dec. 8.—This evening word was received that thirty-two of the Blackburn's passengers and crew have arrived at Grimsby.

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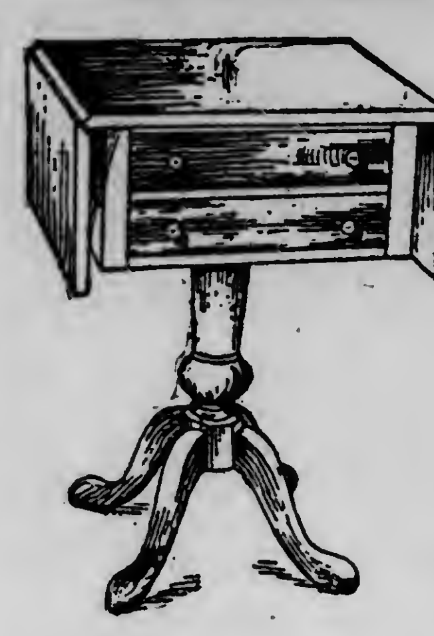

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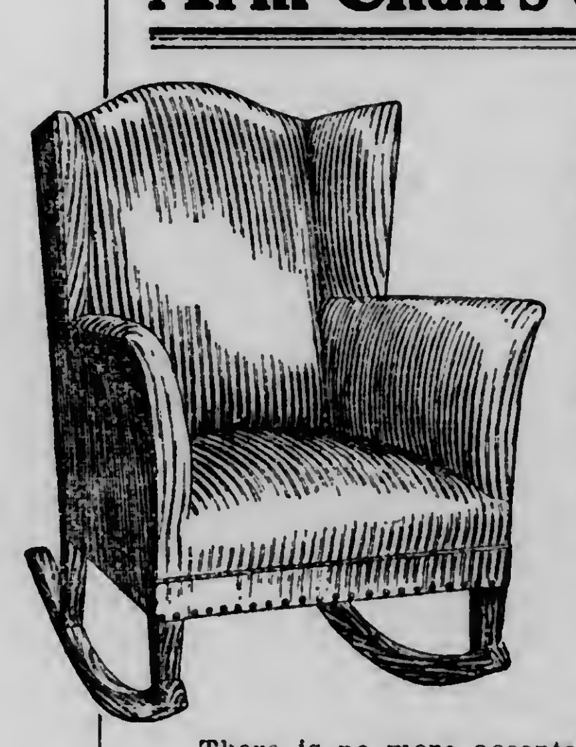

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NOTICE
To the Contestants and Voters

In the publicity contest for the $400 Smith & Barnes Piano, that is to be given away free to the most popular stenographer. We have extended the date to Dec. 14, 1910. All votes sent in on or before that date will be honored.

DULUTH MUSIC CO.
Piano Manufacturers' Representatives.
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MORPHINE RELIEVED PAIN—THE GREAT KIDNEY REMEDY RESTORES TO HEALTH.

For the past few years I suffered greatly from what three physicians called neuralgia of the stomach. The doctors treated me without any success and I called in a fourth doctor, who pronounced my disease gall stones. I suffered intense pain and the only relief the doctor could give me was by injections of morphine. I was so completely discouraged that I had almost given up hope when a neighbor told me about Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root. I decided to try it and began its use at once and after taking nine bottles was completely cured, not having a spell of sickness in over two years.

I have so much confidence in Swamp-Root that I never fail to recommend it to my friends who may have kidney trouble of any kind. I feel certain that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root saved my life, why should it not do likewise to others who take it in time.

You are at liberty to use this testimony at any time.

Yours truly,
MRS. ELLA HENRY,
816 Schaefer Ave.,
Kansas City, Mo.

State of Missouri } ss.
County of Jackson }

On the 28th day of July, A. D. 1909, personally appeared before me a Notary Public within and for said County and State, Mrs. Ella Henry, who subscribed the above statement and made oath that the same is true.

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Notary Public.

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MARINE

LOSSES WERE VERY HEAVY

Lake Marine Insurance Companies Hard Hit on Hull Risks.

Made Money on Grain and Ore Cargoes During Past Season.

The lake marine insurance season just closed has been unprofitable on hulls, but has done well on grain, lumber and package cargoes, with a poor record on coal and ore. The total losses of lake hulls for the season aggregate $1,500,000. The principal weeks were as follows:

Lake Superior—	Loss on hull.	Cargo
Str. W. C. Moreland ..	$402,000	$40,000
Str. Langham	45,000	5,000
Str. V. H. Ketcham ..	60,000	10,000
Str. Wasaga	22,000	55,000
Lake Erie—		
Str. F. H. Goodyear ..	255,000.	25,000
Lake Michigan—		
Car Ferry, No. 18	500,000	50,000
Str. F. L. Vance	30,000	7,000
Lake Huron—		
Str. New York	20,000	5,000

Partial loss and general average claims will aggregate close to $2,000,000, leaving the insurance companies, after paying commissions, taxes and expenses, practically no profit.

The grain premiums, owing to a short wheat crop in North Dakota, which moves East via Duluth, show a decrease from 1909 of fully one-third, but the grain losses have been few and the companies will make a good profit on this commodity. Iron ore and coal movement shows an improvement over 1909 in tons carried. The losses have been heavy and there will be little left to the companies when the claims are all paid. The lumber business shows a normal movement, and the absence of heavy loss shows this commodity to be again very profitable to the underwriters.

Nothing definite has been determined as regards rates for 1911 on either hulls or cargoes. The probabilites are, however, that there will be little change. The marine underwriters are usually slow in publishing rates, and their meetings come in the spring just before the opening of navigation.

DUNELM'S FATE IS NOT KNOWN

No Message From Canadian Steamer Ashore on Isle Royale.

Nothing further was heard this morning by the local office of the United Wireless Telegraph company from the steamer Dunelm, which is aground on Isle Royale. As soon as the announcement of the wreck was received yesterday the tug Whalen and lighter Empire were sent to the assistance of the Dunelm, and they are probably at the scene of the wreck now.

The steamer F. B. Squires stood by the Dunelm yesterday ready to take off the crew if there was danger of the wrecked boat going to pieces. The Squires is equipped with wireless and sent the fire call for assistance, but nothing further has been heard. The Dunelm has no wireless equipment.

Light Keeper Transferred.

Otto Redmond, who has been for many years tender of the Fort Gratiot light, at Port Huron, Mich., has been transferred to Two Harbors, Minn., to tend the light there.

AMUSEMENTS

TONIGHT'S ATTRACTIONS.

LYCEUM—"The Chocolate Soldier."
ORPHEUM—Vaudeville.
EMPRESS—Vaudeville.
ODEUM and LYRIC—Motion pictures.

Green Room Gossip.

"The Chocolate Soldier" will close its Duluth engagement at the Lyceum tonight. It is one of the biggest and best musical organizations that Duluth has seen in years. The orchestra is one of the most enjoyable features of the production. Two rows of seats have been removed from the parquet to make room for the augmented orchestra, which compares very favorably with large grand opera organizations.

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Two genuine globe-trotters are on the Orpheum bill this week. They are Hugh Lloyd and Ernest Scharff. Lloyd is the clever performer on the "cord elastique." He has performed in every civilized country in the world, including Australia, South Africa, the South American republics, all of the principal European countries and North America.

"It is easier to change your territory than to change your act," says Mr. Lloyd. "After you get an act perfected, why not keep it, and change your territory?"

Mr. Scharff, who has a unique musical act, is also a globe trotter, and has toured almost as extensively as Mr. Lloyd. They fell to comparing notes yesterday, and found that they had visited almost the same countries.

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Lyman H. Howe's travel festival will open an engagement of two nights at the Lyceum Sunday. As proof of the importance, novelty and originality of the features, it is necessary to mention only a few of the subjects on the new program, such as the king's funeral in London and Windsor, showing the kings, princes, field marshals, potentates and dignitaries in attendance from all lands, including Col. Roosevelt; a reproduction of the eruption of Mount Etna; a ride up the Eiffel tower; the fiords of Norway; through the Alps in winter; life on a training ship; constructing the Grand Trunk Pacific railroad; a Japanese jubilee and many that are naturally humorous.

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"Really, it is amusing to see the looks on the faces of the people in the audiences when we appear on the stage," said dainty Miss Lafferty of Kelley & Lafferty, who are appearing at the Empress this week. "Of course, our names indicate that we are Irish and most people expect to see the old stunt of burlesquing the real Irishman and they are sometimes disappointed. But I am pleased to note that the days are past when they did this sort of thing and to note that actors now try to portray the real, true-hearted Irishman as he really is. In the days gone by, it was considered quite the proper thing to wear a hideous make-up and present a character that was as far from the real Irishman as day is from night." The act presented by Kelley & Lafferty is an up-to-date dancing act and Miss Lafferty presents the toe dance with ease and grace that would do credit to a dancer of much more experience.

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Edward Flanagan, who is at the Orpheum this week with the team known as Flanagan & Edwards, has some new ideas on the subject of tipping. He does not protest against the prevalence of tipping, but claims that the wrong people are tipped.

"Men will tip waiters in fashionable cafes," he said, "and the same men will then go into a cheaper restaurant, where they will be served by a girl, and will not dig up a penny. These girls work for very small salaries, and they generally give much better service than the men waiters in the fashionable eating places, yet the deserving ones are passed by and the undeserving ones tipped far more than they are entitled to."

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"The King," the new comedy of adventure which James K. Hackett presents at the Lyceum tomorrow, was written by George Brackett Seitz, a Boston playwright, who has given to the play goers of America a play which is calculated to cause a stir in the dramatic world.

It was first produced by Mr. Hackett at the Winnipeg theater in Winnipeg on Thursday evening last and the first criticism from the Manitoba Free Press says in part: "The play is somewhat extraordinary inasmuch as at moments it would appear to be frankly melodrama, then, hey presto, with a whimsical remark spoken in Mr. Hackett's almost whimsical tones, the play becomes comedy, fantastic, if one will, but nevertheless comedy. * * * Mr. Hackett has a part in The Man, alias The King, which fits him like a suit of clothes by a swell tailor. *** The piece is full of comedy. * * * The man who prophesies on the future of a new production is exceedingly unwise, but if the New York theatergoers appreciate a clean, wholesome play, with plenty of movement in it, interesting dialogue, and presented by an admirable cast, 'The King,' should score an undoubted success."

Mr. Brady, under whose direction Mr. Hackett is touring, has engaged an exceptionally strong company, including Miss Beatrice Beckley, Arthur Hoops, Charles C. Brandt and Robert Lawler. The staging of the play is perfect in every detail.

PLANTS IN BOXES ON STANDARDS NOVELTY IN CITY DECORATIONS

In the elimination of unsightly objects along the streets, many cities are obtaining the consent of owners of houses to the installation of trolley wires by the fastening of supporting wires to the fronts of buildings. Light standards cannot be done away with so easily, however, and many cities in the United States are adopting decorative innovations in connection with their "White Ways."

One of the innovations, which adds greatly to the decorative value of light standards consists of the placing of boxes on light standards and trolley poles and the planting of greens in them. The idea is derived from the plan in use in the city of Antwerp and has been imported for use in American cities.

The boxes are unobtrusive and do not obstruct the view and yet they brighten up the bare poles and the whole street. The sight of spots of green in the heart of the business district of a city is unique and makes a very favorable impression on visitors to a city, especially. In some cities where high standards are in use, two boxes may be placed on each, one below the other.

In cities which have adopted the plan, co-operation is secured between the park commissioners and commercial organizations for the planting of flowers and plants in the spring. Abutting property owners or tenants are charged with the duty of watering the plants, and it is said that civic pride is effective in obtaining attention to the duty. The boxes are made of iron and arranged to clamp on the standards so that they may be removed at the end of the summer season.

The proposition has not been brought up in Duluth but it is possible that it will be considered.

DECORATIVE STANDARD
In Antwerp.

The bankrupt stock of clothing of S. Van Wagner will go on sale at the Oak Hall, Saturday morning. Suits and overcoats, hats, caps and neckwear for men and boys, all to be sold very cheap.

MURDER SUSPECT HAS ESTABLISHED INNOCENCE.

Hutchinson, Minn., Dec. 7.—The murderer of Mrs. Joseph Simon may escape the net thrown out by officers. A suspect has proven his innocence and the slayer is believed to have made his way west over the Hastings & Dakota division of the Milwaukee road.

F. Dvorak, the suspect, was placed in the sweatbox by Sheriff Klaus and a Pinkerton detective. He is a Bohemian and lives in the neighborhood of the murder. He was able to account for his time, however, and satisfied the officials that he had nothing to do with the crime.

League to Fight Blindpigs.

Powers Lake, N. D., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—Business men of this city have organized the Powers Lake Enforcement league to prosecute men charged with blindpigging. Not only does the league make an offer to take definite steps in the matter of convicting men charged with prohibition law violations, but it also offers rewards for information concerning such offenders as well as for violators of the gambling laws.

Farmers Object to Charges.

Carrington, N. D., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—Farmers served by a telephone company operating south and west of Carrington are up in arms at the annual rate that is charged for the service and within a short time it is expected that they will take steps to bring about the granting of a lower rate, or the construction of a new line is probable.

Family Cough Syrup

Cures Any Cough in Five Hours. NEW PRESCRIPTION HERE.

Here is given the most effective cough prescription known to the medical world. It is a mild laxative, too, and this is what a body needs when suffering with cough and cold on the lungs. A cough or cold indicates poisons in the system, causing inflammation and congestion. Nearly all cough syrups relieve, but make the trouble worse by their constipating effects. This prescription not only relieves quickly, but it cures any cough that is curable. Get one-half ounce fluid wild cherry bark, one ounce compound essence cardiol and three ounces syrup white pine compound. Mix in a bottle. Take for acute cough or bronchitis twenty drops every half hour for four hours. Then one-half to one teaspoonful three or four times daily. Give children less according to age. A few hours' treatment will cure and heal the throat and lungs of all but consumptives. Cut this out and give it to some friend who may need it to be saved from an early death by consumption.

BOOKS ADDED TO THE LIBRARY

List of Works Acquired During the Month of November.

The following books were added to the library during November:

GENERAL WORKS, SOCIOLOGY AND PHILOLOGY.

Aldine, "A Typographic Art Journal."

Ballou's "Pictorial Drawing Room Companion."

Fillebrown, C. B., "The A B C of Taxation."

Leypoldt, Friedrich, "New Guide to German Conversation."

Whitney, W. D., "Essentials of English Grammar for the Schools."

SCIENCE, USEFUL AND FINE ARTS.

Armstrong, Sir Walter, "Art in Great Britain and Ireland."

Casson, H. N., "The History of the Telephone."

Collins, J. H., "A First Book of Mineralogy."

Cook, Joseph, "Biology; With Preludes on Current Events."

Crafts, J. M., "A Short Course in Qualitative Analysis."

Davies & Hunt, "Stories of the English Artists."

Day, L. F., "Nature and Ornament."

"Lumberman's House Plan Book;" 200 house plans.

McShane, Charles, "The Locomotive up to Date."

Nichols, W. R., "An Elementary Manual of Chemistry."

Nicholson, H. A., "Text Book of Zoology for Schools and Colleges."

Ray, Joseph, "Key to Ray's Algebra" and "Key to Ray's Higher Arithmetic."

Redgrave, G. R., "Outlines of Historic Ornament."

Reynolds, Victor, "Stories of the Flemish and Dutch Artists."

"What Is a Picture?"

White, E. E., "A Complete Arithmetic."

LITERATURE.

Durning-Lawrence, Sir Edwin, "Bacon Is Shakespeare."

Goethe, J. W. von, "Wilhelm Tell." (German.)

Masson, Gustave, "La Lyre Francaise." (French.)

Shelley, P. B., "Prometheus Unbound; a Lyrical Drama."

TRAVEL AND BIOGRAPHY.

Keeling, E. E., "Sir Joseph Reynolds."

Meynell, Everard, "Corot and His Friends."

Washburn, C. C., "Pages From the Book of Paris."

FICTION.

Arnim, M. A. B. Grafin von, "The Caravaners."

Barclay, Mrs. F. L. C., "The Mistress of Shenstone."

Burnham, C. L., "Clever Betsy."

Cutting, M. S., "The Unforeseen."

Jackson, C. T., "My Brother's Keeper."

Johnston, A. F., "Mary Ware in Texas."

Nicholson, Meredith, "The Siege of the Seven Suitors."

Sinclair, May, "The Creators."

Vance, L. J., "No Man's Land."

Swedish.

PHILOSOPHY, RELIGION AND SOCIOLOGY.

Rydberg, Viktor, "Bibelns Lara om Kristus" and "Fadernas Gudasaga; Berattad for Ungdomen."

Tornebladh, R., "Handledning for Deltagare i Radplagande och Beslutande Forsamlingar."

Wikner, Pontus, "I Mensklighetens Lifsfragor; Popular—Filosofiska och Religions—Filosofiska Foredrag, Uppsatser och Bref."

PHILOLOGY.

Kastman, C. W., and I. A. Lyttkens, "Ordlista Over Svenska Spraket."

Rosenthal, R. S., "Masterskaps—Systemet: Larbok i Engelska Affara—Och Umgamgesspraket; Utarbetad af Alfred Svensson."

SCIENTIFIC, USEFUL AND FINE ARTS.

"Hemmet's Kokbok."

Montelius, Oscar, "Om Lifvet i Sverige Unger Hednatiden."

Rydberg, Viktor, "Romerske Kejsare i Marmor; Samt Andra Uppsatser i Konst."

LITERATURE.

Goethe, J. W. von, "Faust, Sorgespel; Ofversatt af Viktor Rydberg."

Hildebrand, E., "Lasebok i Svensk Litteratur; Utgifven Under Medverkan af H Bergstedt och A. Bendixon."

Rydberg, Viktor, "Dikter" and "Varia."

HISTORY, BIOGRAPHY AND TRAVEL.

Bjorlin, Gustaf, "Carl den Tolfte," "Carl X Gustaf," "Finska Kriget, 1808 och 1809; Lasning for Ung och Gammal" and "Gustaf II Adolf; Lasning for Ung och Gammal."

Fries, Ellen, "Svenska Kulturbilder ur 16-och 1700—Talens Historia."

Nordenskjold, Otto, "Antarctic; Tva ar Bland Sydpolens Isar."

Warburg, Karl, "Viktor Rydberg, en Lefnadsteckning."

FICTION.

Lagerlof, S. O. L., "Antikrists Mirakler."

Rydberg, Viktor, "De Vandrande Djaknarne," "Den Siste Athenaren," "Fribytaren pa Osaersjon" and "Sagner, Berattelser och Skizzer."

Topelius, Zacharias, "Faltskarns Berattelser."

Norwegian.

PHILOSOPHY, PHILOLOGY AND SOCIOLOGY.

Dahlerup, Verner, "Det Danske Sprogs Historie."

Hoffding Harald, Kort Oversigt Over den Nyere Filosofis Historie."

Linderberg, Fernando, "Karl Marx og den Historiske Socialisme."

Wergeland, H. A., "Norges Konstitutions Historie."

SCIENCE, USEFUL AND FINE ARTS.

Christiansen, C., and others, "Hverdagsfysik fra Kompasset til Kakkelovnen, af C. Christiansen, P. La Cour og K. Prytz."

Lammers, Thorvald, "Norske Folkeviser; Tekst og Toner."

Peterson, Emil, "Kemien i Naturen og o Det Daglige Liv."

Sandvig, Anders, "De Sandvigske Samlinger; i Tekst og Billeder; et Bidrag til Gudbrandsdalens Kultur Historie."

LITERATURE.

Ibsen, Henrik, "Samlede Vaerker."

Wergeland, H. A., "Dramatiske Digte," "Farcer" and "Prosaiske Skrifter."

HISTORY AND BIOGRAPHY.

Anderson, R. B., "Amerikas Forste Opdagelse" and "Mit Livs Eventyr."

Garborg, Arne, "Jonas Lie, en Udvikling's Historie."

FICTION.

Anderson, Tryggve, "I Cancelliraadens Dage."

Baggesen, Jens, "Komiske Fortaellinger og Aeventyr."

Elster, Kristian, "Samlede Skrifter."

Ewald, H. F., "Svenskerne paa Kronborg."

Gyllembourg-Ehrensvard, T. C., "Hverdag's Historie og Andre Noveller."

Ingemann, B. S., "Samlede Eventyr og Fortaellinger."

Jacobsen, J. P., "Fru Marie Grubbe" and "Niels Lyhne."

Prydz, Alvilde, "Gunvor Thorsdatter til Haero."

Lie, J. L. E., "Den Fremsynte; Eller Billeder fro Nordland," "Familien paa Gilje" and "Kommandrens Dottre."

RHEUMATISM ADVICE

Gives Prominent Doctor's Best Prescription—Is Easily Mixed.

"Get one ounce of syrup of Sarsaparilla compound and one ounce of Toris compound. Then get half a pint of good whiskey (or sherry wine if it is preferred) and put the other two ingredients into it. Take a tablespoonful of this mixture before each meal and at bed time. Shake the bottle before using." This is not new in this city as many of the worst cases of chronic and acute rheumatism and backache have been cured by it. Good results come the first day. Any druggist has these ingredients on hand or will quickly get them from his wholesale house.

This Beats The Bankrupt Stock!

Some years ago we agreed to take every year all the sample gloves and mittens of the famous Gordon make. This year they certainly went some and sent us $6865.07 worth—over 7300 pair. Being always in the van, we were game and took them all.

This is $800 more than the entire Van Wagner Bankrupt stock amounted to when it was auctioned off this week, and we bought this tremendous glove stock 38 (thirty-eight) per cent cheaper than the Van Wagner stock was sold for, which was no bargain at all, contained much summer stock, also nine overcoats.

To get our money quick out of this tremendous glove stock we will put all the

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There are gloves and mittens of every kind known to glove makers. Some fur lined, some wool lined and some unlined. There are Buckskins, Reindeer, Horsehide and every other material. Workingmen's and Drivers Gloves and Mittens, also Auto fur gauntlets and one-finger mitts, railroad gauntlets, etc., etc. See the Vestibule Case. Values up to four dollars—tomorrow and Saturday 79 cents—think of it—79 cents.

Sale Starts Tomorrow at 7:30 a. m. in Both Columbia Stores.

The Columbia At Third Ave. West

There is another interesting Columbia Ad. on another page in this paper.

ELECTION IN PORT HURON

Michigan City Chooses Business Men for Its First Commissioners.

The New Plan Is Warmly Favored By Dr. J. J. Eklund.

Port Huron, Mich., which recently adopted the commission form of government, held its first election under the new system Monday. The election resulted in the choice of five substantial business men of the city as the first commissioners and those who know men and conditions in Port Huron say that the voters used excellent judgment.

John J. Bell, the present mayor of the city, was elected as one of the commissioners, but he is not of the professional politician class and his two administrations under the old system were commended for their economy and freedom from partisan domination. The other four men elected as commissioners have never been mixed up in partisan politics as leaders, have shown great ability in their private business and have the public spirit to take up the administration of the city's affairs.

A. J. Smith is a member of A. J. Smith & Sons, building contractors who have had large contracts in Detroit and other cities in Michigan. S. O. Aikman is owner of a large biscuit factory. F. J. Dixon and C. E. Mudford are both prominent business men interested in the government of a city as a business proposition. The personnel of the first commission augurs well for the operation of the commission plan in Port Huron and the voters there have shown the same good judgment in the choice of commissioners that has characterized the balloting at similar elections in other cities.

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"If properly worked out, I believe the commission form is the right government for Duluth," said Dr. J. J. Eklund this morning. Dr. Eklund has been prominent in municipal affairs and has also taken a prominent part in politics.

"I have never believed in partisanship in municipal politics," Dr. Eklund said, "and I believe the elimination of party designations from the ballot is one of the best features of government by commission. This idea of putting up Democrats and Republicans in the primaries and at the election for city offices is all wrong. We should choose for municipal offices men we know to have the necessary ability and the interest of the city at heart and we should elect such men regardless of whether they are Democrats or Republicans or of any other party.

"In adopting the commission form of government, we should throw safeguards around it to prevent its being directed into the wrong channels, but it has been successful in other cities and it should be in Duluth."

Gill Vetoes Probe Ordinance.

Seattle, Dec. 8. — Mayor Hiram C. Gill, for whose recall petitions are being circulated, has vetoed an ordinance passed by the city council appropriating a fund for the investigation of alleged grafting by city officials.

The Beautiful Hair of English Women

(Annie Bly in N. Y. Graphic.)

The long, abundant and glossy tresses of English women are not due to hair tonics and heroic shampooing. There is a general belief over there that the less water put on the hair, the better it is; they say wetting "takes the life out" and leaves the hair dull, brittle and colorless.

English women with hair rich in color, clean and wholesome—and plenty of it—have told me they attribute it to dry shampooing two or three times a week. They mix four ounces of therox with four ounces of orris root and sprinkle a tablespoonful of this mixture on the head; then brush the powder thoroughly through the hair. They thus also avoid the danger of catching cold and the discomfort that accompanies washing, rinsing and drying the hair.

This treatment keeps the hair light, fluffy and lustrous, and is the only thing I know that will actually produce the growth of hair.

BIG MEETING OF GROCERS

Retailers Are Guests of Gowan-Peyton-Congdon Co. at Banquet.

Speakers Urge Strengthening of Ties Between Grocers of Both Cities.

The Gowan-Peyton-Congdon company, the wholesale grocery firm, was host at a banquet at the Commercial club last night to 116 retail grocers at the Head of the Lakes. The company gave a banquet to the trade before but last night's affair was the biggest of its kind that has been held here in a long time.

W. R. Peyton welcomed the guests, expressing the hope that social meetings would promote friendship between members of the wholesale and retail trade. G. Peterson, secretary of the Duluth Grocers' association, spoke in flattering terms of the Pure Food show. He said he hoped any little differences that had existed in the trade would be buried and forgotten.

M. M. Gasser said the Retail Grocers association has considerable work cut out for it in regulating credits and preventing the retailing of produce and meats by wholesale concerns. Mr. Gasser said there had been enough pure food legislation. He thought that was one of the reasons for the increased cost of living. He said the tax of ten cents a pound on butterine should be removed so the poor man who cannot afford butter will be able to buy outterine.

President J. W. Cummings of the Duluth Retail Grocers' association said that organization had passed a resolution asking Representative Clarence B. Miller to see what he could do toward getting the tax repealed.

Several speakers talked informally and Toastmaster R. W. Brown suggested that all attend the pure food show. The suggestion met with favor and everybody went to the show, 224 West First street.

KEEPING A LINE ON WASHINGTON DOINGS

Those Ballinger Reports.

Interest in congress thus far has centered in the reporting to both houses of the findings of the special joint committee which for eleven months was busy with the charges made against Richard A. Ballinger, secretary of the interior. Three reports were filed—a majority report clearing the cabinet officer of all the charges; a minority finding condemnatory of him, and an individual report by Representative Madison, Republican, of Kansas, also condemnatory.

The senate ordered 30,000 copies of the reports printed, and no discussion in either house attended their introduction. The result of the committee's work probably will prove to be negligible, for the report leaves the question just where it was when the inquiry started, and there is said to be trouble ahead if a vote is called for to determine which of the reports shall be adopted.

The Indian Bill.

The Indian bill, the first of the big money measures, has been introduced in the house. It carries $8,160,980. The amount exceeds the formal estimates of the interior department by $14,723, but is $551,663 less than the total appropriations for the Indian services for the current fiscal year. The larger items are:

Survey and allotment work, reimbursable in part, $251,000; irrigation system Indian reservations allotments, $300,000; irrigation projects, reimbursable, $625,000; suppression of liquor traffic among the Indians, $70,000, and pay of Indian police, $200,000; relief of distress among the Indians and for prevention of disease, $60,000; support and civilization, including purchases of goods and supplies, $935,500; educational purposes, approximately $300,900; provision for treaty stipulations other than educational, $996,560.

Wisconsin Indian Affair.

The bill provides for capitalization of annuities in pursuance of an agreement concluded with the Oneida tribe of Indians of Wisconsin on Jan. 4, 1909, on a basis of 5 per cent, and requiring an appropriation of $20,000. The result of this capitalization will be to eliminate the Wisconsin Oneidas from participation in the appropriation for fulfilling treaties with the Six Nations of New York, which appropriations hereafter will be reduced annually by $1,000,000.

The Carlisle, Pa., Indian school estimate was cut in half.

Amend Railroad Law.

A number of bills and resolutions were introduced in the senate, generally of a private nature. Among the exceptions was a bill by Senator Brown of Nebraska, looking to the amendment of the railroad legislation of last session so as to prohibit one railroad company from acquiring control of a competing line, either by lease or purchase, and two by Senator Smoot regulating the public lands.

Trouble Ahead For Taft.

President Taft's consultations with regular and insurgent Republicans and with the Democrats of the senate, have developed a difference of opinion among the members of the upper house which promises to make the president's already difficult task a much harder one.

The insurgent senators, it is said, have agreed among themselves that the new members of the supreme court must not be men of reactionary tendencies or temperament. They are said to be insisting that the new judges shall be men of sufficient advanced ideas to decide questions of the day alone on broad lines and not be bound by mere legal technicalities.

The regular Republicans on the other hand, are not willing that these new theories as to judgeship qualifications shall be the determining factor as to the fitness of candidates.

Democratic senators have begun insisting that one of the new justices shall be a Democrat. The death of Chief Justice Fuller left only two Democrats on the supreme bench—Justices White and Lurton.

For One-Cent Postage.

For the establishment of 1-cent letter postage, a bill was introduced in the house by Representative Shepard of Texas. It would take effect July 1, 1911. It proposes that the rate for drop letters shall be 1 cent an ounce, instead of 2 cents as under the present law.

Report on Brownsville.

The last gun in connection with the Brownsville riots of 1906, when negro troops were charged with shooting up that town, was fired when the report of the special court of inquiry ordered by the senate was submitted to that body. The report was ordered printed.

Cannon Gives Last Honors.

Speaker Cannon announced a number of committee assignments of members, including both new members and present members who succeeded to committee places made vacant by deaths. Dawson of Iowa, Republican, who declined a re-election, was appointed on the appropriations committee to succeed Brownlow of Tennessee, who died during the recess; and Morehead of North Carolina, also an outgoing Republican, goes to the committee on merchant marine and fisheries. These assignments are of members who will not be in the next congress, thus avoiding any possible embarrassment to the Democratic speaker of the next house.

You Must Read This if You Want the Benefit.

J. W. Greer, Greenwood, La., suffered with a severe case of lumbago. "The pains were so intense I was forced to hypodermic injections for relief. These attacks started with a pain in the small of my back which gradually became fairly paralyzing. My attention was attracted to Foley's Kidney Remedy and I am glad to say that after using this wonderful medicine I am no longer bothered in any way by my old enemy, lumbago." Sold by all druggists.

ACCUSED OF SWINDLING JEWELER IN GERMANY.

New York, Dec. 8.—At the request of the German government, detectives have arrested John Don Cirlole Jose de Filderduy, a Mexican, on the charge that he had swindled Otto Koch of Frankfort-on-Main, a jeweler, of gems worth about $34,000.

The prisoner admitted he was the man wanted. He said he and another man, whose identity he refused to disclose, went to France and Germany last summer, determined to make all the money they could. He said his home was in California and that he had a wife and child there.

OSBORN WILL NOT BE CANDIDATE NEXT TIME.

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 8.—Governor-elect Chase E. Osborn of Sault Ste. Marie, in a letter to the Associated Press, announces that he will not be a candidate for a second term. In the same letter Mr. Osborn expresses the conviction that it is desirable to change the term of the governorship from two to one term of four years.

UNION PRESIDENT IS SHOT BY A MEMBER.

San Francisco, Dec. 8. — Domingo Navarro, president of the Scalers' union, was shot and killed yesterday by Augustine Arevillo, a member of the union. One hundred scalers were holding a meeting to organize an opposition union. Navarro protested and a riot followed during which he was shot.

Tells Britons of Lincoln.

Birmingham, Eng., Dec. 8.—Ambassador and Mrs. Whitelaw Reid were the guests last night of Sir Oliver J. Lodge, principal of the University of Birmingham. Mr. Reid delivered an address on "Lincoln," which concluded the course arranged by the university authorities on "Makers of History." Mrs. Reid today opened the high school for girls at Dudley.

SURE TO BREAK A SEVERE COLD

How to Cure a Bad Cold and End Grippe Misery in a Few Hours.

The most severe cold will be broken, and all grippe misery ended after taking a dose of Pape's Cold Compound every two hours until three consecutive doses are taken.

You will distinctly feel all the disagreeable symptoms leaving after the very first dose.

The most miserable neuralgia pains, headache, dullness, head and nose stuffed up, feverishness, sneezing, running of the nose, sore throat, mucous catarrhal discharges, soreness, stiffness, rheumatism pains and other distress vanishes.

Pape's Cold Compound is the result of three years' research at a cost of more than fifty thousand dollars, and contains no quinine, which we have conclusively demonstrated is not effective in the treatment of colds or grippe.

Take this harmless Compound as directed, with the knowledge that there is no other medicine, made anywhere else in the world, which will cure your cold or end Grippe misery as promptly and without any other assistance or bad after-effects as a 25-cent package of Pape's Cold Compound, which any druggist in the world can supply.

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS.

Council Chamber.
Duluth, Minn., Dec. 5, 1910.

Regular meeting.

Roll call:

Present—Aldermen Barnes, Bergstrom, Bernard, Curren, Getchell, Hector, Hoar, Hogan, MacDonell, Makowski, Moore, Shartel, Wharton, President Jordan—14.

Absent—Aldermen Merrit, Storey—2.

On motion of Alderman Wharton the minutes of the meeting of Nov. 28th were approved as published in pamphlet form, by a unanimous yea vote of all present, on roll call.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS.

Lakeside Land company, for permission to construct sewer in Pitt alley—Received.

Public ownership committee, relative to list submitted of electors to serve as judges of election—Offices and Elections.

Secretary of St. Louis county legislative delegation, urging prompt submission of proposed bills—Received.

West Duluth Commercial club, relative to railroad crossing on Fifty-ninth avenue west and Sixtieth avenue west—Railroads, Telephones and Telegraph Lines.

Lakeside club, invitation to attend meeting of club to be held Dec. 9th—Received.

Frank A. Carlson et al, asking for change of light from the intersection of Huntington street and Sixty-second avenue west to the intersection of Olney street and Sixty-second avenue west—Aldeman from Eighth ward.

Applications and bonds for license, as follows: To operate pool tables, A. L. Johnson, at No. 205 North Thirty-ninth avenue west; Gust Frilund, at No. 10 West First street.

To sell intoxicating liquors, John Wold, at No. 413 East Fourth street; Martin Smith, at No. 220 West Superior street; Jacob Mattson, at No. 324 Lake avenue south, being a transfer from No. 340 Lake avenue south—Police and License.

Pay rolls and certain bills for the month of November—Claims.

Estimates to street contractors—Streets, Alleys and Sidewalks.

Estimates to sewer contractors—Drains, Sewers and Sanitation.

Requisitions Nos. 20815 to 20909 inclusive—Purchasing and Supplies.

REPORTS OF CITY OFFICERS.

Comptroller, treasurer and building inspector, reports for the month of November—Auditing and County Conference.

Plumbing inspector reporting failures to connect premises with sewers—Drains, Sewers and Sanitation.

Secretary board of fire commissioners, reporting promotions in the department.

Reporting award of contracts for hose—Fire Department.

City attorney, recommending settlement of claim of Ida Iverson.

Requesting a change in order to pay for judgment in case of City of Duluth vs. Interstate Traction company—Claims.

Lieutenant colonel of the Third Infantry, M. N. G., recommending increase in salary of Armory janitor—Finance.

Clerk municipal court, reporting conviction of Carl Danielson, Benjamin C. Duncan and Sixtus C. Lindahl of keeping saloons open on Sunday—Police and License.

Chief of police, reporting lights out for the month of November—Claims.

Board of water and light commissioners, requesting immediate action on bills—Claims.

Requesting privilege of occupying the council chamber on the afternoon of Dec. 28th—City Property, Buildings and Markets.

Transmitting transcript of proceedings of meetings of Nov. 17 and Nov. 21st—Received.

Board of Public Works, recommending extension of time for completion of contract of J. A. Johnson for grading and paving Colorado avenue and Seventh street.

Transmitting application of Zenith Telephone company to set poles in Fifty-fifth avenue west—Streets, Alleys and Sidewalks.

Asking for authority to sell horse, buggy, cutter, harness and robe belonging to said department.

Reporting offer of village of Biwabik to purchase portable boiler and engine —City Property, Buildings and Markets.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The resolution submitted by Alderman Wharton granting permission to the Lakeside Land company to connect premises with sanitary sewer in Pitt street was read, and with the unanimous consent of the council the resolution was withdrawn by the mover.

By Alderman Makowski:

Whereas, by the decree of an all-wise and beneficent Providence the Angel of Death has been permitted to invade the home of one of our colleagues, Alderman Thomas J. Storey, and take therefrom a loving wife and mother, and

Whereas, Although the entire community has suffered a distinct loss in the death of Mrs. Storey, yet the most grievous burden falls upon the bereaved husband and motherless children, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the common council of the city of Duluth that we do hereby extend to Alderman Thomas J. Storey and to his family our sincere sympathy in this, their hour of affliction.

Resolved Further, That this resolution be spread upon the minutes of this council and a copy of same be forwarded to Mr. Storey.

Alderman Makowski moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was declared adopted by a unanimous yea vote of all present, on roll call.

Passed Dec. 5, 1910.
Approved Dec. 7, 1910.

By Alderman Makowski:

Resolved, That the board of public works is hereby directed to circulate a petition for the paving and otherwise improving of Tenth avenue east from Fourth to Sixth street.

Alderman Makowski moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was declared adopted upon the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Barnes, Bergstrom, Bernard, Curren, Hector, Hoar, Hogan, MacDonell, Makowski, Moore, Shartel, Wharton, President Jordan—13.

Nays—Alderman Getchell—1.

Passed Dec. 5, 1910.
Approved Dec. 7, 1910.

By Alderman Getchell:

Resolved, That the city treasurer is hereby directed, under provision of chapter 284 of the city charter,, to transfer from the general fund to the police department fund the sum of $2,000 as a portion of the appropriation for said fund for the year 1911, said money so transferred to be used for paying salaries and bills due in December, 1910, being in lieu of certificates of indebtedness as contemplated by section 305 of the city charter.

Alderman Getchell moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was declared adopted by a unanimous yea vote of all present, on roll call.

Passed Dec. 5, 1910.
Approved Dec. 7, 1910.

By Alderman Wharton:

Resolved, That the Lakeside Land company is hereby granted permission to construct a sewer in Pitt alley at the rear of lots 6, 7 and 8, block 72, London addition and connect same with outlet sewer in Forty-eighth avenue east, at their own expense, provided such sewer shall be constructed as a permanent sewer and under the supervision and inspection of the city engineer.

Alderman Wharton moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was declared adopted by a unanimous yea vote of all present, on roll call.

Passed Dec. 5, 1910.
Approved Dec. 7, 1910.

By Alderman Bernard:

Resolved, That the city engineer is hereby directed to establish the grade on Seventh street from Thirty-eighth to Thirty-ninth avenues west, and also to make a survey of the buildings located on said street within said limits, with the view of the establishment thereon of a building line easement.

Alderman Bernard moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was declared adopted by a unanimous yea vote of all present, on roll call.

Passed Dec. 5, 1910.
Approved Dec. 7, 1910.

Alderman Barnes moved that the Duluth-Edison Electric company be directed to erect and maintain a bunch of incandescent lights at the intersection of Central avenue and Medina street.

Alderman Moore moved to amend the resolution by inserting "and at the intersection of Nineteenth avenue east and Sixth street."

Alderman Makowski moved to amend the resolution by inserting "and at the intersection of Seventh avenue east and Eleventh street."

Alderman Hoar moved to amend the resolution by inserting "and opposite No. 900 Garfield avenue."

Alderman Moore withdrew his amendment.

Alderman Getchell moved that the resolution be laid on the table. The motion to table was declared lost upon the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Curren Getchell, Hector, Hogan, MacDonell, Shartel, President Jordan—7.

Nays—Aldermen Barnes, Bergstrom, Bernard, Hoar, Makowski, Moore, Wharton—7.

The amendments were accepted by the mover of the resolution.

The question being upon the adoption of the resolution, it was declared lost upon the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Barnes, Bergstrom, Bernard, Hoar, Makowski—5.

Nays—Aldermen Curren, Getchell, Hector, Hogan, MacDonell, Moore, Shartel, Wharton, President Jordan—9.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Auditing and County Conference, to which was referred reports of receiving and disbursing officers, and comptroller's statement of audit thereof, find said reports to be apparently correct, and recommend that they be received and placed on file.

FRANK MAKOWSKI,
J. D. BERGSTROM,
W. B. GETCHELL,
Committee.

The report was received.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Auditing and County Conference, to which was referred report of the special auditor of the result of his examination of the accounts of the several officers and departments of the city government, find that all of said accounts are practically correct, there being no inaccuracies except two or three immaterial mistakes, which have been rectified. We recommend that said report be received and placed on file.

FRANK MAKOWSKI,
J. D. BERGSTROM,
W. B. GETCHELL,
Committee.

In accordance with the recommendation of the committee, the report was ordered filed.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on City Property, Buildings and Markets, to which was referred report of the Board of Public Works, having considered the same, recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

JAMES A. WHARTON,
CHAS. J. HECTOR,
JOS. SHARTEL,
Committee.

Resolved, That the action of the Board of Public Works in accepting the proposal of the village of Biwabik to pay $150.00 for the portable engine and boiler now stored in the Armory is hereby approved.

Alderman Wharton moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was declared adopted by a unanimous yea vote of all present, on roll call.

Passed Dec. 5, 1910.
Approved Dec. 7, 1910.

To the Common Council:

Your committee on City Property, Buildings and Markets, to which was referred request of the manager of the water and light department, having considered the same, recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

JAMES A. WHARTON,
CHAS. J. HECTOR,
JOS. SHARTEL,
Committee.

Resolved, That the board of water and light commissioners are hereby granted the use of the council chamber Dec. 28th, 1910, for the purpose of holding a public meeting to discuss the meter rates of said department.

Alderman Hogan moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was declared adopted by a unanimous yea vote of all present, on roll call.

Passed Dec. 5, 1910.
Approved Dec. 7, 1910.

Alderman Merritt took his seat in the council.

To the Common Council:

Your committee on City Property, Buildings and Markets, to which was referred recommendation of the board of public works, having considered the same, recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

JAMES A. WHARTON,
CHAS. J. HECTOR,
JOS. SHARTEL,
Committee.

Resolved, That the board of public works is hereby authorized to call for bids for the sale of the horse, buggy, cutter, harness and robe in the possession of said board.

Alderman Wharton moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was declared adopted by a unanimous yea vote of all present, on roll call.

Passed Dec. 5, 1910.
Approved Dec. 7, 1910.

To the Common Council:

Your committee on Claims, to which was referred report of settlement, having consideerd the same, recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

LUCIEN MERRITT,
W. B. GETCHELL,
LUCIEN A. BARNES,
Committee.

Resolved, That the claim of Ida Iverson against the city, on account of personal injury sustained by her by stepping into an opening in a crosswalk at Twenty-eighth avenue west and Third street, be hereby allowed in the sum of $35.00, provided the said Ida Iverson shall first file a release of all claims in form approved by the city attorney.

Alderman Merritt moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was declared adopted by a unanimous yea vote of all present, on roll call.

Passed Dec. 5, 1910.
Approved Dec. 7, 1910.

To the Common Council:

Your committee on Claims, to which was referred bills, having considered the same, recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

LUCIEN MERRITT,
W. B. GETCHELL,
LUCIEN A. BARNES,
Committee.

Resolved, That bills against the city are hereby allowed, and it is hereby directed that orders be drawn on the general fund to pay the same, as follows:

Washburn, Bailey & Mitchell, (attorneys for Interstate Traction Co.), $68.00; M. H. McMahon, (attorney for Emil Olson), $139.12; S. M. Lester, $4.00; Phil Budden, $8.00; L. G. Weber, $5.85; Norman Johnson, $3.90; Harry Garrett, $4.00; Fraser & Falconer, $15.00; Joe Scandin, $16.67; Board of Trade Livery company, $32.60; David Axel, $60.60.

Resolved, Further, That bills against the water and light plant fund are hereby allowed, and the board of water and light commissioners are hereby authorized to draw orders on the city treasurer to pay the same as follows: E. Engle, $2,032.37; Pastoret-Lawrence company, $3,041.74; U. S. Cast Iron Pipe & Foundry company, $11,024.79.

Alderman Merritt moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was declared adopted by a unanimous yea vote of all present, on roll call.

Passed Dec. 5, 1910.
Approved Dec. 7, 1910.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred pay rolls for the month of November, 1910, having considered the same recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

LUCIEN MERRITT.
W. B. GETCHELL.
LUCIEN A. BARNES.
Committee.

Resolved, That the pay rolls for the several departments of the city for the month of November, 1910, be and hereby are approved, and it is hereby directed that orders be drawn on the city treasurer to pay the same, as follows:

GENERAL FUND.	
Armory	$ 75.00
Ferry bridge	397.92
Health department	1,106.73
Watchman, Park Point	25.00
Poundmasters	140.84
Sprinkling	90.00
HEALTH DEPARTMENT FUND.	
Health department	$ 914.00
POLICE DEPARTMENT FUND.	
Police department	6,442.34
PUBLIC WORKS FUND.	
Building inspector	$ 281.63
Engineers	1,610.00
Maintenance of streets, sewers and chain gang	3,885.12
Board of public works	844.15
SALARY FUND.	
Assessors	$ 620.00
City officers	2,887.52
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT FUND.	
Opening roadway west line 26-51-13	213.00

Resolved Further, That pay rolls of the fire department in the sum of $9,131.99, and of the water and light department in the sum of $7,339.06, be and hereby are approved, and said departments are hereby authorized to draw orders on the fire department fund and the water and light plant fund, respectively, to pay the same.

Alderman Merritt moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was declared adopted by a unanaimous yea vote of all present, on roll call.

Passed Dec. 5, 1910.
Approved Dec. 7, 1910.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Claims, to which was referred petition of Kate Juricev, accompanied by affidavit of John G. Ross, Clerk of the Municipal Court of the City of Duluth and affidavit of said Kate Juricev, is of the opinion that under the affidavits presented the amount of fine paid by said Kate Juricev to secure the release of her husband, John Juricev, should be refunded. We therefore recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

LUCIEN MERRITT.
W. B. GETCHELL.
LUCIEN A. BARNES.
Committee

Resolved, That it is hereby directed that an order be drawn on the general fund in favor of Kate Juricev in the sum of forty dollars ($40.00) to effect a refund to said Kate Juricev of the amount paid by her to secure her husband's release under conviction in the municipal court.

Alderman Merritt moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was declared adopted by a unanimous yea vote of all present, on roll call.

Passed Dec. 5, 1910.
Approved Dec. 7, 1910.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Drains, Sewers and Sanitation, to which was referred estimates to contractors, having considered the same, recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

H. P. CURREN,
WILLIAM L. BERNARD,
Committee.

Resolved, That estimates to contractors are hereby allowed, and it is hereby directed that orders be drawn on the permanent improvement revolving fund to pay the same, as follows:

To J. E. Johnson and L. N. Erickson, in the sum of $880.26, on their contract for the construction of a sanitary sewer in Princeton avenue from Oxford street to St. Andrews street, with outlet.

To J. E. Johnson and L. N. Erickson, in the sum of $889.73, on their contract for the construction of a sanitary sewer in Wallace avenue from Woodland avenue to a point near Bruce street.

Alderman Curren moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was declared adopted by a unanimous yea vote of all present, on roll call.

Passed Dec. 5, 1910.
Approved Dec. 7, 1910.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Fire Department, to which was referred award of contract, having considered the same, recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

JOHN HOGAN,
W. S. MOORE,
Committee.

Resolved, That the contracts awarded by the board of fire commissioners to the Bi-Lateral Fire Hose company for 1,000 feet of hose and to W. S. Nott company for 1,000 feet of hose, are hereby approved, the cost of such hose to be paid out of the fire department fund.

Alderman Hogan moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was declared adopted by a unanimous yea vote of all present, on roll call.

Passed Dec. 5, 1910.
Approved Dec. 7, 1910.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Light and Water, to which was referred communication from Arthur A. Fider, secretary of the Central Hillside Improvement club and Peter Olson, president, and H. J. Helm, secretary of the West End Hillside club relative to water rate, would respectfully report that there will be a meeting in the council chamber on Dec. 28th, held by the board of water and light commissioners to consider the question of such rate. We therefore recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

CHAS. J. HECTOR,
JOHN HOGAN,
Committee.

Resolved, That the city clerk is hereby directed to notify Arthur A. Fider, secretary of the Central Hillside club, and Peter Olson, president and H. J. Helm, secretary of the West End Hillside club, that the question of water rate will be considrede by the board of water and light commissioners at a meeting to be held in the council chamber on Dec. 28, at two o'clock p. m.

Alderman Hector moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was declared adopted by a unanimous yea vote of all present, on roll call.

Passed Dec. 5, 1910.
Approved Dec. 7, 1910.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Ordinances and Resolutions, to which was referred ordinance submitted by the Committee on Railroads, Telephones, and Telegraph Lines, entitled "An ordinance granting to the Northern Pacific Railway company, its successors and assigns the right, privilege and authority to construct, lay down, maintain and operate a railway track in, over, and along Traverse street in the City of Duluth," having considered the same recommend that said ordinance be amended by changing the numbering of Sections 3 and 4 thereof to Sections 4 and 5, respectively, and by inserting in lieu thereof a new section.

"Section 3. The right, granted by this franchise is temporary and shall be subjected to revocation by the common council of the City of Duluth at any time," and recommend that said ordinance as so amended be adopted.

JOSEPH SHARTEL,
C. R. HOAR,
CHAS. J. HECTOR,
Committee.

The report was received.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Ordinances and Resolutions, to which was referred ordinance submitted by Alderman Shartel entitled "An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An ordinance to regulate the construction, alteration, repair, removal and inspection of buildings within the corporate limits of the city of Duluth, the protection of the lives of persons therein and the protection of property against fire,' passed Jan. 8, 1906, as amended," having considered the same, recommend that said ordinance be amended in Section 2 thereof by striking out all of said section, and by inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 2. That Section 3 of Title XXXII of Part II of said ordinance be amended by adding at the end thereof the following:

"Provided that if one end of the main floor of such assembly hall shall be elevated not to exceed the height of five feet above the adjacent sidewalk level at such end, the other portions of such main floor may be elevated to a height of not to exceed twenty feet above the adjacent sidewalk level, but in such case there shall be an exit from the highest point of said floor, consisting of fire proof stairway at least ten feet wide and otherwise complying with the ordinances of the City of Duluth, relating to stairway, with doors opening outward onto the street or avenue adjacent; and provided further that no gasoline, kerosene, or other inflammable or explosive oils or substances in any quantity whatsoever shall be permitted or allowed upon any part of such premises," and that said ordinance as so amended be adopted.

JOS. SHARTEL,
C. R. HOAR,
CHAS. J. HECTOR,
Committee.

The report was received.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Police and License, to which was referred applications and bonds for license to sell intoxicating liquors, having considered the same, recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

C. R. HOAR,
JOS. SHARTEL,
JAMES A. WHARTON,
Committee.

Resolved, That applications for license to sell intoxicating liquors are hereby granted, and bonds accompanying same are hereby approved, as follows:

William Vail, at No. 9 East Superior street; Lawrence Peterson, at No. 623 West Superior street.

Alderman Hoar moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was declared adopted upon the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Bergstrom, Bernard, Curren, Getchell, Hector, Hoar, Hogan, MacDonell, Makowski, Merritt, Shartel, Wharton, President Jordan—13.

Nays—Aldermen Barnes, Moore—2.

Passed Dec. 5, 1910.
Approved Dec. 7, 1910.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Police and License, to which was referred applications and bonds for license, having considered the same, recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

C. R. HOAR,
JOS. SHARTEL,
JAMES A. WHARTON,
Committee.

Resolved, That applications for license to operate pool tables are hereby granted, and bonds accompanying same are hereby approved, as follows:

David Horwitz, at No. 127 South Fifty-seventh avenue west; A. L. Johnson, at No. 205 North Thirty-ninth avenue west; August Friland at No. 10 West First street.

Alderman Hoar moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was declared adopted by a unanimous yea vote of all present, on roll call.

Passed Dec. 5, 1910.
Approved Dec. 7, 1910.

To the Common Council:

Your committee on Purchasing and Supplies, to which was referred requisitions, having considered the same, recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

J. A. MacDONELL,
LUCIEN A. BARNES,
C. R. HOAR,
Committee.

Resolved, That requisitions of city officers Nos. 20815 to 20909 inclusive, be and hereby are approved.

Alderman MacDonell moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was declared adopted by a unanimous yea vote of all present, on roll call.

Passed Dec. 5, 1910.
Approved Dec. 7, 1910.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Streets, Alleys and Sidewalks, who were appointed and designated to hear and consider the petition for the vacation of the alley between blocks 30 and 46 in Portland division of Duluth (being Second alley between Fifth and Sixth avenues east), would respectfully report that, pursuant to notice published by the city clerk, we did meet in the city clerk's office in the city hall in the city of Duluth on Monday, Dec. 5, 1910, at 3:30 o'clock p. m. That at said meeting no one appeared in opposition to the proposed vacation. Your committee is of the opinion that from the contour of said alley it will not be needed for alley purposes, but is of the opinion that a right-of-way should be reserved for sewers and water mains and for conduits and poles for electric wires. In order to effectuate such vacation we recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

W. S. MOORE,
JOHN HOGAN,
J. A. MacDONELL,
Committee.

Resolved, That the alley between blocks 30 and 46 in Portland Division of Duluth (being Second alley between Fifth and Sixth avenues east) be and hereby is vacated, reserving to the city and to all persons or corporations holding franchises therefor from the city, the right to construct and maintain sewers and water mains and conduits and poles for electric wires therein.

Alderman Moore moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was declared adopted by a unanimous yea vote of all present, on roll call.

Passed Dec. 5, 1910.
Approved Dec. 7, 1910.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Streets, Alleys and Sidewalks, to which was referred recommendation of the Board of Public Works, having considered the same, recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

W. S. MOORE,
JOHN HOGAN,
J. A. MacDONELL,
Committee.

Resolved, That the time for the completion of the contract of J. A. Johnson for grading and paving Colorado avenue and Seventh street is hereby extended to June 30, 1911, provided the surety on the bond of the said contractor shall first file its written consent thereto in form approved by the city attorney.

Alderman MacDonell moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was declared adopted by a unanimous yea vote of all present, on roll call.

Passed Dec. 5, 1910.
Approved Dec. 7, 1910.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Streets Alleys and Sidewalks, to which was referred estimates to contractors, having considered the same, recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

W. S. MOORE,
JOHN HOGAN,
J. A. MacDONELL
Committee.

Resolved, That estimates to contractors are hereby allowed, and it is hereby directed that orders be drawn on the city treasurer to pay the same, as follows:

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT REVOLVING FUND.

To P. McDonnell, in the sum of $1,373.24, on his contract for the regrading and paving of First avenue east from Superior street to Third street.

To Pastoret-Lewrence company, in the sum of $6,376.18, on their contract for the grading of Sixth street from East Cascade street to Fourteenth avenue east.

GENERAL FUND.

To Thomson & Stewart, in the sum of $228.12, on their contract for the construction, repairing and relaying of cement sidewalk on Park point.

Alderman MacDonell moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was declared adopted by a unanimous yea vote of all present, on roll call.

Passed Dec. 5, 1910.
Approved Dec. 7, 1910.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Streets, Alleys and Sidewalks, to which was referred recommendation of the Board of Public Works, having considered the same, recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

W. S. MOORE,
JNO. HOGAN,
J. A. MacDONELL,
Committee.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works is hereby advised that this council consents to the issuance of permits to the Duluth Telephone company and to the Duluth-Edison Electric company to set poles as recommended by said board in communication dated No. 21, 1910, provided that said permits shall be subject to revocation by this council at any time.

Alderman MacDonell moved the adoption of the resolution, and it was declared adopted by a unanimous yea vote of all present, at roll call.

Passed Dec. 5, 1910.
Approved Dec. 7, 1910.

The city attorney was accorded the privilege of the floor and suggested that, in the preparation of the proposed light bond bill to be submitted to the legislature, he have the co-operation of a committee from the council.

Alderman Shartel moved that the president of the council be directed to appoint a committee of three aldermen to be known as the special legislative committee to consider and report on all matters pertaining to all proposed bills, such committee to be appointed on or before the next regular meeting of the council.

The motion was declard adopted by a unanimous yea vote of all present, on roll call.

Alderman Getchell moved that the city attorney be requested to prepare and submit to this council a bill to prohibit the receipt by the county treasurer of the payment of taxes unless assessments are paid at the same time.

The motion was declared adopted by a unanimous yea vote of all present, on roll call.

Passed Dec. 5, 1910.
Approved Dec. 7, 1910.

INTRODUCTION AND CONSIDERATION ON ORDINANCES.

The ordinance entitled "An ordinance granting to the Northern Pacific Railway company, its successors and assigns, the right, privilege and authority to construct, lay down, maintain and operate a railway track in, over and along Traverse street in the city of Duluth," took its second reading.

Alderman Shartell moved that the ordinance be now placed upon its final passage, and the motion was declared adopted by a unanimous yea vote of all present, on roll call.

Alderman Shartel moved that the ordinance be amended as recommended by the Committee on Ordinances and Resolutions in report of this date. The motion to amend was declared adopted by a unanimous yea vote of all present, on roll call.

Alderman Shartel moved the adoption of the ordinance as amended, and it was declared so adopted by a unanimous yea vote of all present, on roll call.

The ordinance entitled "An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An ordinance regulating the construction, alteration, repair, removal and inspection of buildings within the corporate limits of the city of Duluth, the protection of the lives of persons therein and the protection of property against fire,' passed January 8, 1906, as amended," took its second reading.

Alderman Shartel moved that the ordinance be now placed upon its final passage, and the motion was declared adopted by a unanimous yea vote of all present, on roll call.

Alderman Shartel moved that the ordinance be amended as recommended by the Committee on Ordinances and Resolutions in report of this date. The motion to amend was declared adopted by a unanimous yea vote of all present, on roll call.

Alderman Shartel moved the adoption of the ordinance as amended, and it was declared adopted upon the following vote:

Yeas—Aldermen Barnes, Bergstrom, Bernard, Curren, Hector, Hoar, Hogan, MacDonell, Makowski, Merritt, Shartel, Wharton, President Jordan—13.

Nays—Aldermen Getchell, Moore—2.

The following entitled ordinance took its first reading and was referred to the Committee on Ordinances and Resolutions:

By Alderman Shartel (by request):

An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled "An ordinance regulating the construction, alteration, repair, removal and inspection of buildings within the corporate limits of the city of Duluth, the protection of the lives of persons therein and the protection of property against fire," passed Jan. 8, 1906, as amended.

On motion of Alderman MacDonell the council adjourned.

H. W. CHEADLE,
City Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE GRANTING TO THE NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS, THE RIGHT, PRIVILEGE AND AUTHORITY TO CONSTRUCT, LAY DOWN, MAINTAIN, AND OPERATE, A RAILWAY TRACK IN, OVER AND ALONG TRAVERSE STREET IN THE CITY OF DULUTH.

The Common Council of the City of Duluth do Ordain as follows:

Section 1. That there be and is hereby granted to the Northern Pacific Railway company, its successors and assigns, the right, privilege and authority to construct, lay down, maintain and operate, by steam or other motive power, and with engines and cars, a railway spur track in, along, over and across Traverse street, said track to be of the ordinary construction. The center line of said spur track is described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point fifty (50) feet northerly from the south westerly corner of lot nine (9), block seventy-one (71), Oneota, according to the recorded plat thereof, and extending thence in a general easterly direction to the northwest corner of lot eight (8), block sixty-three (63), Oneota, according to the recorded plat thereof.

The work of construction of said track shall be done in a workmanlike manner and said street shall not be obstructed thereby more than is reasonably necessary, provided, that said railway company shall save and hold harmless said city from any and all damages and claims for damages by reason of the construction, maintenance and operation of said track in, upon and over said street.

Section 2. The said railway company shall, and by the acceptance of this ordinance does agree to pay the proportionate share of the cost to the city of Duluth of any and all street improvements on said Traverse street as to any property now or hereafter owned by said company on the southerly side of said Traverse street between Forty-third avenue west and Forty-fourth avenue west, whether used for railway purposes or any other purpose, and any and all assessments now or hereafter levied and assessed on said property for such street improvements. Said company's proportionate share of such cost and the amount of such assessments shall be determined by the Board of Public Works of the city of Duluth. All provisions of the city charter of the city of Duluth with respect to street improvements and assessments therfor, except as herein otherwise provided, shall apply to said property in all respects the same as if said property was not used for railroad purposes or otherwise exempt from the payment of assessments for street improvements.

Section 3. The right granted by this franchise is temporary and shall be subject to revocation by the common council of the city of Duluth at any time.

Section 4. Before this ordinance shall become effective, said Northern Pacific Railway company shall file with the city clerk of said city its acceptance, in writing, agreeing to the terms of this ordinance.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication and acceptance by said railway company as hereinabove provided.

Passed Dec. 5, 1910.
Approved Dec. 7, 1910.

M. B. CULLUM,
Mayor.

Attest:
H. W. CHEADLE,
City Clerk.

By Alderman Shartel (by request):

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE CONSTRUCTION, ALTERATION, REPAIR, REMOVAL AND INSPECTION OF BUILDINGS WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF DULUTH, THE PROTECTION OF THE LIVES OF PERSONS THEREIN AND THE PROTECTION OF PROPERTY AGAINST FIRE," PASSED JANUARY 8, 1906, AS AMENDED.

The Common Council of the City of Duluth do Ordain as follows:

Section 1. That Section 2 of Title XXXII of Part II of an ordinance entitled "An ordinance regulating the construction, alteration, repair, removal and inspection of buildings within the corporate limits of the city of Duluth, the protection of the lives of persons therein and the protection of property against fire," passed January 8, 1906, as amended, be amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 2. Every building hereafter so built or altered, as to be used as an assembly hall with a seating capacity of less than seven hundred and fifty (750) persons, may be an VIII class building when not conflicting with any other provision of this ordinance, provided, that said assembly hall be located on the first floor of said building and that no part or portion of said first floor shall be elevated to a greater height above the adjacent sidewalk level than six (6) feet, if with a seating capacity of more than seven hundred and fifty (750) persons and less than twenty-five hundred (2,500) persons, it shall be a I, II, III, IV, V, or VI class building, and if with a seating capacity of more than twenty-five hundred (2,500) persons, it shall be a I, II, III class building."

Sec. 2. That Section 3 of Title XXXII of Part II of said ordinance be amended by adding at the end thereof the following:

"Provided that if one end of the main floor of such assembly hall shall be elevated not to exceed the height of five fleet above the adjacent sidewalk level at such end, the other portions of such main floor may be elevated to a height of not to exceed twenty feet above the adajacent sidewalk level, but in such case there shall be an exit from the highest point of said floor, consisting of fire proof stairway at least ten feet wide and otherwise complying with the ordinances of the City of Duluth, relating to stairway, with doors opening outward onto the street or avenue adjacent; and provided further that no gasoline, kerosene, or other inflammable or explosive oils or substances in any quantity whatsoever shall be permitted or allowed upon any part of such premises."

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Passed Dec. 5, 1910.
Approved Dec. 7, 1910.

M. B. CULLUM,
Mayor.

Attest:
H. W. CHEADLE,
City Clerk.

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CURLERS ARE ASSIGNED

Twenty Rinks May Be Entered at the West Duluth Curling Club.

Play Is Started for the Hurst Medals—Commercial Club Next.

About twenty rinks will be entered this year at the West Duluth curling rink, Fifty-seventh avenue west and Bristol street. Already the curlers have been assigned to twelve rinks, and according to Secretary Neil J. Buckley, at least six or seven more will organize within the next few days.

The following assignments have been made:

Daugaard.	Horman.
McDonnell.	Seymour.
Winness.	H. Strand.
Holland, skip.	S. Strand, skip.
Raymond.	Burns.
Judson.	Smith.
Buckley.	Ashley.
Wade, skip.	Macauley, skip.
Collier.	Simpson.
Gilpin.	Madson.
Wakeman.	Filiatrault.
Evered, skip.	Method, skip.
Crosby.	Kiltin, Jr.
	Mallory, Jr.
Donald.	Wade, Jr.
Olson, skip.	Wade, Sr., skip.
Kreidler.	Hamilton.
Crosby.	Iltis, Jr.
Brown.	McKibbon.
Keyes, skip.	Iltis, Sr., skip.
Sullivan.	Scott, Jr.
Martin.	
Zauft, skip.	Scott, Sr., skip.

The Hurst medals are the first trophies to be put up for the curlers this season, and last evening two games were played in this event. The "kid rink," with Wade as skip, defeated the Evered squad, 8 to 7, and Keys scored a 14 to 12 victory over Holland's aggregation. The following is the drawing for the Hurst event:

Preliminary Round.	First Round.
Macauley Scott	
Wade's Kids Evered	Wade's Kids
Keyes Holland	Keyes
Olson Method	
	Strand Iltis
	Zauft Wade

This evening play will be resumed in the Hurst event, and the following games have been scheduled: Macauley vs. Scott; Olson vs. Method; Wade vs. Zauft; Strand vs. Iltis. The next trophy to be put up will be the West Duluth Commercial club event.

MRS. MELDRUM PASSES AWAY

Well-Known West Duluth Woman Dies of Pneumonia.

Mrs. Elizabeth Jane Meldrum, 54 years old and for the past ten years a resident of West Duluth, died last evening of pneumonia at the family residence, 507 South Seventy-second avenue west.

Besides her husband, Gordon W. Meldrum, she is survived by four daughters and three sons. They are Mrs. John Shields of Winnipeg, Can., who is here to attend the funeral; Mrs. G. O. Lockhart, Mrs. Robert Y. Dunn and Miss Jean Meldrum and Ewart, Allen and Wallace. The latter resides at Blair, Nev.

The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock from the residence and at 1:30 o'clock from the West Duluth Baptist church. Rev. Hugo J. P. Selinger will officiate and burial will be at Oneota cemetery. Mrs. Meldrum, prior to her coming to West Duluth, lived at Winnipeg.

HANDS BADLY FROST BITTEN

With both hands frozen, Louis Borge, a laborer, slept in the snow until he was awakened from his drunken stupor by an officer, who helped him home. Pedestrians first noticed the man lying on the sidewalk in front of 309 North Sixtieth avenue west, late last evening and notified the police.

Sergt. Barber responded to the call and found Borge asleep and numb with the cold. After experiencing considerable difficulty, the officer finally helped the man get home. Borge lives at 6210 Green street.

Dr. D. E. Seashore was called at once and attended to the man's injuries. It is possible that he may lose one or both of his hands as they were badly nipped by the frost. Borge probably owes his life to the passerby who observed him and telephoned for an officer.

Four weeks ago, when the Alger Smith mill shut down, Borge was thrown out of employment. Since that time, his wife told Officer Barber, he has been drinking heavily and on one other occasion he had to be helped home by an officer.

DOUBLE WEDDING AT WEST DULUTH.

West Duluth had a double wedding last evening.

Miss Catharine Lozway and Paul Miller were united in matrimony and Miss Georgia M. Shea and Francis W. Lozway were made man and wife.

The affair took place at the home of Mrs. Mary A. Lozway at 5806 Elinor street. Rev. E. B. Collier officiated.

TWINS BORN IN TWO WEST DULUTH HOMES.

Two sets of twins were born at West Duluth yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brooks of 308 South Fifty-eighth avenue west were the parents of a daughter and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reitzloff of 811 North Fifty-ninth avenue west are also the parents of twins, a boy and a girl.

Royal League Officers.

West Duluth council, No. 255, Royal League, has elected officers and selected M. J. Murray as a delegate to the state convention of the lodge at St. Paul, Jan. 9. The installation will be held Jan. 3.

The following are the new officers: R. L. Davidson, archon; Axel Berggren, vice archon; M. J. Murray, re-elected oracle; L. A. Sulcove, past archon; L. A. Barnes, re-elected scribe; E. G. Kriedler, collector; E. S. Olson, treasurer; Lawrence Simpson, prelate; L. S. Larson, guide; R. E. S. Rienertson, warden; T. E. Olsen, sentry; L. R. Clark, trustee.

M. B. A. Officers.

Fraternity lodge, M. B. A., No. 860 has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: L. A. Barnes, president; Mrs. Anna Hanson, vice president; Joseph Becks, secretary; Mrs. Lizzie Hagen, treasurer; Mrs. Cora Murray, chaplain; Martin Kenney, conductor; Carl G. Carlson, watchman; Merrill King, sentry; Drs. David Graham and D. E. Seashore, physicians; W. H. Schafer, trustee and Miss Hazel Crosby, musician.

It was decided to install the newly elected officers jointly with the West end and up-town lodges, Jan. 5.

Dies of Typhoid.

Charles August Johnson, 35 years old, died at St. Luke's hospital of typhoid fever yesterday afternoon following a two weeks' illness. He has one brother, Adolph, who resides at West Duluth and is reported to have three brothers residing in Sweden.

Johnson came here five years ago and for some time past has boarded at the Michigan hotel, 307 North Fifty-third avenue west. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon from the Richter undertaking rooms at 2 o'clock. Interment will be at Oneota cemetery.

West Duluth Briefs.

We have the December list of Victor records. Glad to play any of them for you. Drop in. Spencer Pharmacy company.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Asbury M. E. church will give a supper tomorrow evening.

Rev. Angus McKenzie of Bruno, Minn., visited friends at Proctor yesterday.

Don't forget the closing out sale at Keefe's toggery, beginning Dec. 10.

The funeral of Mary Violet, 7-year-old daughter of Patrick Burns of 514 North Fifty-eighth avenue west, was held this morning from the St. James Catholic church to Calvary cemetery.

Great reduction sale on men's and boys' suits, overcoats and shoes, at the Bell Clothing store, 308 Central avenue.

The Dorcas Society of Elim Swedish Lutheran church will meet this evening at the home of Mrs. Leander Johnson of 7019 Raleigh street.

For Rent—Steam-heated rooms. See L. A. Barnes, 304 Central avenue.

The cast of the "Deestrict Skule," a play recently given at Proctor, will have a sleighride party tomorrow evening from Proctor to Pike Lake.

The West Duluth firemen were called out early last evening to put out a small blaze which broke out in a brick flat building at 5209 Ramsey street. The fire was started from a defective chimney.

M. Murphy of Grand Rapids, Minn., is visiting at West Duluth.

Watch repairing. Hurst, West Duluth.

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WATCHES—Guaranteed—**$1.00, $1.50 to $2.50.**
POCKET KNIVES—Warranted, at **25¢ to $3.00.**
CARVING SETS—$1.50 to $8.00.
RIFLES—$1.50, $2.25, $3.50, $6.00 to $12.00.
AIR GUNS—50¢ to $1.50.
SILVER-PLATED KNIVES AND FORKS—$2.50 to $10.
SILVER-PLATED TEA AND TABLE SPOONS—$1.25 to $6.00.
NICKEL-PLATED TEA AND COFFEE POTS—75¢ to $3.
SHEARS AND SCISSORS—Single and in sets—**50¢ to $3.00.**
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Looking For Relatives.

The police have been requested to locate the relatives of Margaret Magdalene Ross, who died several days ago in St. Paul. She was going under the name of Mrs. Alice Johnson in that city. The body is being held at the county morgue. She is said to have lived here six years ago. She left a considerable sum of money and personal property.

Boys Entertain Teacher.

The boys of the Sunday school of Pro-cathedral and their teachers entertained at an informal dinner and party last evening in honor of Mr. Johnson, one of the teachers who will leave soon for Ann Arbor.

Bank Clearings.

Duluth bank clearings for the week ending Thursday, Dec. 8, were $3,760,659.94.

Looking for Brother.

The authorities are looking for a brother of Gust Johnson, who died at St. Mary's hospital this morning. The man is known to have a brother in the city, but he has not been located. The body is at the undertaking rooms of Flood & Horgan.

Had Too Many Knives.

William Erickson, a schoolboy 16 years old, was brought to police headquarters yesterday afternoon by Patrolman Musolf on a charge of petty larceny. He was trying to sell a quantity of pocket knives. He claimed that he had picked them up on First street between Fifth and Sixth avenues west, after they had fallen from a runaway rig. The police were unable to learn of any runaway on First street yesterday afternoon. The knives bore the label of the Camillus Cutlery company.

Assault Charge.

Henry Murphy was arrested last evening on a charge of having assaulted Albert Nelson. He entered a plea of not guilty and his trial was set for this afternoon.

Fugitive From Justice.

Charles Johnson was arrested yesterday for the Ely authorities and booked as a fugitive. He is wanted on a charge of having obtained $15 worth of goods from Bloomenson & Son by false pretenses.

Expensive "Jag."

Steve Quick got an expensive jag on the Bowery last night. He had so many of the bowls that cheer that he couldn't navigate without rolling like a ship in the trough of a sea. One unfortunate lurch sent him through a plate glass window and a show case, following which he was arrested on a charge of being intoxicated. This morning he promised faithfully to go to work and pay for the damage which he had done. Under that condition the court suspended sentence.

Purchases Texas Land.

Judge J. B. Middlecoff of the probate court has purchased another tract of 2,000 acres of land in Texas. The land is close to Houston. Some time ago the judge bought 2,000 acres and the two tracts are but a short distance apart. He intends to divide the land and sell it in smaller tracts.

Your Advertising Written Right.

If you haven't time to write your own Christmas advertising copy—make a deal with the Mackintosh Advertising Agency, 202 Torrey Bldg. They will write it for you cheaply and will get the maximum results out of it for you.

In Critical Condition.

George H. Lounsberry, the prominent Duluth contractor, who was taken to his home, 2102 East Third street, several days ago following a hemorrhage from the stomach, at the Holland hotel, had another hemorrhage last night. It was not a heavy attack, fortunately. Dr. C. A. Stewart, who is attending him, says that he is still in dangerous condition.

Money For Santa Claus.

The Herald acknowledges $1 from a man who signs himself as a "friend," and who wishes the money to be used in some Santa Claus fund. The donation will be turned over to where it will do the most good. The "friend" states that he would make the donation $1,000 if he could.

Trespass Charge.

Charles Amonson, 18 years old, and Emmet Knight, 16 years of age, were arrested last night by Specials Hess and Harton of the D., M. & N., on charges of trespass. It was claimed that they had been stealing coal from the company's trains. Amonson got $20 and costs or thirty days on pleading guilty in police court this morning. The Knight boy will be brought up to the juvenile court. The boys were caught after they had given the officers a spirited chase.

Northland Printery.
Good Printing. Call Zenith 494.

John Dwan in the City.

John Dwan of Two Harbors, who is contesting John Kinsella's election to the office of county attorney of Lake county, is in the city today. Gen. Dwan said the count of votes has been completed and that if the court rules in his favor on the contentions at issue, he will be elected by about fifty votes.

Hip Broken by Fall.

Frank Williams was taken to St. Mary's hospital this morning suffering from a broken hip, sustained by a fall to the sidewalk. He resides at 17 Seventh avenue west.

PERSONAL

Mrs. C. D. Campbell of Eveleth is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Campbell of Lakeside.

Rev. Arthur H. Wurtele returned today from the East. He visited his parents in Canada and was in New York.

George H. Wilder of Grand Rapids is in the city, a guest at the St. Louis.

H. M. O'Neil of Cass Lake is registered at the St. Louis.

J. S. Judd of Saginaw, Mich., was in Duluth today.

William J. and S. H. Mudge and William Chapman and Hy Oxman of Mesaba were in the city today.

Mrs. C. A. Webster of Virginia is a guest at the Spalding.

F. G. Minnebeck of Virginia is in the city on a business trip.

Mrs. H. F. Dear of Hibbing is a guest at the Spalding.

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FOR SALE—LUTE FISH. D. KLAUSEN, 529 Lake avenue north.

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FOR RENT—NEW, MODERN, FIVE-room flat; central location. Charles P. Craig & Co., 501-2-3-4-5 Sellwood building.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN, good worker, attending business college, wants inside position. Wholesale grocery preferred. Herald, X 276.

LOST—HAND BAG, INITIAL "S," between Sixth and Third avenues west this noon. Finder please return to Western Union Telegraph office for reward.

LADIES' TAILORED GARMENTS made to order; prices right; satisfaction guaranteed. Mrs. G. W. Davis, 115 West Superior street, over Wieland's.

GET YOUR WINTER HAT NOW AT ½ price. East End Milliner. 705 East Fourth street.

BIRTHS.

PERSON—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Chris Person of 2012 Piedmont avenue, Dec. 6.

STRAND—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lars Strand of 1209 Eighth avenue east, Nov. 30.

STEINER—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Steiner of 15 Fourth avenue east, Nov. 29.

EDBLAD—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gideon Edblad of 2114 West Fourth street, Dec. 4.

SPE—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Spe of 533 Garfield avenue, Dec. 4.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

THOMPSON—The funeral of Andrew B. Thompson, 67 years old, who died suddenly in his room at 511 East Fifth street about 9 o'clock Tuesday evening while sitting in a chair, will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the First Norwegian church, First avenue east and Third street. He is survived by several brothers and sisters. Interment will be at Park Hill cemetery.

WHEAT AND FLAX LOWER

Former Declines But Steadies After a Weak Opening.

Flax Market Unsettled—Barley Prices Still Soaring.

Duluth Board of Trade, Dec. 8.—Wheat closed lower today, values being unable to regain the losses at the opening. December lost ⅜c and May declined ⅝c. Cash wheat was on a parity with December and closed higher than the Minneapolis spot market. Oats lost ¼c, rye was unchanged and barley advanced 2c to a new high record for this year. There were no cash transactions in barley reported. Durum lost ⅛c.

Flaxseed closed weaker. December lost 5½c and May declined 6c. Spot seed was on a parity with December and about 1c under Minneapolis. Antwerp quoted new crop La Plata seed for early shipment in the new year at $1.97, a decided drop from the levels of the last few days.

The wheat market was firm today after a weak opening. The stubborness of values was apparent on the surface although the undertone did not appear to be particularly strong. The weakness of the market at the opening was caused by lower cables and the execution of stop-loss orders. The situation was mixed as there was very little news of local character in the fore part of the day although later the reported improvement of the Northwestern flour demand and the continued light receipts of choice milling wheat contributed to the firmness of the market.

Liverpool and continental markets were down because of lower Buenos Ayres quotations, cheaper La Plata offerings and a fairly large estimate of Argentine shipments of wheat this week, which were placed at 400,000 bu in comparison with 952,000 bu last week. The foreign demand for wheat was slow and prospective purchasers were disposed to back away from offers. Bids were lower.

The trade was confronted with the figures showing the large increase in stocks of wheat on this side and an interview with a former Chicago speculator had some effect on the weak opening of that market.

Toward the close pressure was absent and the few buying orders that came into the market were sufficient to put up values. Bears offered little resistance being content to experience a harder spot on which they could sell again. The Southwestern receipts of wheat showed a healthy increase although in the Northwest receipts and offers were exceedingly light.

The Northwestern Miller said that the Minneapolis output of flour this week is 70,915 barrels less than last week. Sales are materially less than the output. A wire from Minneapolis said, however, that the demand for flour for future shipment is increasing and that millers are not so pessimistic.

The condition of Ohio wheat as wired by King of Toledo is 94 per cent of normal.

A large increase in the visible supply of wheat is expected by some people this week. Others look for a gradual hardening of the situation in the United States, as considerable wheat will disappear and stocks will soon begin to show a decrease. Stocks are burdensome, however, and are greatly in excess of stores at this time last year.

The government's report on winter wheat was not construed as bullish by many traders on account of the large increase in acreage. The foreigner was disposed to regard the report as bearish. The official loss in winter wheat acreage a year ago was 4,439,000. Kansas lost 35 per cent of its acreage, or 2,168,000 acres; Nebraska lost 25.5 per cent, or 789,000 acres, and Missouri lost 17.5 per cent, or 386,000 acres. Of the entire total these three states lost 3,343,000 acres. Because of this loss the winter wheat crop was reduced to 458,294,000 bu from the December estimate of 560,000,000 bu. The crop was exceeded only by two other crops in the history of the country.

With these facts in mind, traders look for an improvement in the condition of winter wheat by the January report and they think the increased acreage this year will help to offset the damage.

Argentina has shipped 70,000,000 bushels of wheat thus far this year and a claim is made by some people that the exportable surplus of the new crop will not be larger than that of the last crop. Other estimates run as high as 112,000,000 bushels. Official estimates indicate a crop about on a parity with that of last year.

The flaxseed market was erratic. Pronounced weakness developed when longs began to throw over flaxseed and on the decline Minneapolis crushers were buyers causing the market to become firmer. The market was extremely narrow and prices advanced and fell on sales of 1,000 bu. There was some speculative activity but toward noon traders grew cautious and were disposed to let the market alone. Northwestern crushers probably will go after all of the seed they can obtain and some people look for extremely high prices in December flaxseed.

On the other hand the market is becoming more unsettled and there are traders who would not be surprised at pronounced weakness. They think the Argentine crop will be larger than expected. Offerings of Argentine seed in the Northwest under prevailing prices have a demoralizing effect. People who look for a short crop and rapid marketing of the Argentine surplus think prices next spring will soar.

Cash Sales Thursday.

No 1 hard wheat, 2 cars	$1.05
No. 1 northern, 10,800 bu to arrive	1.04
No. 1 northern, 3 cars	1.03⅞
No. 1 northern, 13 cars	1.04
No. 1 northern, 1,00 bu	1.03⅞
No. 1 northern, 1 car	1.04¼
No. 1 northern, 1 car mixed	1.02⅞
No. 1 northern, 1,570 bu to arrive	1.04
No. 1 northern, 1 car	1.04½
No. 3 northern, 1 car	.98⅛
Flax, 1 car	2.53
Flax, 1,000 bu to arrive December	2.51
Flax, 1 car	2.51
No. 1 durum, 7 cars	.86⅜
No. 1 durum, 1 car	.86¼
No. 1 durum, 1 car	.86¼
No. 1 durum, 1 car mixed	.86½
No. 1 durum, 1 car	.86½
No. 1 durum, 3,000 bu to arrive	.86¼
No. 2 durum, 2 cars	.84⅝

Liverpool Grain.

Liverpool, Dec. 8.—Closing: Wheat—Spot strong; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 3d; futures quiet; December, 6s 9¾d; March, 6s 11½d; May, 7s. Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, 5s 4d; futures quiet; January, 4s 4½d; February, 4s 3½d.

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AMERICAN WHEAT MARKETS, DEC. 8.

Dec.—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Dec. 7.
Duluth	$1.02½a	$1.02⅝a	$1.02¼b	$1.02⅜a	$1.02¾a
Chicago	.92⅛-¼	.92½	.91⅞	.92	.92½b
Minneapolis	1.01½	1.01⅝	1.01¼	1.01¼a	1.01½-⅝
New York	.97¼	.97¼	.97⅛	.97⅛	.97⅞
Winnipeg	.90⅞	......	......	.90¾	.91⅛b
Kansas City	.90⅝	.90⅞-91	.90⅝-¾	.90¾	.91-⅛
St. Louis	.94¼	.94⅝	.94¼	.94⅝	......
May—					
Duluth	1.06½	1.06⅝	1.06⅜	1.06⅜	1.06¾
Chicago	.96⅜-½	.96½-⅝	.96⅛	.96⅛-¼a	.96¾a
Minneapolis	1.04½	1.04⅞-5	1.04½	1.04½b	1.04⅞a
New York	1.02⅞	1.02⅞	1.02⅝	1.02⅝	1.03¼
Winnipeg	.95¼	.95¼-⅜b	.95	.95b	.95⅜b
Kansas City	.94⅝-½	.94⅝	.94¼	.94¼	.94⅝-¾
St. Louis	.97⅝-¾	.97¾	.97⅜-½	.97⅜-½	.97⅞

Southwestern and Winnipeg quotations furnished by B. E. Baker & Co.

DULUTH DURUM MARKET.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Dec. 7.
December	$ .86¼	$ .86½b	$ .86¼b	$ .86⅜	$ .86½a
May	.90¼	.90½	.90a	.90⅛a	.90½a

DULUTH FLAX MARKET.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Dec. 7.
December	$2.53	$2.53½	$2.43a	$2.47½	$2.53b
May	2.57	2.57¼b	2.46	2.51½	2.57½b

Duluth close: Wheat—On track: No. 1 hard, $1.04⅞; No. 1 northern, $1.03⅞; No. 2 northern, $1.00⅞-1.01⅞. To arrive: No. 1 northern, $1.03⅞; No. 2 northern, $1.00⅞-1.01⅞; December, $1.02¾ asked; May, $1.06⅜. Durum—On track, to arrive and in store: No. 1, 86⅜c; No. 2, 84⅜c; December, 86⅜c asked; May, 90⅛c asked. Flax—On track and to arrive, $2.47½; December, $2.47½; May, $2.51½. Oats, 32⅛c. Rye, 74-76c. Barley, 73-84c.

Receipts—Wheat, 122,834 bu, last year, 83,939 bu; barley, 15,067 bu; flax, 18,336 bu, last year, 19,255 bu.

Shipments—Oats, 4,996 bu; flax, 19,206 bu, last year, none.

MARKET GOSSIP

Foreign crop summary as published this week in the Liverpool Corn Trade News reads: "United Kingdom—Weather continues wet and sowing of the new wheat crop is still delayed, while outlook for that already sown is unfavorable. France—Floods still continue and agricultural situation is unfavorable. Much of the new crop has not been sown, and that already sown shows poor condition. Supplies of native wheat show some increase, but still are smaller than last year. Quality is poor. Germany—Condition of late-sown wheat rather poor, otherwise outlook generally favorable. Supplies of native wheat are increasing. Both local and export demand shows continued improvement. Hungary—Some complaints regarding delayed seeding owing to unfavorable weather and some estimates point to a smaller acreage than last year. Supplies rather light and weather now mild. Italy—Crop outlook continues favorable, but this country still buying foreign wheat. Spain and North Africa—Complaints being received that the outlook is becoming less favorable owing to dry weather. Russia—Weather continues cold through the Southern belt and there is no snow covering. Arrivals at ports increasing, and are expected to be large later on, as interior stocks are heavy. Chartering for winter loading at Crimea ports and Novorossisk has become more active, and large business is being done with the Mediterranean for winter loading. Spring chartering slow. Navigation in Sea of Azoff practically closed. Australia—Outlook continues favorable and yield is expected to be about same as last year. Last year the crop amounted to 28,800,000 bu."

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Broomhall cabled from Liverpool—Argentine estimates: Wheat, this week, 400,000 bu; last week, 952,000 bu; last year, 200,000 bu. Corn, this week, 4,500,000 bu; last week, 1,624,000 bu; last year, 1,263,000 bu. Weather is now generally fine and crops favorable. Corn is starting well. The wheat market at the opening responded to the weakness shown in the Buenos Ayres market at the close and values were ½d lower. The American decline and the bearish interpretation placed on the government report caused further selling and offerings were larger and rather pressed for sale. During the morning the distant months were further influenced downward by the cheaper Plata offers, favorable weather in Argentina and better crop reports and this induced renewed selling by large houses here. There was some disposition shown to support December and after the opening decline of ½d this month steadied ⅛d. Argentine forecast was for smaller shipments. At mid-day the market was easy and ½@¾d lower than yesterday. Corn was easy at the start and about ⅛@¼d lower. The forecast was for large Argentine shipments this week and this led to realizing.

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Primary receipts: Wheat, 647,000 bu; last year, 222,000 bu; shipments, 165,000 bu; last year, 273,000 bu. Corn—Receipts, 600,000 bu; last year, 341,000 bu; shipments, 383,000 bu; last year, 193,000 bu.

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Noble, Mo., wired: Wheat very backward and no rain for six weeks.

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Lyons, Kan., wired: No rain to speak of since Sept 6, but some snow on the ground now. Wheat generally looks well.

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Cincinnati Price Current said: Dry weather prolonged over large part of central region, although ground in some localities now covered with light fall of snow, which may prove beneficial to growing wheat. All things considered, time not reached when positively discouraging view of crop situation is called for. Later evidence of corn yield furnish no occasion for changes in previous general view of extent of crop. Hogs 300,000 against 555,000 last year.

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Cars of wheat received:	Today.	Last year
Duluth	47	47
Minneapolis	240	41
Northwest	287	88
Chicago	11	3
Winnipeg	185	267
St. Louis, bu	58,000	26,000
Kansas City	45	16

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Cars of flax received:	Today.	Last year
Duluth	5	9
Minneapolis	17	5
Winnipeg	12	28
Total	34	42

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Cars inspected: Wheat—No. 1 hard, 1; No. 1 northern, 35; No. 2 northern, 4; No. 3 northern, 1. Durum: No. 1, 6; total durum 6; total wheat 47; last year, 47; corn, 2; last year, none; barley, 1; last year, 9; flax, 5; last year, 9; total, 55; on track, 81; Staples to come.

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The government will issue an estimate of the cotton crop at 1 p. m., Duluth time, tomorrow. The final estimate of the acreage, production and value of important farm crops of the United States in 1910 will be issued Thursday, Dec. 15, at 1:30 o'clock, Duluth time.

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Foreign wheat markets closed: Liverpool, ½@¾d lower; corn unchanged to ⅛d lower. Paris, unchanged to ¼c lower; flour quiet, ¼@½c lower. Berline, ⅜c lower. Antwerp, ⅝c lower.

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C. A. Cooper wired from Enid, Okla.: "Betwen Hobart and Enid along Frisco road, four out of five fields do not show wheat up. In territory around Rocky, Custer, Thomas and Ames, wheat has made a start and that is about all. Examined several fields between Hobart and Rocky—found majority up, very little growth, thin stand and poorly rooted. There will be a decrease in acreage in this territory. Considerable land that has been prepared for wheat, account of drougth, will now be used for spring crop. Stocks of wheat in elevators very light, majority having less than car load on hand. Mills about normal amount for this time of year. Farm reserves of wheat around Hobart, Rocky, Cordell, Custer and Thomas probably average about 15 per cent."

New York Grain.

New York, Dec. 8.—Close: Wheat—December, 97⅛c; May, $1.02⅝; July, $1.00⅞. Corn—December, 55c; May, 55¾c.

THE CHICAGO MARKET.

World Supplies Talk Puts Wheat on Downward Trend.

Chicago, Dec. 8.—Bearish talk about world's supplies of wheat being the largest on record had a depressing effect on prices today. A prominent speculator who has been out of the market recently was active in forcing attention to figures showing the total stock to be 48,678,00 bu more than a year ago. The increase in America was given as 10,000,000 bu. Favorable weather in Argentina tended also to cause a heavy tone in the pit. The opening was ¼@⅜c lower. May started at 96⅜@96½c covering the entire range of the market, and later sold off to 96¼@96⅜c.

Some firmness arose on reports that the Minneapolis flour trade was picking up, but the effect was lost because of the shut-down of a mill at Kansas City through lack of orders. The close was weak, with May at 96⅛@96¼c, a net loss of ½@⅝c.

Cold weather and big Argentine shipments made corn easy. May opened unchanged to ⅛c off at 47⅝@47¾c, and declined to 47½@47⅝c.

Large shipments from Iowa and continued selling by a local concern kept prices down. The close was easy, with May ¼@⅜c off at 47⅜@47½c.

Although oats were fairly well supported, the market sagged with other grain. May opened unchanged to a shade down at 34¼⅝34⅜c to 34⅜c and declined to 34¼c.

With a liberal hog run West, commission houses were sellers of provisions. Buying in part of pit shorts led to a reaction later. First sales were a shade to 7½c lower wth May at $17.17½@17.25 for pork, $9.70 for lard and $9.30 for rbs.

Articles—	Repts.	Shpts.
Flour, bbl	22,200	13,700
Wheat, bu	18,000	40,100
Corn, bu	310,000	199,300
Oats, bu	228,800	166,200
Rye, bu	7,000	1,000
Barley, bu	133,500	34,700

Car lot receipts—Wheat, 11 cars, with 4 of contract grade; corn, 394 cars, with 5 of contract grade; oats, 235 cars. Total receipts of wheat at Chicago, Minneapolis and Duluth today were 298 cars, compared with 295 cars last week and 91 cars the corresponding day a year ago.

Cash close: Wheat—No. 2 red, 94½@95c; No. 3 red, 92@94¼c; No. 2 hard, 95@96½c; No. 3 hard, 92@95c; No. 1 northern, $1.08@1.08½; No. 2 northern, $1.05@1.07½; No. 3 northern, $1.04@1.07; No. 2 spring, 98c@1.06; No. 3 spring, 93c@$1.04; velvet chaff, 92c@$1.03; durum, 83@92½c. Corn—No. 2 48½c; No. 2 white, 48½c; No. 2 yellow, 50½@50¾c; No. 3, 48@48½c; No. 3 new, 44½@45¼c; No. 3 white, 48@48½c; No. 3 white, new, 44½@45¼c; No. 3 yellow, 50@50½c; No. 3 yellow, new, 46@46¾c; No. 4, 47@47½c; No. 4 new, 42½@43¼c; No. 4 white, 47@47½c; No. 4 white, new, 42½@43½c; No. 4 yellow, 47½@48c; No. 4 yellow, new, 44@44½c. Oats—No. 2, 31½c; No. 4 white, 33@33½c; No. 3 white, 32¼@32¾c; No. 4 white, 31½@32¼c; standard, 32¾@33c. Rye—Cash, 81c. Barley—Cash, 60@90c. Timothy—Cash, $8.00@9.75; March, $10.25. Clover—Cash, $10.00@14.00; March, $15.00.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
Dec	.92⅛-¼	.92½	.91⅞	.92
May	.96⅜-½	.96½-⅝	.96⅛	.96⅛-¼
July	.93⅝-¾	.93⅝-⅞	.93⅜	.93⅜-½
Corn—				
Dec	.45½-⅝	.45⅝	.45¼	.45⅜
May	.47⅝-¾	.47¾	.47⅜	.47⅜-½
July	.48⅜	.48⅜	.48-⅛	.48⅛
Oats—				
Dec	.31⅜-½	.31½	.31¼-⅜	.31¼-⅜
May	.34¼-⅜	.34⅜	.34-⅛	.34⅛
July	.31⅛	.34⅛-¼	.34	.34
Mess Pork, per bbl—				
Jan	18.20	18.22½	18.20	18.25
May	17.17½-25	17.35	17.17½	17.30
Lard, per 100 lb—				
May	9.70	9.77½-80	9.70	9.77½
Jan	9.82½-85	9.90-92½	9.82½-85	9.87½
Short Ribs, per 100 lb—				
Jan	9.60	9.72½	9.60	9.65
May	9.30	9.40	9.30	9.37½

THE MINNEAPOLIS MARKET.

Wheat Is Extremely Dull and Price Range Narrow.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 8.—The wheat market today was extremely dull. Trading was small and prices were in narrow range. The difference between the high and low in May being only ⅜@½c. December closed ¼@⅜c lower than yesterday, May ⅝c lower, and July ⅜c lower.

Local elevator stocks of wheat increased 180,000 bu for five days. Minneapolis today received 240 cars of wheat against 41 a year ago; Duluth 47 against 47 and Winnipeg 185 against 167. December was opened $1.01½, high $1.01⅝, low $1.01¼, closed $1.01¼. May opened $1.04½@1.04⅝, high $1.04⅞@1.05, low $10.4½, closed $1.04½. July opened $1.05⅝; high $1.05⅞, low $1.05¼@1.05¼@⅜, closed $1.05⅜.

Cash wheat was easier again today. Demand was only fair and offerings continued liberal. No. 1 northern sold 1½@2½c above December. Close: No. 1 hard, $1.04; No. 1 northern, $1.02½@1.03½; to arrive $1.02½%1.03½; No. 2 northern, 99¾c@$1.02; to arrive, 99¾c@$1.02; No. 3 wheat, 98¼c@$1.00½; No. 3 yellow corn, 42½@43c; No. 3 white, oats, 30½@31½c; No. 2 rye, 76½@77½c.

Millstuffs—Shipments, 1,561 tons. Demand good and prices held firm. Bran in 100-pound sacks, $20.50@21.00. No change in flour market. Shipments increased prices firm. Shipments, 58,348 bbl. First, pattents, $4.85@5.35; second patents, $4.75@5.25; first clears, $3.30@3.65; second clears, $2.25@2.85.

Flax—Receipts, 17 cars; year ago, 5; shipments, 2. Demand continued strong for both spot and to arrive at 1c over the Duluth December contract. Closing, $2.48½.

Barley—Receipts, 40 cars; year ago, 4; shipments, 61. Demand strong for malting grades at price 1@2c higher than yesterday. Other grades were about steady. The record prices for the past four years were made yesterday. Close, 66@85c.

South St. Paul Livestock.

South St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 8.—Cattle—Receipts, 600; market steady and unchanged. Hogs—Receipts, 3,600; market 5c lower; range, $7.35@7.45; bulk of sales, $7.40@7.45. Sheep—Receipts, 600; market steady; sheep, $1.00@4.00; lambs, $3.00@5.75.

Chicago Livestock.

Chicago, Dec. 8. — Cattle—Receipts estimated at 8,000; market weak to shade lower; beeves, $4.40@7.20; Texas steers, $4.10@5.25; western steers, $4.10@6.20; stockers and feeders, $3.25@5.00; cows and heifers, $2.20@6.10; calves, $7.00@9.00. Hogs—Receipts estimated at 30,000; market slow and 5c lower; light, $7.15@7.57½; mixed, $7.15@7.55; heavy, $7.15@7.55; rough, $7.15@7.30; good to choice, heavy, $7.30@7.55; pigs, $6.65@7.45; bulk of sales, $7.40@7.50. Sheep—Receipts estimated at 25,000; market slow; native, $2.25@4.30; western, $2.60@4.25; yearlings, $4.10@5.25; lambs, native, $4.25@6.30; western, $4.05@6.25.

SOME GAINS IN STOCKS

Market Closes Active at Best Prices of the Session.

Early Losses Reduced to Fractions and Some Advances Recorded.

New York, Dec. 8.—Higher prices were the rule at the opening of the stock market today but the gains in representative stocks were as a rule of little consequence. The copper group was heavy, Amalgamated Copper losing ½ and American Smelting ⅝. Advances were made of 1 to 1¼ in National Lead, Pacific Mail and International Harvester.

The market backed and filled during the first hour but none of the leading stocks got far away from yesterday's closing. Supporting orders were distributed at intervals which offset the short selling. Minor stocks showed strength in spots. American Agricultural Chemical advanced 1¾, American Beet Sugar 1⅝, and St. Louis & San Francisco second preferred, Chicago Great Western and Colorado Fuel 1. Lehigh Valley declined 1¼ and American Cotton Oil 1.

Some disappointment was expressed at the retention of the English bank rate, but no noteworthy changes occurred during the morning session. Trading fell to insignificant proportions, the professional element evincing even less than usual interest in the course of prices. Mild pressure was extended against United States Steel on reports that a meeting of independents in the trade is being held at Pittsburg to cut prices.

Noon prices were mostly a trifle above yesterday's closing. Northwestern, Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis, Southern Railway and American Can preferred gained 1 to 1½. Railway Steel Spring preferred lost 3 points. Bonds were firm.

The market closed active and at the best prices. The buying of United States Steel at the low level was followed by an almost instant reversal. The shorts made haste to cover and the traders generally participated in the buying movement which then ensued. Losses of the previous hour were soon reduced to mere fractions and in many instances gains for the day were registered. Especial features of strength were Louisville & Nashville, Baltimore & Ohio, Pennsylvania, Atchison, St. Paul, Southern Pacific, Union Pacific and Reading. Of the speculative leaders the metal stocks were the only issues that failed to make complete recovery.

New York stock quotations furnished The Herald by Piper, Johnson & Case.

STOCKS—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amalgamated	63¾			
American Sugar	114⅛	114⅝	113½	114⅝
American Car Foundry	49½	49½	48¼	49
American Locomotive	35½	35¾	35½	35¾
American Smelters	73⅝	73⅝	71⅝	73½
Atchison	99½	100	98¾	100
Baltimore & Ohio	105¼	105½	104¾	105½
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	74½	74½	73¾	74
Central Leather	30⅝	30⅝	30¼	30¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	80¼	80⅝	79	80⅝
Chicago Great Western	22	22	21⅝	21⅝
Chicago Northwestern	144	144	143½	143⅝
C., M. & St. Paul	120¾	121¾	119¾	121⅝
Colorado Fuel & Iron	30¾	30¾	30⅛	30⅛
Denver & Rio Grande	28	28	27½	28
Distillers	31⅞	31⅞	31½	31⅝
Erie	27	27	26⅝	26⅝
do 1st pfd	43	43¾	43	43½
Great Northern	121⅝	121⅝	120⅞	121¼
Great Northern Ore	54⅝	55	54	54
Lehigh	174½	174¾	174½	174¾
Kansas City Southern	30½	......	......	30½
Louisville & Nashville	141	142	141	142
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	30¾	30¾	30¼	30½
Missouri Pacific	45½	45¾	44⅞	45½
National Lead	51¾	51¾	51½	51½
New York Central	110⅝	111¼	109¾	111¼
Northern Pacific	113½	113⅞	112½	113⅝
Pennsylvania	127⅞	128¼	127¼	128¼
Peoples Gas	104¼	104½	104¼	104½
Pressed Steel Car	29	29½	29	29½
Republic Steel & Iron	30½	30½	30¼	30¼
do pfd	92½	93	92½	93
Rock Island	29⅝	29¾	28¾	29½
do pfd	60	......	......	60
Reading	149½	145	142½	144⅝
Soo Line	128⅝	128⅝	127	128
Southern Railway	24½	24½	24⅛	24½
Southern Pacific	112⅝	113	111⅝	113
do pfd	59	59	58	59
Tennessee Copper	34¼	34¼	33¾	34
Union Pacific	168	168½	166	168½
Utah Copper	45⅜	45⅝	44⅞	45½
U. S. Steel	72⅛	72⅝	70	72⅛
do pfd	115¼	......	......	115¼
Wabash	15⅜	......	......	15⅜
do pfd	33½	33½	32⅝	33⅝

Duluth Securities.

SECURITIES—	Bid.	Asked
First National Bank	400	.....
American Exchange National Bank	325	.....
City National Bank	130	.....
Northern National Bank	125	.....
St. Louis County State Bank	150	.....
Western State Bank	140	.....
Duluth-Superior Traction Co.	69	70
do pfd	65	72
Duluth Street Railway, 1st g. 5s 30 M & N. A	96	100
Duluth Edison Electric, 1st g. s. f. 5s March, 1931, op. M. & S. A.	98	100
Great Northern Power Co. bonds	80	.....
American Carbolite, par $1	2.85	3.25
Zenith Furnace Co.	85	100

The Cotton Market.

New York, Dec. 8.—Cotton opened easy at a decline of 3 points on December and a 10 to 19-point decline in later months under heavy liquidation and active bear pressure, inspired by the report of the census bureau showing more cotton ginned to Dec. 1, than had been generally anticipated. There was some buying on the decline and spot people seemed to be giving December support, but the market was very nervous and prices during the middle of the morning were about 21 points under the closing figures of yesterday. The ginning report showed 10,139,986 bales ginned to Dec. 5, against 8,876,886 last year and 11,008,661 two years ago.

Spot closed quiet at 20 points decline. Middling uplands, 14.80; middling gulf, 15.05; sales, 7,000 bales. Futures closed easy. Closing bids: December, 14.45; January, 14.50; February, 14.60; March, 14.72; April, 14.75; May, 14.86; June, 14.82; July, 14.82; August, 14.50. October, 13.25.

New York Money.

New York, Dec. 8.—Close: Prime mercantile paper, 5@5½ per cent; sterling exchange barely steady with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.82.50@4.82.60 for 60-day bills and at $4.85.55 for demand; commercial bills, $4.81¾@4.82; bar silver, 54⅛c; Mexican dollars, 46c; government bonds steady, railroad bonds firm. Money on call firm at 3@3¾ per cent; ruling rate, 3¼ per cent; closing bid, 3⅛ per cent; offered at 3½ per cent; time loans dull; 60 days and 90 days 4@4¼ per cent; six months, 4@4¼ per cent.

THE COPPER STOCKS.

The following are the closing quotations of copper stocks at Boston today, reported by Paine, Webber & Co., 316 West Superior street:

STOCKS—	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Copper	63⅛	63⅜
Anaconda	39½	sale
Adventure	6½	7
Ahmeek	170	180
Allouez	37½	38
American Telephone	139⅜	140⅛
American Zinc	25¾	26
Atlantic	5½	6
Arcadian	3½	4
Arizona Commercial	14¼	14½
Butte & Ballaklava	7	7½
Boston Corbin	13¼	13½
Black Mountain	8c	10c
Butte Coalition	17¾	......
Calumet & Arizona	48½	49
Calumet & Hecla	525	530
Centennial	15	16
Consolidated Mercur	5c	8c
Copper Range	66¼	67
Daly West	3½	4
Davis Daly	1⅜	1½
East Butte	11¾	12
Franklin	9½	10
First National	1⅞	1 15-16
Giroux	6½	6¾
Granby	37¼	38
Greene Cananea	6¾	6⅞
Hancock Consolidated	21	21⅝
Helvetia	1¾	2
Indiana	11½	......
Isle Royale	16¾	17
Keweenaw	2⅞	3⅛
Lake Copper	32½	32
La Salle	7¼	8
Mass. Consolidated	8	8½
Mass. Gas	88	89
Miami Copper	19½	19⅝
Michigan	3½	4
Mohawk	44¾	45½
Nevada Consolidated	18¾	19
Nevada-Utah	89c	92c
North Lake	6¼	6½
Nipissing	10¾	11
North Butte	28¼	28¾
Ojibway	5½	7
Old Dominion	36¼	......
Osecola	120	125
Parrot	12	13
Pneu. Ser	4½	5
Quincy	......	74
Ray Consolidated	18¼	18⅝
Shannon	11	11½
Shoe Mich	54	55
Superior & Boston	5½	6
Superior Copper	41	......
Superior & Pittsburg	13¼	13½
Tamarack	50	......
Trinity	4½	5
United Fruit	196	197
U. S. Mining	31¾	32
do. pfd	45⅞	46⅛
Utah Apex	2¼	2½
Utah Consolidated	12½	13
Utah Copper	45½	sale
Victoria	2	2¾
Winona	8½	9
Welverine	115	117
Wyandot	1⅛	1½
Yukon Gold	3⅞	4
Bohemia	3	3½
Begole	1½	2½
Boston Ely	1	1 1-16
Cactus	22	25
Chemung	6	7
Cliff	1½	1⅞
Chief Consolidated	1 9-16	1⅝
Cobalt Central	8	10
Chino	20½	21
Corbin Copper	4¼	4¾
Goldfield Cons	8¼	8½
Inspiration	9 1-16	9⅛
La Rose	4½	4⅝
Live Oak	......	25
Ohio Copper	1 7-16	1½
Oneco	2	2 1-16
Ray Central	1¾	1 13-16
Shattuck	22½	23
South Lake	6	6½
Tonopah Nevada	8	8⅛
Yuma	20c	28c

THE PRODUCE MARKETS.

CALIFORNIA ORANGES—	
California, late Valencias, extra fancy, box	$3.75
California, late Valencias, 96's, per box	4.50
Late Valencias, extra fancy, 324's, box	4.00
FRUIT—	
Italian prunes, crate	1.25@ 1.35
California peaches, box	.80
California pears, box	3.00
New York pears, bbl	8.00
New York Seckle pears, bbl	9.00
Michigan blue grapes, basket	.21
Washington pears, box	3.25
California Tokay grapes, crate	1.75@ 1.85
Colorado peaches, box	1.00
Malaga Grapes, keg	5.50
APPLES—	
New apples, fancy varieties, bbl	4.00
Jonathans, bbl	5.25
Ben Davis, bbl	3.75
CALIFORNIA LEMONS—	
California lemons, extra fancy, 300 to 360, box	6.75@ 7.00
Imported limes, per box	1.25
TOMATOES—	
Home grown, bu	1.75
Green, bu	.75
BANANAS—	
Bananas, per lb	.04
CRANBERRIES—	
Genuine Lignon, bbl	8.00
BUTTER—	
Fancy creamery, per lb	.31
Dairy, per lb	.26
Packing, per lb	.21
CHEESE—	
Fancy full cream, twins, per lb	.17
Block Swiss, per lb, No. 1	.20
Primost cheese, per lb	.12
Wheel Swiss, per lb	.20
Limburger	.18
EGGS—	
Eggs, per doz	.27
FIGS AND DATES—	
Sugared walnut dates, 10-lb box	1.25
PEANUTS—	
Fancy, raw, per lb, by the sack	.07
Fancy, roasted, sacks, per lb	.07½
Fancy roasted, less than sacks	.08
Salted peanuts, 10-lb boxes	1.35
Salted peanuts, 30-lb pails	3.75
Fancy Jumbos, roasted, per lb	.10
CIDER—	
Apple cider, clarified, per keg	3.00
Apple cider, casks, per gal	.22
Fruit cider, 16-gal keg	4.50
Blackberry cider, keg	4.50
Raspberry cider	4.50
Cherry cider	4.50
MAPLE SYRUP—	
Vermont, per gal	1.75
MAPLE SUGAR—	
Iowa, assorted pkgs., 30-lb box, per lb	.10
POP CORN—	
Snowball pop corn, 40-pkg. box	2.25
Pop corn, shelled	.04
Pop corn, on the cob	.03
HONEY—	
Colorado white clover, per case, 24's	4.00
POTATOES—	
Potatoes, per bu	.60
Jersey sweets, per bu	4.50
ONIONS—	
Onions, red, 100-lb sack	2.25
White pickling, box	1.75
California, yellow, 100 lb	2.50
Spanish onions, per crate	1.75
CABBAGE—	
Home grown, crate	2.25
NUTS—	
Walnuts, New California, 110-lb sack, per lb	.17
Filberts, Sicily, per lb	.14
Brazils, extra large, per lb	.12
Pecans, extra fancy polished, per lb	.15
Almonds, Taragbula, per lb	.17
Mixed nuts, 100-lb and 50-lb boxes, lb, new	.12
Cocoanuts, per doz	.70
New hickory nuts, large or small, per lb	.08
Pecans, halves, shelled, extra fancy, 5-lb cartons, per lb	.50
Walnuts, shelled, extra fancy, 5-lb cartons, lb	.40
Almonds, shelled, extra fancy, 5-lb cartons, lb	.42
DATES AND FIGS—	
Hallowi dates, 70-lb boxes, new	5.00
Hallowi dates, 30 packages, per box	2.40
Fard dates, 12-lb boxes, new	1.35
Sugar walnut dates, 9-lb boxes	1.25
New California figs, 12-pkg box, per box	.90
New Smyrna figs, 5-crown, 12-lb box, per box	1.25
New Smyrna figs, 7-crown, 35-lb box, per box	4.25
FRESH VEGETABLES—	
Lettuce, leaf, per bu box	1.00
Beans, wax, home grown, per box	1.35
Beans, green, per bu	1.50
Onions, green, home grown, per doz	.20
Red pepper, box	2.25
Citron, doz	.90
Ground cherries, bu	2.50
Parsley, home grown, per doz	.35
Garlic, new, Italian, per lb	.12
Cauliflower, fancy, per bu	2.25
Radishes, round, per doz	.25
Spinach, bu	.90
Cucumbers, bu	2.00
Cucumbers, pickling	2.75@ 3.50
Green peas, per bu	2.20
Egg plant, doz	1.25
Celery, Michigan, per bunch	.35
Hubbard squash, doz	1.75
Pumpkins, doz	1.50
Yellow plum tomatoes, bu	1.75
Head lettuce, bu	1.50
ROOTS—	
Table beets, per bu sacks	1.50
Table bagas, per bu sack	1.25
Table carrots, per sack	2.00
MEATS—	
Beef, per lb	.06½@ .08
Mutton, per lb	.08
Pork loins, per lb	.12½@ .13½
Veal, per lb	.9@ .10½
Lambs, per lb	.11
Lard, per lb	.11
DRESSED POULTRY—	
Hens, fancy, fat, per lb	.14
Hens, small, per lb	.10@ .12
Springs, per lb	.14
Turkeys, per lb	.20
Ducks, per lb	.16@ .17
Geese, per lb	.13@ .14
LIVE POULTRY—	
Hens, per lb	.10
Springs, per lb	.13
Turkeys, per lb	.16@ .17
Ducks, per lb	.14@ .15
Geese, per lb	.14
HAY AND STRAW—	
Choice timothy, per ton	$17.50@18.00
No. 1 choice timothy, per ton	16.50@17.00
No. 2 choice timothy, per ton	14.00@15.00
No. 1 mixed timothy, per ton	14.00@15.00
No. 2 mixed timothy, per ton	12.00@13.00
No. 1 upland, per ton	14.00@14.50
No. 2 upland, per ton	12.00@13.00
No. 1 middling, per ton	10.00@12.00
No. 2 middling, per ton	8.00@ 9.00
Rye straw, per ton	6.50@ 7.00
Oat straw, per ton	6.50@ 7.00

Chicago.

Chicago, Dec. 8.—Butter—Market steady; creameries, 23@28c; dairies, 23@27c. Eggs—Market steady; receipts, 2,030 cases; at mark, cases included, 19½@22½c; firsts, 31c; prime firsts, 33c. Cheese—Market steady; daisies, 14¾15c; twins, 14@14¾c; young Americas, 14½@14¾c; long horns, 14½@15c. Potatoes—Market firm; choice to fancy, 43@44c; fair to good, 38@42c. Poultry—Market firm; turkeys, live, 17c, dressed, 22c; fowls, live, 11c, dressed, 12c; springs, live, 11c, dressed, 12c. Veal—Market steady; 50 to 60-lb weights, 9@10c; 60 to 85-lb weights, 11@11½c; 85 to 110-lb weights, 12c.

New York.

New York, Dec. 8.—Butter—Market firm; receipts, 4,656; creamery specials, 30½@31c; extras, 29¾c; third to firsts, 23@28c; held, creamery, second to special, 24½@29c; state dairy, common to finest, 23@29c; process, second to special, 23@26c; imitation creamery, first, 24@25c; factory, June make, first, 23½@24c; same, current make, 23c. Eggs—Market steady and unchanged; receipts, 5,695; state, Pennsylvania and nearby hennery white, fancy, 55c; same, gathered, white, 40@50c; same, hennery, brown, fancy, 45@48c; same, gathered, brown, 42@45c; same, fair to good, 35@40c; western, gathered, white, 34@44c; fresh gathered, extra firsts, 38@40c; same, firsts, 35@37c; refrigerator, special mark, fancy, in local storage, 26c; same, first, 24½@25½c; same, second, 23½@24c. Cheese—Market steady and unchanged; receipts, 1,468; state whole milk, September quality, specials, 15¾@17¼c; same, fancy, colored 15½c; same, fancy, white, 15½c; same, choice, 14¾@15¼c; same, October quality, fine, 14@14½c; same, current make, fair, 13¼c; same, common, 12½@13c; skims, 2@15c.

HIDES, TALLOW AND FURS.

GREEN SALTED HIDES—	No. 1.	No. 2.
G. S. steer, over 60 lb	$ .11¼	$ .10¼
G. S. steers, 25 lb and up and steers under 60 lb	.09½	.08½
G. S. lon haired kips, 8 to 25 lb	.10	.08½
G. S. veal kips, 5 to 25 lb	.14	.12½
G. S. Deacon skins, under 8 lb	.80	.70
G. S. horsehides	3.50	2.50
DRY SALTED—		
Dry flint hides, over 15 lb	.16	...
Dry Minnesota, Dakota, Wisconsin and Iowa hides	.15	.13
Murrains	.15½	...
Dry kid	.18	.16
Dry salted calf, under 5 lb, all sections	.21	.21
TALLOW AND GREASE—		
Tallow, in cakes	.06½	.05⅝
Tallow, in bbl	.06	.05
Grease	.05¼	.03¾

FURS—	Large.	Medium.	Small.
Skunk, black	$4.50	$3.50	$2.50
Skunk, short stripe	3.00	2.50	2.00
Skunk, long narrow stripe	2.50	2.00	1.50
Skunk, broad stripe and white	1.00	.75	.50
Muskrat, spring	.70@80	....	....
Muskrat, winter	.45@44	...	.41@40
Muskrat, fall	.41@40	...	.25@24
Muskrat, kits		.10@08	.25@24
Raccoon	3.10	2.10	1.60
Mink, dark and brown	7.50	5.50	4.00
Mink, pale	6.00	4.00	3.00
Beaver	7.50	5.00	3.25
Cat, wild	5.00	3.75	2.50
Fisher, dark	20.00	15.00	10.00
Fisher, pale	12.00	9.00	7.00
Fox, red	10.00	7.00	6.00
Fox, gray	2.00	1.30	1.00
Lynx	30.00	25.00	12.00
Marten, dark	20.00	15.00	10.00
Marten, dark brown	10.00	7.00	4.50
Marten, light br. and pale	6.00	4.25	3.00
Weasel, white	1.00	.50	.25
Weasel, stained, damaged	.25	.15	.10
Wolf, timber	6.50	4.50	3.00
Wolf, brush, cased	4.00	3.00	2.00
Wolf, open	3.25	2.40	1.60
Wolf, coyote, cased	3.50	2.50	1.95
Bear, blk., br., grizzle	17.50@25	14@20	10@15
Bear, yearlings	12.50@15	9@12	7@10
Bear, cub	7.00@10	4.50@ 7	2.50@ 4
Fox, blk. and silver gray	80@450	65@350	35@150
Otter, dark and pale	15@20	10@15	7@12

Badger, civet and house cat, cross and kit fox, mountain lion, opossum and wolverine command market prices. The above prices are for Prime No. 1 skins. Nos. 2, 3 and 4 in proportion. Wisconsin and Mississippi river heavy muskrat, 3@5c higher; kits, 2c higher.

ADDITIONAL SPORTS

ICE RINK MAY BE BUILT

New developments today following the meeting last night of those interested in the organization of a new ski club, assure the beginning of work within a few days on the erection of a new toboggan slide and other improvements at the grounds.

A committee will go to the grounds to locate the spot where the new slide will be constructed for inexperienced ski riders, and Whitney Wall announced this morning that the money for starting immediate work on the construction of this slide is on hand. The proposition for the construction of a new toboggan will be taken up immediately. On the committee that will visit the ski grounds today or tomorrow will be one of the professional ski riders, who will give his opinion as to the location of the smaller ski slide, so that it will not interfere with the professional riders.

While it cannot be stated definitely today, Mr. Wall said that there is a possibility that a skating rink will be constructed at the ground the present season.

"The money has been promised for immediate improvements that are necessary," said Mr. Wall this morning. "This money is at hand and work will be started just as soon as the extent of the improvements are determined upon. Work will be started very soon on the slide that will give every member of the club an opportunity of learning the winter sport. Heretofore only the experts have been able to get any sport from the big hill. The smaller slide will give those an opportunity who desire to learn to ride the skis.

"Plans may be made for a skating rink the present winter. It is very probably that a new toboggan slide will be constructed, and it is the desire of the officials to make the club a headquarters for toboggan parties. The money is at hand for these improvements and the work will start very soon."

SUIT FOR $5,000 BEGUN AGAINST MATHEWSON.

New York, Dec. 8.—Suit was begun in the supreme court in Brooklyn today by Frank Schmidt, a Brooklyn man, against Christy Matthewson, pitcher of the New York Nationals, for alleged false arrest. Schmidt wants $5,000 damages.

In a game between Brooklyn and New York at Washington park on April 28, 1908, of which Schmidt was a spectator, the ball disappeared, Matthewson claiming that Schmidt took it as a souvenir. Schmidt denied taking the ball, but was arrested and later discharged.

ONE TEAM RETIRES FROM BICYCLE RACE.

New York, Dec. 8.—At 10 o'clock, the relative standing of the teams in the six-day bicycle race remained unchanged. The seven leaders had covered 1,561 miles. 2 laps, MacFarland and Clarke, and West and Demare 1,561 miles, 1 lap, and Rutt and Stol 1,561 miles flat. The record for this, the eighty--second hour, is 1,610 miles, 8 laps, made last year by Pye and Hehir.

Pye and Walker, the Australian team, after plucky efforts from the time Walker was injured, retired from the race at 11:32. Pye started a sprint at 11:25 after riding steadily for four hours, and was cheered lustily when he left the track. He has four hours in which to pick up a partner among the nine remaining teams.

PURE FOOD SHOW.

Big Display of Products Will End Saturday Night.

The pure food show at 222-224 West First street is attracting large crowds every afternoon and evening. The exhibits are attractive and visitors to the show are treated generously to samples of the different products.

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Notice of Dividend.

Calumet & Arizona Mining company has declared dividend of One Dollar ($1.00) a share, payable December 19th, 1910, to the stockholders of record December 9th, 1910.

Transfer Books close at close of business December 9th, 1910, and reopen December 19th, 1910, at ten o'clock A. M.

GORDON R. CAMPBELL,
Secretary.

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WANTS CONTINUED FROM PAGE 20.

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

WHITE STAR—DOMINION
PORTLAND, *HALIFAX, LIVERPOOL.
*Canada, Dec. 10. Dominion, Dec. 24.
118 Notre Dame St., West. Montreal. Or Local Agents. 121 So. Third St. Minneapolis.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

SOO LINE MINNEAPOLIS, ST. PAUL AND SAULT STE. MARIE RY.

UNION STATION—Superior St. and Sixth Ave. West.

Leave.		TWIN PORTS EXPRESS.	Arrive.	
†7.00 am	*7.00 pm	DULUTH	*9.00 am	†5.30 pm
7.30 am	7.30 pm	Superior	8.30 am	5.00 pm
2 45 pm	10.40 pm	Ladysmith	5.15 am	10.50 am

Arrive 10.30 am		Sault Ste. Marie	5.20 pm Leave.	
†5.00 pm	11.45 pm	Owens	4.00 am	†7.55 am
For Eau Claire and Chippewa Falls	3.49 am	Oshkosh	12.01 am	From Eau Claire and Chippewa Falls
	7.15 am	Milwaukee	8.50 pm	
	*9.00 am	Chicago	*7.00 pm	

Dining Cars, Palace Sleepers and Library Observation Cars. Vestibuled — Vacuum Cleaned — Electric Lighted.

Leave.		BROOTEN EXPRESS	Arrive.	
	†5.45 am	Duluth	†9.00 pm	
†7 00 am	6.15 am	Superior	8.30 pm	†5.00 pm
10 00 am	8.22 am	Moose Lake	6.20 pm	12.35 pm
3 10 pm	10.20 am	Wahkon	4.42 pm	7.26 am
†4.00 pm	10.50 am	Onamia	4.25 pm	†6.45 am
	†1.20 pm	Brooten	†1.45 pm	

Connections at Brooten for Twin Cities, Western Canada and the Pacific Coast.

Leave.	DULUTH-WINNIPEG LINE.	Arrive.
† 9.30 am	Duluth	† 6.00 pm
10 05 am	Superior	5.25 pm
11.25 am	Moose Lake	4.05 pm
4.00 pm	Cass Lake	11.30 am
4.37 pm	Bemidji	10.53 am
7.30 pm	Thief River Falls	8.00 am

Connections at Thief River Falls for Winnipeg.

Leave.	CUYUNA RANGE LINE.	Arrive.
† 7.20 am	Duluth	† 6.40 pm
7.55 am	Superior	6.05 pm
9.50 am	Lawler	4.10 pm
10.02 am	East Lake	3.58 pm
10.24 am	Darina	3.35 pm
10.35 am	Roseberg	3.25 pm
10.48 am	Aitkin	3.12 pm
11.45 am	Iron Hub	2.55 pm
Arrive. 11.15 am	DEERWOOD	2.40 pm Leave.
†11.57 am	Cuyuna	† 2.08 pm
12.05 pm	Crosby	2.00 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.

DULUTH, MISSABE & NORTHERN RAILWAY.

Office: 426 West Superior St.
Phone, 909.

Leave.		Arrive.
*7.40 am	Hibbing, Chisholm, Virginia, Eveleth, Coleraine, Sharon (Buhl), †Mount'n Iron, †Sparta, †Biwabik	*3.21 pm
*3.50 pm	Hibbing, Chisholm, Sharon (Buhl), Virginia, Eveleth, Coleraine.	*10.31 am
*7.10 pm	Virginia, Cook, Ranier, Fort Frances, Port Arthur, Baudette, Warroad, Winnipeg	*8.31 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.

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THE DULUTH & IRON RANGE RAILROAD COMPANY.

"VERMILION ROUTE."

Leave.		Arrive.
*7.30 am †3.15 pm	Knife River, Two Harbors, Tower, Ely Aurora, Biwabik, McKinley, Eveleth, Gilbert and Virginia.	†12.00 m *6.30 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.

Duluth & Northern Minnesota Ry.

Offices: 510 Lonsdale Bldg., Duluth.

Trains leave Knife River 20 miles out on the D. & I. R. R. every day, except Sunday, on arrival of the train leaving Union station, Duluth, at 7:30 a. m. Returning connections are made at Knife River with trains due in Duluth Union station at 6:30 p. m. Connections are made at Cramer with stage line for Grand Marais and all North Shore points when operating.

NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD.

Leave.		Arrive.
*4.00 pm	Ashland and East	*11.15 am
*8.00 am	Ashland and East	*6.40 pm
*7.30 pm	Minn. and Dakota Express	*8.15 am
*8.05 am	North Coast Limited	*6.25 pm
Leave.	"Duluth Short Line"	Arrive.
†9.00 am		*6.30 am
*1.55 pm	ST. PAUL	†2.05 pm
*11.10 pm	MINNEAPOLIS	*7.00 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. 'Phone 214. Union Depot at 334 West Superior street.

NORTH-WESTERN LINE C. ST. P. M. & O. RY.

Lv*3.30pm	*6.15pm	Duluth	Ar*8.25am	*12.59pm
Lv*3.50pm	6.35pm	Superior	Ar 7.53am	12.25pm
Ar	7.45am	Milwaukee	Lv 7.45pm	
Ar 7.00am	8.15am	Chicago	Lv 6.25pm	10.10pm
Lv†8.50am	*4.35pm	Duluth	Ar†3.35pm	*9.55pm
Lv 9.10am	4.55pm	Superior	Ar 3.05pm	9.35pm
Ar 4.30pm	9.50pm	St. Paul	Lv 8.10am	4.30pm
Ar 5.05pm	10.25pm	Minneapolis	Lv 7.30am	4.00pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.
Office, 302 West Superior St., Duluth.

Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic.

No. 6.	No. 8.		No. 7.	No. 5.
†7.45 am	*3.00 pm Lv	Duluth	Ar *10.30 am	†4.55 pm
†8.05 am	*5.15 pm	Superior	*10.15 am	†4.35 pm
†7.55 pm	*5.40 am Ar	Houghton	Lv *11.05 pm	
†8.55 pm	*6.30 am	Calumet	*10.15 pm	
†7.05 pm	*3.50 am	Ishpeming	*12.20 pm	†6.20 am
†7.45 pm	*4.30 am	Marquette	*11.30 pm	†5.15 am
	*10.15 am	Sault Ste. Marie	*5.30 pm	
	*8.00 am	Montreal	*9.50 pm	
	*8.15 am	Boston	*10.00 pm	
†8.50 am	*7.10 pm Lv	Montreal	Ar *7.30 am	†10.15 pm
†8.00 pm	*7.18 am Ar	New York	*7.00 pm	†6.45 am

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. Twin City sleepers. Trains Nos. 7 and 8.

THE GREAT NORTHERN.

Leave.	STATIONS.	Arrive.
†6.00 am	ST. PAUL and MINNEAPOLIS	†10.15 pm
*3.25 pm		*1.55 pm
*11.10 pm		*6.30 am
*8.45 am	Crookston, Grand Forks, Montana and Coast	*6.35 pm
*8.55 pm		*7.15 am
†12.20 pm	Swan River, Hibbing, Virginia	†12.30 pm
†8.00 am	St. Cloud, Willmar, Sioux City	†10.15 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. Twin City sleeper ready at 9 p. m. Office, Spalding hotel.

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SITUATION WANTED—COMPETENT bookkeeper with a number of years' experience; would like position; good references. T 621, Herald.

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SITUATION WANTED — WASHING, ironing and cleaning to do by the day. B 296, Herald.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE—
Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made and delivered by Ole Swenson, unmarried, mortgagor, to Carl Gustafson, Olaf Olson and Adolph Olson, mortgagees, dated September 9th, 1910, and recorded in the Register of Deeds office for St. Louis County, Minnesota, on September 12th, 1910, at 1:45 P. M., in Book 284 of Mortgages on page 145, which said mortgage was thereafter duly assigned by said Carl Gustafson, Olaf Olson and Adolph Olson to Rodney B. Swift, by an instrument in writing, dated September 12th, 1910, and recorded in said Register of Deeds office on November 3rd, 1910, at 1 o'clock P. M., in Book 186 of Mortgages on page 569.

Such default consists in the nonpayment of part of the principal sum secured by said mortgage and interest thereon. By reason whereof, said Assignee of Mortgagee has elected to exercise the option given by the terms of said mortgage to declare and does declare the whole principal sum secured by said mortgage with all accrued interest thereon, to be now due and payable.

There is claimed to be due and is actually due on said mortgage at the date of this notice, the sum of Six Hundred six and no 100 Dollars ($606.00) principal and interest and no action at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover said debt or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, situated in St. Louis County, Minnesota, to-wit:

Lot three hundred fifty-eight (358), in Block one hundred sixty-eight (168), Duluth Proper, Second Division, according to the recorded plat thereof,

Which said premises with the hereditaments and appurtenances will be sold by the Sheriff of said County of St. Louis, in the Sheriff's office in the Court House in the City of Duluth, in said county and state, on Monday, the 2nd day of January, 1911, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt and interest and taxes if any, on said premises, and Fifty dollars ($50.00) Attorney's fees, stipulated for in said mortgage, in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale, as provided for by law.

Dated Nov. 17, 1910.

RODNEY B. SWIFT,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

F. C. ELSTON,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee, No. 500-503 Torrey Building, Duluth, Minnesota.
D. H., Nov. 17, 24; Dec. 1, 8, 15 and 22, 1910.

ORDER LIMITING TIME TO FILE CLAIMS, AND FOR HEARING THEREON—
State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis —ss.

In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Elizabeth J. Strayer. Decedent.

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to Harvey F. Williamson

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against her estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof, and that Monday the 12th day of June, 1911, at ten o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Duluth in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in The Duluth Herald, as provided by law.

Dated, Duluth, Minn., December 7th, 1910.

J. B. MIDDLECOFF,
Judge of Probate.

(Seal Probate Court, St. Louis County, Minn.)
D. H., Dec. 8, 15, 22, 1910.

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FOR SALE — NEW AND SECOND-hand engines, boilers, portable sawmills, planers, matchers, resaws, pulleys, shafting, hangers and boxes. 'Phones 91.
DULUTH MACHINERY CO.

FOR SALE—TWIN CYLINDER 7 H. P. Emblem motorcycle. Inquire Oscar Nyquist, Princeton, Mich.

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FOR SALE — SHEET IRON STOVE cheap. Address Erick Sundin, 25 South Fifty-eighth avenue west.

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FOR SALE — PLATE GLASS MIRROR, 19 by 60, framed in black walnut. Call 2009 West Superior street.

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FOR SALE—HORSES AND HARNESS in rear, 2318 West Second street.

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FOR SALE—CHEAP, THREE DRAFT horses, with harness. 1924 West Second street.

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FOR SALE — HORSES, AT W. S. Ellingsen's, 2311 West Ninth street. Zenith 1730-A.

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APPEAL.
The poor people of Duluth are greatly in need of clothing, bedding, blankets, etc. If you want to help them, call the Salvation Army, 1606 West Superior street, Both 'phones.

PERSONAL—DON'T FORGET. JIMMIE Morgan, best electric rug cleaner in city. Zenith 1588-D.

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PERSONAL — COMBINGS AND CUT hair made into beautiful switches. Knauf Sisters.

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DULUTH VAN & STORAGE Company, 210 West Superior street. Both phones.

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INSTITUTE IS SUCCESS

Gathering of Farmers at Cloquet Speaks Well for Community's Growth.

Pointers on Dairying Methods and Kindred Subjects Given By Experts.

Cloquet, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—The farmers' institute opened here yesterday morning at the Nelson opera house, conducted by C. E. Brown of Elk River, and C. O. Carlson of Erskine. Mr. Brown is a practical farmer, and one of the best known dairyman of the state, being a member of the Red River Valley Dairymen's association.

Farmers in this part of the state were urged to go into the dairy business, to raise clover, which is the natural crop of this soil, and to keep the clover crop on the farm, feeding it instead of selling. Mr. Brown gave a splendid talk on soil and how to keep it productive and not let its fertility get so low as to be unprofitably productive.

Urges Boys to Become Farmers.

He applied theory and practical experience to conditions here and gave a large class of high school students who came in to the afternoon session, some pointers on possibilities of making a living on the farm. He urged that the boy be given as good an education along the lines of farming as for any other occupation. He encouraged the farmers of the district where the fires of the past summer burned entirely away the top of the soil, the deposit of years, calling up the experience at Hinckley, where a few years ago the same thing happened, but where now are some of the finest farms in the state. He said that the fires had helped to clear the land.

At noon the attending farmers were served a lunch, and afterward gathered at the opera house, where it was noticeable that until the opening of the afternoon session, Mr. Carlson was the center of a group of farmers where his enthusiasm for the soil was contagious and questions were asked as fast as he could answer them. Mr. Carlson believes that the ideal home is the farm home. He spoke of the natural clover crop and advised the farmers, to get into the dairy business, but to "grow" into it, and not "go" into it.

Raising calves on the Carlson farm at Erskine is an exact science, and Mr. Carlson says their success is not due to seeing how cheaply they can "keep" a calf, but how cheaply they can "grow" a calf. Their system seems to be "Do a good job," a phrase which Mr. Carlson used several times in the course of his talk, and which seems to be the key note of his character.

Thanked By Finn Farmers.

Two years ago at Embarrass he talked to a group of Finnish farmers, and it was necessary to have an interpreter translated his instructions to the farmers. Some weeks ago the same Finnish farmers sent one of their number fourteen miles to a near-by town where Mr. Carlson was to speak that they might express their thanks for the help he had given them and by which they had evidently profited. There is a large community of Finnish farmers about five miles from [illegible] of them were present and were among the most interested listeners. The crowd in attendance at the institute was good sized, considering the comparatively small farming community, and another such gathering would draw a much larger attendance.

There is some talk of organizing a farmers' club, and the general desire for progress seems to indicate that the time is ripe to make such a club for the advancement of mutual interests a success. Messrs. Brown and Carlson will hold institute near Biwabik today.

THIRD LIBRARY IN THE WORLD

Congressional Collection Will Lead All Others Soon, Says the Librarian.

Washington, Dec. 8.—Within a few years the Library of Congress will occupy the supreme position in numerical strength among the libraries of the world. It now ranks third, with the Bibliotheque Nationale and the British Museum holding first and second places.

The annual report of Librarian Herbert Putnam was submitted to congress today. It shows that in the year 1909-10 there were added 90,473 volumes, making the total possessions of the library in printed volumes 1,793,158. There are 118,165 maps and charts; 517,806 volumes and pieces of music and 320,251 prints.

To show the character of the ascesсions, Mr. Putnam points to the receipt of the collection of Thacher Incunabula, made by John Boyd Thacher of Albany, N. Y.; the volumes of the Madison Papers, heretofore owned by the Chicago Historical society, and the papers of James K. Polk, which were transferred from the same society; gifts of manuscripts and of correspondence of Burton N. Harrison, relative to the defense of Jefferson Davis, and letter showing the disposition of the specie in the Confederate treasury after the surrender in 1865.

Some Invaluable Documents.

A large number of invaluable documents are included in a long list of accessions for the last year.

Another list shows that the music collection has ben greatly strengthened. The Weckerlin and Martorell collections were purchased, the former containing a large number of specimens of French folk songs, chansons, etc. In the latter collection are about 1,300 full scores of "Favorite" arias from the eighteenth century operas.

An event of the year was the completion of an additional book stack containing forty-four miles of shelving. It will accommodate nearly 1,000,000 volumes, which at the present rate of increase will provide only for the growth of a decade.

LEGAL NOTICES.

ORDER OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR LICENSE TO SELL, MORTGAGE OR LEASE LAND—
State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis —ss.

In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Sheldon Hibbard, Ward.

THE PETITION of Louisa A. Hibbard as representative of the above named ward, having been filed in this Court, representing, among other things, that for reasons stated in said petition, it is necessary and for the best interests of the estate of said ward, and of all persons interested therein, to sell certain lands of said ward, in said petition described, and praying that license be to her granted to sell the said land;

IT IS ORDERED, That said petition be heard before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in Duluth, in said County, on Friday, the 30th day of December, 1910, at ten o'clock A. M., and all persons interested in said hearing and in said matter are hereby cited and required at said time and place to show cause, if any there be, why said petition should not be granted.

ORDERED FURTHER, That this order be served by publication in The Duluth Herald, according to law.

Dated at Duluth, Minn., December 8th, 1910.

By the Court,
J. B. MIDDLECOFF,
Judge of Probate.

(Seal, Probate Court, St. Louis Co., Minn.)
D. H., Dec. 8, 15, 22, 1910.

The bankrupt stock of clothing of S. Van Wagner will go on sale at the Oak Hall, Saturday morning. Suits and overcoats, hats, caps and neckwear for men and boys, all to be sold very cheap.

SPENT NOTHING IN MINNESOTA

Democrats Report Not One Dollar Sent Here for the Campaign.

Washington, Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Democratic committee did not send a single dollar into Minnesota during the recent campaign.

The Republican committee sent $1,000 into the Fourth and $1,000 into the Fifth Minnesota districts.

James A. Tawney was paid $360 for traveling expenses during the campaign.

The report of Charles H. Duell, treasurer of the Republican congressional committee, in accordance with the act providing for publicity of contributions made for the purpose of influencing elections at which representatives in congress are elected, was made public today by clerk of the house.

IOWA LIQUOR MEN PUTTING UP FIGHT

Will Ask Supreme Court to Enjoin Enforcement of Law.

Washington, Dec. 8.—Several saloon keepers in Marshalltown, Iowa, will ask the supreme court of the United States, probably next Monday, to issue a temporary order staying the enforcement of the Iowa liquor laws pending an appeal to the court in regard to their validity.

The liquor dealers filed a bill in the federal court of Iowa for an injunction to prevent officials of Marshalltown from enforcing the law. The injunction was requested on the ground that the law discriminated against liquor dealers, in violation of the Federal Constitution. The lower court dismissed the bill and declined to continue a temporary injunction, which had been issued, until an appeal to the supreme court of the United States could be perfected.

EXHUME BODY IN TRUNK MYSTERY

Dead Man Is Believed to Be Murderer of Artist.

Providence, R. I., Dec. 8.—Definite efforts were begun today to discover whether the body of William H. Lewis, buried in the Foster cemetery, is William Lewis, who is supposed to have murdered Albert C. Callier, believed to have been the man whose body was found in a trunk in New York.

A special meeting of the town council was called for 11 o'clock to grant a permit for the disinterment of the body, and it was expected that the question of identity would be finally solved this afternoon.

COLERAINE MAN HURT.

Falls Fifty Feet From the Roundhouse Structure.

Coleraine, Minn., Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—J. Sullivan employed on a steel gang, building the structural work for a roundhouse here is in a hospital in a critical condition as a result of a fall received early in the week.

He fell about fifty feet, breaking some bones and sustaining internal injuries. It is feared he cannot survive.

MRS. DIETZ ROBBED?

Claims That Vandals Rifled Family Dowry Box.

Hayward, Wis., Dec. 8.—The members of the Dietz family who are at liberty, aided by detectives, are searching for the contents of Mrs. Dietz's dowry box, which she declares was rifled by vandals after the family surrendered. The loss of articles, Mrs. Dietz declared yesterday, had caused her more worry than the coming trial, for every valuable she owned, including her engagement and wedding rings, were taken from the box.

Mrs. Dietz learned a few days ago that the box had been rifled and she planned to begin an investigation as soon as she was released. The box, she says, contained her wedding gifts, several pieces of silverware and presents from friends who are now dead. It contained some of the childhood toys of the children which Mrs. Dietz had preserved.

All these things are gone according to Mrs. Dietz who had her attorneys investigate.

Even the wolf poison, which John Dietz kept in the box, was taken, and this has caused John Dietz no little anxiety. When things do not go to suit him, he says he expects to be poisoned before the trouble is over.

OHIO'S STATE CROP REPORT IS PUBLISHED.

Columbus, Ohio, Dec. 8.—The state crop report, issued by the state board of agriculture today, shows that the total corn production in Ohio this season is 105,512,245 bushels.

The wheat crop sown for the harvest of 1911 is shown to be in unusually good condition and is rated at 94 per cent. It shows also that 44 per cent of the wheat crop of 1910 was sold as soon as thrashed, so that 56 per cent of the crop still is in the hands of the farmers.

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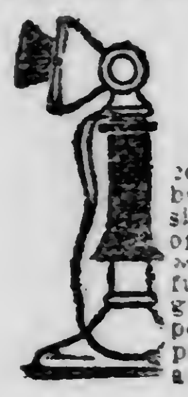

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	Old. 'Phone.	New 'Phone.
MEAT MARKETS—		
Mork Bros.	1590	189
GROCERS—		
Thatcher & Thatcher.		1937
LAUNDRIES—		
Peerless Laundry	428	428
Yale Laundry	479	479
Lutes Laundry	447	447
Troy Laundry	257	257
Home Laundry Co.	941	1128
Incline Hand Laundry	1609	2021
DRUGGISTS—		
Eddie Jeronimus	1243	1027
Boyce	163	163
Smith & Smith	280	7
ARCHITECTS—		
Frank L. Young & Co.	4476	
MILLINERY—		
M. A. Cox	4576	
TENTS AND AWNINGS—		
Poirier & Co.		735
DYE WORKS—		
Zenith City Dye works	1888	1888
Northwestern Dyeing & Cleaning Co.	1337	1516
National Dyeing & Cleaning Co.	2376	2376
Interstate Cleaning & Dyeing Co., "Kelly's"	2530	30

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John A. Stephenson & Co., Wolvin bldg.
E. D. Field Co., 203 Exchange building.
L. A. Larsen Co., Providence building.
H. J. Mullin, 403 Lonsdale building.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE — VERY CHEAP, VIOLIN with new case. K 1, Herald.

FOR SALE — ONE GENTLEMAN'S fur-lined coat, and two ladies' fur coats, all new, will be sold for one-half of the original cost. Inquire of T. Lightfoot, 430 Manhattan building. New phone, 1598-D.

FOR SALE — NEW PAIR OF BIRCHwood skis, 7½ feet. Call 210 East Fourth street.

FOR SALE—FINE BUFFALO COAT with otter collar and cuffs; large size. Address George Oldham, 215 Center street, Hibbing, Minn.

FOR SALE — UNCALLED FOR MAN'S nobby suit; good color; coat size 40, pants 39 waist, 31 leg; will cut price in two, if taken at once. Gassinger, the tailor, over Gasser's grocery store.

FOR SALE—MIXED WOOD AT $1 PER cord or will deliver for $2.25 per load; Call 1015 South Seventy-second avenue west, or 'phone Zenith 1970-Y.

FOR SALE—COMPLETE FURNISHings of a five-room flat; bargain. Call after 6 p. m., or Sunday, 311 A East Sixth street.

FOR SALE — NEW, LARGE BLACK lynx fur, latest style, was $17.50, will sell for $7.50. Call Calumet 211-M.

FOR SALE—JEWEL GAS STOVE, used a short time. A 295, Herald.

FOR SALE — NATIONAL CASH REGister, size No. 2, new and in good condition, will sell cheap. J 349, Herald.

FOR SALE—THREE TOTE SLEIGHS nearly new and two cutters. Mike Cronin, Sparta, Minn.

FOR SALE — WESTINGHOUSE ALternating current motor, 5-horse power, 60 cycles; good as new; at a bargain. Call Zenith Broom Factory.

FOR SALE — FOUR HUNDRED TONS upland prairie hay at $9 per ton. F. O. B., Onaka, S. D. Call or write Townsend Bros., Northville, S. D.

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WANTED.

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WANTED—A RELIABLE GIRL FOR general housework; small family. 1809 Jefferson street, flat A.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework, 225 East Fourth street.

WANTED — WOMAN TO DO WASHing and ironing. Flat B, 123 First avenue west.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. 1802 Jefferson street.

WANTED — CHAMBERMAID. APPLY housekeeper. Lenox hotel.

WANTED—A GOOD NEAT GIRL FOR general housework; three in family. Call 110 South Sixteenth avenue east.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. 225 East Fourth street.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED GIRL to clerk in candy store. Apply at Olympia candy store.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. 1911 East Third street.

WANTED—A COMPETENT GIRL FOR general housework. 1605 Jefferson street.

WANTED — GIRL WHO WOULD BE willing to work for small wages for winter to help with children and upstairs work. Herald, X 287.

WANTED—COMPETENT GIRL FOR general housework. Call at 1632 East Superior street.

WANTED—COMPETENT GIRL FOR general housework. Mrs. C. A. Wright, 1420 London road.

WANTED — HALL GIRL. APPLY Children's home, Fifteenth avenue east and Fifth street.

WANTED—DISHWASHER. APPLY Sixth avenue hotel.

FOR SALE—LADIES' SERGE SUIT, $6; black broadcloth coat, $3, size 34. B 1, Herald.

WANTED — 500 PEOPLE TO KNOW that we are placing on sale factory samples of jewelry; 100 jewel cases, 500 white stone hat pins, 100 back combs, 300 rings, full line cut glass and holiday goods. Keystone Loan company, 22 W. Sup. St.

WANTED — WOMAN COOK — ALSO kitchen girl who understands something about cooking. Astoria hotel.

WANTED—DINING ROOM GIRL. 617 West Superior street, Ohio cafe.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER. WRITE, stating age and experience. Herald, A 514.

SITUATION WANTED — BY COMPEtent dressmaker. Call Zenith 1678-A.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework, no small children, 1203 East Fourth street.

WANTED TO RENT.

WANTED TO RENT — ABOUT 150 square feet floor space for heavy storage; central. Y 293, Herald.

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PATENTS — ALL ABOUT PATENTS. See Stevens, 610 Sellwood building.

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WANTED — SALESMAN, CHOICE territory; no experience necessary; rapid seller, big profits, new invention; never been introduced to the Northwest trade. Address Sales Manager, care of Herald.

WANTED—FOUR NEAT APPEARING solicitors, on a house to house proposition; $3 to $5 per day made. Please do not call unless you mean business. Apply at Y. M. C. A. Ask for D. G. Knox.

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WANTED—BOY TO DISTRIBUTE CIRculars. Apply 6:30 p. m. 210 East Second street.

WANTED — NO. 1 EXPERIENCED clothing salesman; Scandinavian preferred; good wages. Apply to Model, 17 West Superior street.

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FOR RENT.

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- 3 rooms, with water and toilet, at 220 West Fourth street...$15

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FOR RENT—NINE-ROOM HOUSE ON East Superior street; modern; hot water heating plant. Rental department, John A. Stephenson & Co., Wolvin building.

FOR RENT — SEVEN-ROOM COMplete furnished house; Dec. 1 to March 1. Mrs. C. B. Miller, 214 Fifteenth avenue east.

FOR RENT—A SIX-ROOM HOUSE, hardwood finish, all modern except heat. Apply 404 Exchange building, or 2030 London road. Zenith 'phone 217 or 2228-A.

FOR RENT—EIGHT-ROOM MODERN West end house, furnace heat, $27.50, Twenty-third avenue west and Third street, C. L. Rakowsky & Co., 201 Exchange building.

FOR RENT—WARM, COZY FURNISHed six-room house; all conveniences; will rent cheap. Call 1225 East Fourth street.

FOR RENT—MODERN SEVEN-ROOM house, East end; hot water heat; two bathrooms; hardwood finish; $42.50 per month. Whitney Wall company, 301-3 Torrey building.

FOR RENT — 18 WEST THIRD street, central, suitable for roomers, nine rooms; modern; $50; keys at our office. Little & Nolte, Exchange building.

FOR RENT — FIVE-ROOM HOUSE, water, toilet and electric light; $12 a month. Inquire 1120 East Third street.

FOR RENT—SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE, 125 Seventh avenue west; bath, electric light, coal range. Apply A. A. Mendenhall.

FOR RENT — EIGHT-ROOM HOUSE at 231 East Fifth street; hot water heat. Rental department, John A. Stephenson & Co., Wolvin building.

FOR RENT — 429 THIRD AVENUE west, central, suitable for roomers, nine rooms, modern; $45. Call at office of Little & Nolte, Exchange building.

FOR RENT—108 THIRTY-NINTH AVenue west; five rooms [illegible]; city water. J. D. Howard & Co., 216 West Superior street.

FOR RENT—EIGHT ROOMS, 710 WEST Second street; stove heat; $25 per month. W. M. Prindle.

FOR RENT — NO. 1610½ EAST SUperior street; eight rooms and bath; hot water heat; gas range; hardwood floors; $45. J. D. Howard & Co., 216 West Superior street.

FOR RENT—NO. 1422 EAST FIRST street, six rooms and bath; modern and in good condition; $35. J. D. Howard & Co., 216 West Superior street.

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FOR RENT — FOUR-ROOM COTTAGE, 2121 West First street, $12 for the winter. C. L. Rakowsky & Co., 201 Exchange building.

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FOR RENT—WE STILL HAVE LEFT a few of the new Berkshire and Barrington apartments at Eighth avenue east and First street; three to seven rooms. John A. Stephenson & Co., Wolvin building.

FOR RENT — FOUR-ROOM FLAT, with bath, gas, hardwood floors throughout; $17.50 per month. 217 West Fifth street. Call Broad, 204-K.

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FOR RENT—TWO SIX-ROOM BRICK flats, $15 per mo.; Munger row, Fifty-third avenue west and Ramsey street. Call 2401 West Fourth street or Zenith 1360 X.

FOR RENT—FIVE-ROOM FLAT; ALL conveniences, except heat. 2122 West Third street. Zenith 1661-A.

FOR RENT—SEVEN-ROOM MODERN flat, furnace heat, large basement; rent $20 per month. Call 325 Eighth avenue west.

FOR RENT — NEW FIVE-ROOM brick flat, all conveniences, except heat. Price, $22. 414 East Sixth street.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED FLAT, FIVE rooms; one room rented, gentleman will stay or vacate; hardwood floors, porcelain bath, high grade, complete, clean; walking distance. 311 A East Sixth street.

FOR RENT—WARM FIVE-ROOM flat, sewer, bath, electric light and hardwood floors, at 2816 Helm street, $15. For owner call Zenith 2014 D.

FOR RENT—FOUR-ROOM FLAT AND five-room basement. 108 East Second street. Inquire of Jacob Stubler, 305, West Superior street.

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PALESTINE LODGE NO. 79, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meetings first and third Monday evenings of each month, at 7:30 o'clock. Next meeting, special, Friday, Dec. 16, 1910. Work—Installation of officers. Gorham A. Taylor, W. M.; H. Nesbit, secretary.

IONIC LODGE NO. 186, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meetings second and fourth Monday evenings of each month at 7:30 o'clock. Next meeting, Monday, Dec. 12, 1910. Annual meeting and election of officers. H. W. Richardson, W. M.; Hugh Burgo, secretary.

KEYSTONE CHAPTER NO. 20, R. A. M.—Stated convocations second and fourth Wednesday evenings of each month at 7:30 o'clock. Next meeting, Dec. 14, 1910. Work—Annual meeting, election of officers. Andalla W. Torrance, H. P.; Alfred Le Richeux, secretary.

DULUTH COUNCIL NO. 6, D. & S. M.—Next meeting Friday, Dec. 2, 1910, at 7:30 p. m. Work—Annual meeting; election of officers. Carl L. Lonegren, T. I. M.; Alfred Le Richeux, recorder.

DULUTH COMMANDERY NO. 18, K. T.—Stated conclave first Tuesday of each month at 7:30 o'clock p. m. Next conclave Dec. 6, 1910. Work—Red Cross degree. Newton H. Wilson, E. C.; Alfred Le Richeux, recorder.

SCOTTISH RITE — REGULar meetings every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Next meeting Dec. 8, 1910. Work—Twenty-sixth degree. Henry Nesbitt, secretary.

ZENITH CHAPTER NO. 25, Order of Eastern Star—Regular meetings second and fourth Friday evenings of each month at 7:30 o'clock. Next meeting, Dec. 9, 1910. Work—Annual meeting, election of officers and initiation. Minnie Keeler, W. M.; Ella F. Gearhart, secretary.

EUCLID LODGE NO. 198, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meetings second and fourth Wednesday evenings of each month at 7:30 o'clock. Next meeting Dec. 14, 1910. Work—Election of officers. L. R. Clark, W. M.; A. Dunleavy, secretary.

DULUTH CHAPTER NO. 59, R. A. M.—Meets at West Duluth first and Third Wednesdays of each month at 7:30 p. m. Next meeting, Dec. 7, 1910. Work—Election of officers and P. M. and M. E. degrees. W. B. Getchell H. P.; A. Dunleavy, secretary.

K. of P.
NORTH STAR LODGE NO. 35, K. of P.—Meets every Tuesday evening at Castle hall, 118 West Superior street. Next meeting, Tuesday evening, Dec. 6, 8 o'clock sharp; election of officers for ensuing year and work in second rank. H. N. Colvin, C. C.; S. A. Hearn, K. of R. & S.

DIAMOND LODGE NO. 45, K. of P.—Meets every Monday evening in Sloan's hall, corner Twentieth avenue west and Superior street. All knights cordially invited; work in second rank. M. J. Murray, C. C.; Otto E. Nelson, K. of R. & S.

KITCHI GAMMI LODGE NO. 123, K. of P.—Meets every Thursday evening at Commercial Club hall, Central avenue, West Duluth. Next meeting Thursday evening, Dec. 1, nomination and election of officers. All knights cordially invited. G. W. Boutin, C. C.; C. M. Phillips, K. of R. & S.

DULUTH LODGE, NO. 28, I. O. O. F.—MEETS every Friday evening at 8 o'clock at Odd Fellows' hall, 18 Lake avenue north. Next meeting night, Dec. 9, regular business. E. A. Bergstrom, N. G.; G. H. Glass, Rec. Sec.; A. H. Paul, Fin. Sec.

DULUTH ENCAMPMENT NO. 36, I. O. O. F.—Meets on the second and fourth Thursdays at Odd Fellows hall, 18 Lake avenue north. Next meeting night, special, Dec. 8, Golden Rule degree. J. B. Cade, C. P.; L. G. Marlow, Rec. Scribe.

K. O. T. M.
DULUTH TENT NO. 1—MEETS EVERY Monday, 8:15 p. m., at Maccabee hall, 21 Lake avenue north. Visiting members always welcome. O. P. Mecalson, commander, 505 West Third street; J. B. Gelineau, record keeper, office in hall. Hours, 10 a. m. to 1 p. m., daily. Zenith 'phone C19-X.

A. O. U. W.
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ALPHA COUNCIL, NO. 1—TAKE NOtice that Samaritan degree meets first and third Thursdays; beneficent, second and fourth Thursdays. Lucy A. Purdy, Lady G. S.; N. B. Morrison, G. S.; Wallace P. Weltanks, scribe; T. A. Gall, F. S., First National Bank building. All members of beneficent degree are requested to be present next Thursday, Dec. 8, nomination and election of officers.

UNITED ORDER OF FORESTERS—Court Eastern Star, No. 86, meets every first and third Tuesday at U. O. F. hall, corner Fourth avenue west and First street. Elizabeth Milnes, C. R., room 23, Winthrop block; A. E. Piering, secretary, 220 East Fifth street; Harry Milnes, treasurer, room 23, Winthrop block. Zenith 'phone 2978-X

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CLAN STEWART, NO. 50, O. S. C.—Meets first and third Wednesdays each month, 8 p. m., at U. O. F. hall, corner Fourth avenue west and First street. Next regular meeting, Dec. 21. Alexander G. McKnight, chief; Don McLennan, secretary; John Burnett, financial secretary, 312 Torrey building.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD.
ZENITH CITY CAMP NO 5.—MEETS every second and fourth Wednesdays at the old Masonic temple, fifth floor. MacAuley, C. C., 102 West Michigan street; Williard Curtis, banker, No. 1, The Glen; Temple Sloan, clerk, 6 South Thirteenth avenue west. Zenith 'phone 71.

ROYAL ARCANUM, Duluth Council No. 1483—Meets second and fourth Tuesday evenings, Maccabee hall, 21 Lake avenue north. Clinton Brooks, secretary, 401 Columbia building.
Mesaba Council, No. 1493—Meets first and third Wednesday evenings, Columbia hall, west end. A. M. Johnson, secretary, 117 North Twentieth avenue west.

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VAN DEVANTER AMONG MEN MENTIONED FOR THE SUPREME COURT

Hook of Eighth Circuit Also One of Those Considered.

Winslow of Wisconsin Another of Nine Submitted to Senators.

Hughes Is the Probable Appointee as Chief Justice.

Washington, Dec 9.—From a source which is considered entirely trustworthy, it was learned today that President Taft has submitted to a number of senators a final list of the men he is considering for appointment to the United States supreme court.

In addition to Justice Charles E. Hughes, who was put down as the probable new chief justice, the list contains nine names from which the president will select two associate justices. The names follow:

Justice Francis J. Swaysee of the supreme court of New Jersey.

Joseph R. Lamar of Augusta, Ga., former justice of the Georgia supreme court.

Justice Gordon Russell of the United States district court of Texas.

Justice William C. Hook of Leavenworth, Kan., now a judge on the Eighth United States circuit.

Justice Willis Van Devanter of Cheyenne, Wyo., also of the Eighth circuit.

Justice John C. Pollock of Topeka, Kan., United States judge.

Chief Justice John Bradley Winslow of the supreme court of Wisconsin.

Senator George Sutherland of Utah.

W. D. McHugh, an attorney of Omaha, Neb.

FORMER OWNER OF PAPER IS SUICIDE

John W. Schaum of Milwaukee Shoots Himself.

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 9.—John W. Schaum, formerly part owner of the Milwaukee Journal, committed suicide today by shooting himself through the head with a .32-caliber revolver. Business trouble is assigned as the cause. The deed was committed in the parlor of his home, 532 Lake drive, shortly after breakfast.

Mr. Schaum, after the morning meal, walked into the parlor and, assuming a kneeling position, fired a bullet through his head. Death was instantaneous.

WEALTH GOES INTO CHURCH

Alleged Terms of Mrs. Eddy's Will Published in Boston.

Farlow Says the Statements Are Pure Guess Work.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 9.—According to the Post this morning, the will of Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, which will be made public in a few days, leaves practically the whole of her $1,500,000 estate to the Christian Science church. The board of directors of the church is to have the final decision as to the form the bequest will take, it is said.

Ex-Congressman Henry M. Baker of Bow, N. H., a relative, is named as administrator, according to the Post. The will was drawn in 1904 in Concord, N. H. Not a dollar is left, it is said, to George W. Glover of Lead, S. D., or to Dr. E. J. Foster Eddy, the son and adopted son respectively of Mrs. Eddy. Both recently received substantial sums from her estate.

Calvin Frye Gets $18,000.

Bequests of from $1,000 to $10,000 go to Mrs. Eddy's household staff. Calvin Frye, one of her advisers, gets $18,000, it is said, and Rev. Irving C. Tomlinson and Mrs. Laura E. Sargent also are beneficiaries.

Members of the board of directors and other leaders of the Mother church are not mentioned in the will. According to the Post's informant, there is nothing in the will which relates to the location of Mrs. Eddy's burial place.

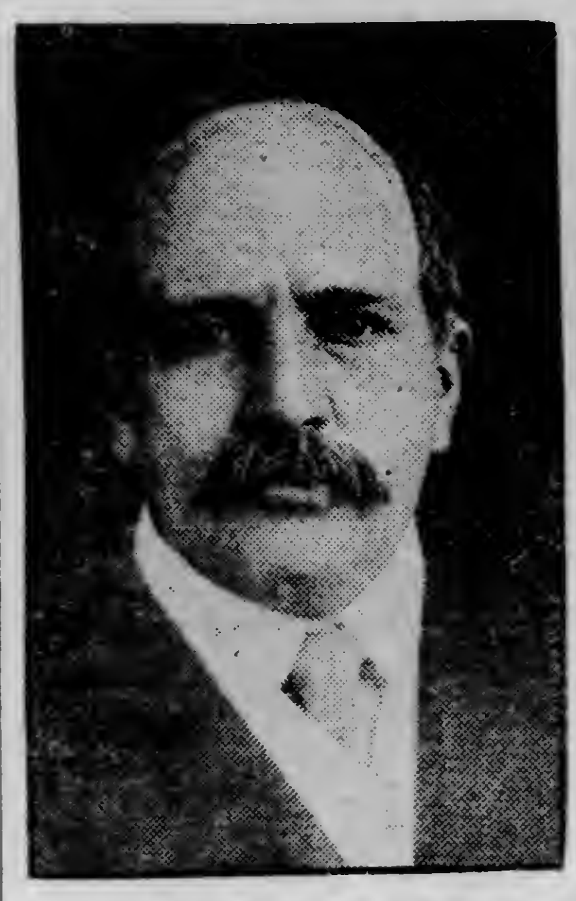
"Purely Guess Work."

Alfred Farlow, manager of the Christian Science publication committee said today:

"The story of the Mary Baker Eddy will which appeared this morning is purely guess work. The directors have not looked at the will and when they have anything to make public they have told me that they will give it to me so that I can give it to all the papers.

"The board of directors has so many more important things to attend to that I cannot tell when the will will be read. Upon to 10 o'clock this morning the document has not been opened."

DIPLOMAT DIES WHILE SERVING IN TURKEY



EDWARD HENRY OZMUN.

DEATH ENDS HIS SERVICE

E. H. Ozmun of Minnesota Dies in Turkish Capital.

Has Been Consul General in Constantinople Since 1906.

Constantinople, Dec. 9.—Edward Henry Ozmun, American consul general here, died today after a brief illness.

Edward Henry Ozmun was born at Rochester, Minn., Aug. 6, 1858. His parents were Abraham Ozmun and Marie (Schenck) Ozmun. He was educated in the universities of Wisconsin and Michigan, graduating from the latter in 1881. Later he studied law and was admitted to the Minnesota bar. He practiced law at St. Paul, Minn., and for five years was counsel for the Northern Pacific. He attained a high standing in the Minnesota bar, and was president of the St. Paul Bar association for seven years, was secretary of the state bar association for four years and for seven years was a member of the state board of law examiners.

He was active in politics as a Republican, and during the four years of his membership in the state senate took part in important legislation He was the author of the corrupt practices act passed by the state legislature in 1895.

Appointed By McKinley.

In 1897 President McKinley appointed Mr. Ozmun American consul at Stuttgart, Germany, in which post he remained until he was promoted to consul general and removed to Constantinople in 1906.

Mr. Ozmun traveled extensively in the United States and Europe, and was a member of the Congress of Americanists, the Wuertemberg Geographic society, the Stuttgart Art society and the Sons of the American Revolution. On Nov. 21, 1894, he married Clara B. Goodman at Weedsport, N. Y. They had two children, Helen Elizabeth, born in 1896, and Edward Henry, born in 1903.

UNWRITTEN LAW FREES HOOSIER

Menlo Moore Is Acquitted and Crowd Cheers In Courtroom.

Vincennes, Ind., Dec. 9.—Another victory for the unwritten law was recorded today in the local court when a jury brought in a verdict of not guilty in the case of Menlo Moore, manager of a circuit of theaters, accused of the murder of Charles E. Gibson, a wealthy operator in the Indiana-Illinois oil fields.

During the trial Mrs. Moore testified that she had been led by Gibson to believe her husband was unfaithful to her and had been forced by Gibson to submit to demands that she hold illegal relations with him. She said that she finally told her husband about the whole affair and that he shot Gibson while in an insane fit of anger.

When the verdict was read the crowd in the court room broke into a cheer, and men rushed upon the platform and carried Moore from the court room. The court made no effort to stop the demonstration.

The trial has been in progress for about ten days.

CHOLERA RIOTS ARE REPORTED IN MADEIRA.

Lisbon, Dec. 9.—Advices from Funchal state that the situation growing out of the cholera epidemic is serious throughout Madeira. Cholera riots occur daily.

The food supply is running short and today the Portuguese gunboat Zaire was despatched to the island carrying troops and medicines.

EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY

Members of Minnesota Commission Will Address Mass Meeting Here.

Will Be Feature of Annual Meeting of Builders' Exchanges.

A public meeting at the Commercial club next Wednesday evening at which George M. Gillett, W. E. McEwen and H. V. Mercer, the commissioners appointed by Governor Johnson two years ago to study the question of employers' liability, will be the speakers, will be the feature of the annual meeting of the Minnesota Association of Builders' Exchanges, which will be held in Duluth Wednesday.

Employers' liability will be the subject of discussion at the public meeting and the three commissioners, who have accepted invitations to attend, will make their first public utterance on the subject since they completed their investigations. They will probably give some inkling of the contents of the report they will make to the legislature at the coming session and may give an intimation of the character of the employers' liability bill they will suggest.

Substitute For Banquet.

Heretofore, each meeting of the Association of Builders' Exchanges has concluded with a big banquet. This year, the banquet feature has been eliminated and the public meeting, which is expected to be of vastly more interest and importance to the delegates, has been substituted. The meeting will be open to every-

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MURDER SCORES OF CHRISTIANS

Bedouins Also Massacre Turks in Sight of Jerusalem.

Constantinople, Dec. 9.—A telegram from Jerusalem today states that Bedouins have massacred the Turkish garrison at Kerak, a town in the Turkish vilayet of Syra, and killed more than 100 Christian inhabitants of the place in revenge for the execution of a Bedouin chief.

The Bedouins, the dispatch adds, now hold the fortress, in the vicinity of which there has been desultory fighting between the tribesmen and the government troops for the last year and a half.

Kerak, formerly the capital of Moab, has a population of 8,000, of whom 6,000 are Moslems. The town is the last on the road from Damascus to Mecca, where Christians may reside. It stands on the mountains of Moab and may be seen from Jerusalem, fifty miles away.

There are no American missionaries there, the only missionary station being that of the British Church Missionary Society for Africa and the East. This is a branch of the organization at Es Salt, and is composed of one missionary, his wife and one native worker.

SHOW TRADE HAS DOUBLED

Statistics Are Given for Philippine Commerce Under New Law.

Removal of Tariff on Many Articles Makes Big Difference.

Washington, Dec. 9.—That the Payne-Aldrich tariff law has tended to increase the trade between the United States and the Philippines is exemplified by figures compiled by the bureau of statistics. Permitting an interchange, free of duty, of practically all articles passing between this country and the islands, trade between the United States and the Philippines has practically doubled.

The total value of imports from the islands for the first fifteen months' operation of the new law amounted to $24,336,000 against $11,500,000 for the fifteen months immediately preceding its enactment. Exports to the islands for the fifteen months since the new tariff has been in effect were valued at $23,500,000 against $12,500,000 for the preceding fifteen months.

Ten Months Compared.

Comparing the ten months of the calendar year 1910, for which, figures are

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NO OPEN MARKET IN SHEET STEEL

Campbell Predicts Rise in Prices in Middle of January.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 8.—According to the best opinion in Pittsburg today there will be no open market in the sheet steel trade. This conclusion was reached at yesterday's meeting of important manufacturing interests. The opinion was held that the present uneasiness in the trade is due to overproduction and increased capacity rather than a general desire for lower prices.

Before leaving the city, James M. Campbell, head of the sheet department of the American Institute of Iron & Steel said:

"No changes were made in prices and the only thing accomplished was a thorough discussion of the sheet trade. The market is dropping off a little and will continue until about the middle of January. I feel there will be a decided improvement and the tonnage of the coming year will be greater than that of 1910."

SIX FIREMEN ARE OVERCOME BY GAS.

New York, Dec. 9.—Six firemen were overcome in an explosion of gas during a fire which broke out today in a five-story building in West Twenty-third street occupied by Dempsey & Carroll, stationers, and other firms. The fire did $100,000 damage.

Fire destroyed the greater part of the big plant of the Edison Electric company on Rockwell place, Brooklyn, today, and the lower section of Brooklyn was without light or power.

WEDS NAN PATTERSON

Sumner Prescott, Formerly of Duluth, Marries Floradora Girl.

Wedding in St. Paul Last October Is Just Made Public.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—Nan Patterson, the chorus girl three times tried for the murder of Caesar Young, a California book-maker, in New York, was married in St. Paul, Oct. 24, to Sumner Prescott, former head of the Prescott machine company of Marinette, Wis. The marriage was confirmed by Mr. Prescott when seen last night by a Dispatch correspondent in Seattle, where the two now live.

Court Commissioner Henry Gallyck performed the ceremony in his office in the court house in the presence of Louis Peter, county commissioner, and other witnesses.

Bride Gave Assumed Name.

No one who attended the marriage knew that the bride was the Floradora girl, as she had given the name of Ann E. Martin when she applied for the license.

Sumner Prescott, the groom, is reputed to be a millionaire. His father,

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PAY THIRD OF ALL DUTIES IN GOLD

Decree Is to Be Issued in Lisbon—Duke of Oporto to Pay Debts.

Lisbon, Dec. 9.—The ministry of finance will issue a decree on Dec. 15 calling for the payment of one-third of all custom duties in gold.

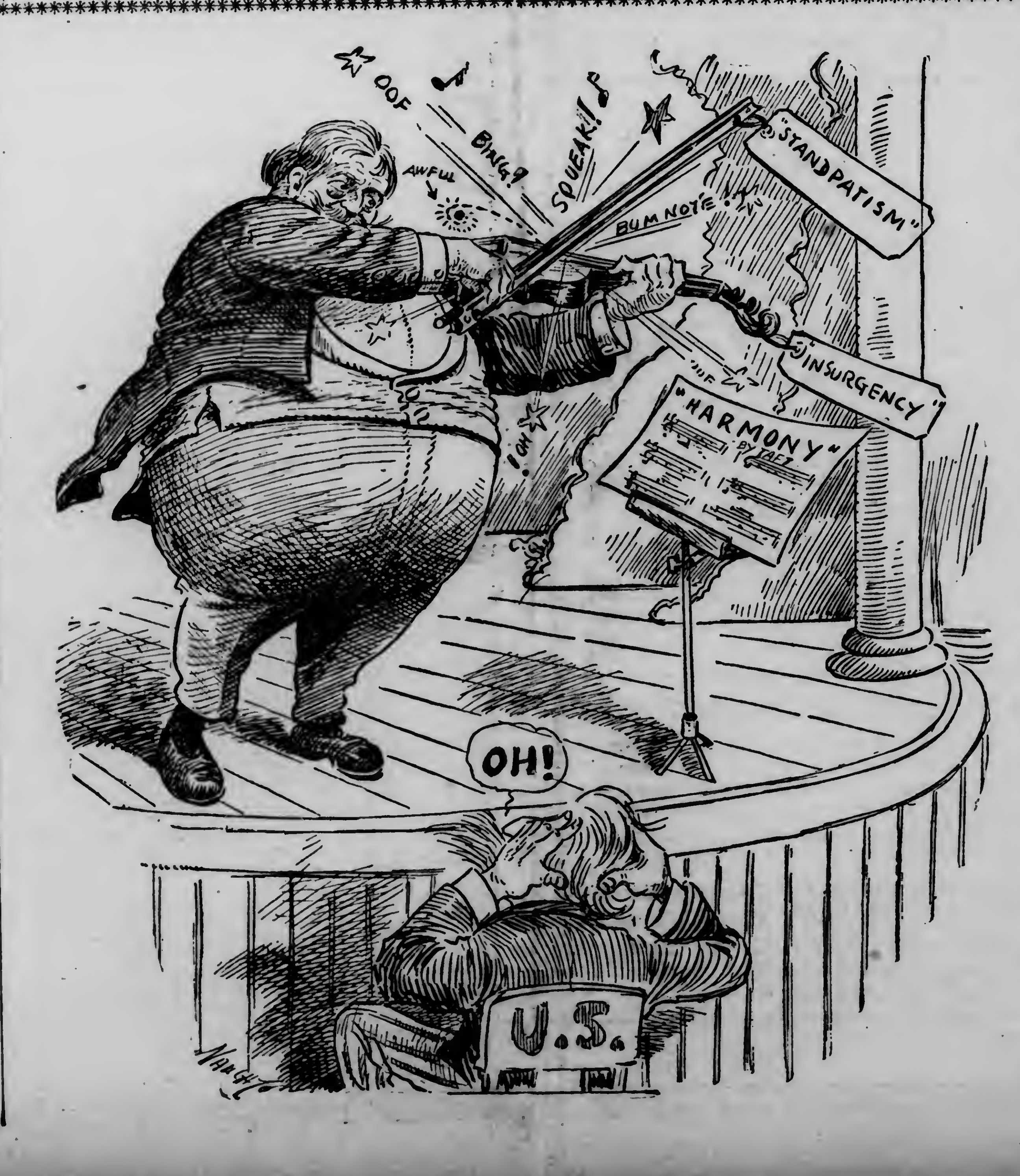
The duke of Oporto publishes the announcement that he intends to pay all of his debts in Portugal. It is believed that King Victor Emanuel of Italy is advancing the necessary funds to the duke in order to avoid a scandal.

NEW RECORD SET BY FRENCHMAN

Legagneux Rises 10,499 Feet in Monoplane at Pau.

Pau, France, Dec. 9.—Ascending from the aviation field here today, M. Legagneux broke the world's altitude record, rising to a height of 10,499 feet. The Frenchman landed half frozen after a remarkable plane downward. He used a Bleriot monoplane.

HE WILL HAVE TO GET A DIFFERENT BOW FOR THAT FIDDLE.



INDIAN AGENTS MEET WITH INJUNCTIONS IN "DRYING UP" BEMIDJI

IS BRIDE OF FORMER DULUTH YOUNG MAN

NAN PATTERSON,
Now Mrs. Sumner Prescott.

TELL ABOUT MRS. GLOVER

Witnesses for Defense Testify in Trial of Hattie Le Blanc.

Threats of Woman to Kill Her Husband Repeated on Stand.

Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 9.—Mrs. Irene Le Blanc Langley, one of the sisters of Hattie Le Blanc, testified at the opening of today's session of the girl's murder trial that Hattie had threatened to commit suicide if convicted on the testimony of Mrs. Glover, widow of the slain man.

Mrs. Langley's statement was made in response to questions of District Attorney Higgins on cross-examination. She further testified that when the body of Glover was brought into the house, Mrs. Glover turned her back on it.

Received Many Letters.

A mail carrier was then called, who said that Mrs. Glover had received more than 500 letters in the last three years under the name of Minnie Everett Clark.

Mrs. Glover three times threatened to buy a revolver and shoot her husband, Clarence F. Glover of Waltham, according to the testimony of Mrs. Kate Sampson of Auburndale, one of the witnesses for the defense. Mrs. Sampson said Mrs. Glover made these threats while visiting her at Auburndale and that she appeared enraged because, she

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WOUNDED MAN MAY BE THIEF

He Is Found Walking With Woman After Burglary Is Attempted.

New York, Dec. 9.—A middle-aged man believed to be a burglar, is dying today at St. Mary's hospital in Passaic, N. J. With a bad looking wound in his head he was found wandering about the streets of that city in company with a woman who said she was his wife.

A short time before Theodore Tapley, a manufacturer, saw a woman standing by his yard gate, and at the same time saw a man step in through a window of his residence. Tapley fired and the burglar turned and ran.

On going to an address furnished by the man, the Passaic police found some broken up jewelry and a kit of burglar tools.

LIFE INSURANCE PRESIDENTS MEET

Fourth Annual Gathering of Association Held in Chicago.

Chicago, Dec. 9.—The fourth annual meeting of the Association of Life Insurance Presidents opened today in this city. It will devote most of its time, according to the program prepared, to discussion of technical subjects, and will continue through two days. The visitors were welcomed by Superintendent of Insurance Fred W. Potter of Illinois on behalf of Governor Deneen, who is out of the state.

Close All Saloons, But Twelve Reopen After Papers Are Served.

Brents Declares Courts Will Not Uphold Injunctions.

Writs Are Directed at All Special Agents—Returnable Dec. 29.

Bemidji, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.) — Government agents struck a snag when they started at 9 o'clock this morning to close the saloons of Bemidji, the last town to get the "lid" in the territory covered by the Indian treaty of 1855.

There were twenty-four places doing business here. Special Officers T. E. Brents and H. F. Coggeshall went to every saloon in town and told the proprietor to clear the place, lock the door and have his supplies packed and ready for shipment out of Bemidji by 6 p. m. today. No resistance was offered at the time, but as soon as Brents and Coggeshall got back to their headquarters at the Markham hotel they were served with injunctions by Deputy Sheriff Rutlege, the

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UNIONIST GAIN THE LARGEST

Healy's Defeat Is the Day's Feature in the British Election.

London, Dec. 9.—Tonight's totals show that the coalition parties have thus far secured 244 seats in the new parliament, and the Unionists 207 seats. The Unionists have gained 21 constituencies, the Liberals 14 and the Labor party 4.

The coalition aggregate is divided as follows:

Liberals, 156; Irish Nationalists, 53; Independent Nationalsts, 6; Labor members, 28.

The elections continue their hundrum course, the chief feature, perhaps, being the striking similarity to the returns of January last. Hardly is a gain noted on one side before it is equalized on the other.

Timothy Healy Beaten.

Today's news of special interest was the defeat of Timothy Healy at Louth, which constituency he has represented in the house of commons for eighteen years. Healy is known as the "Ishmael of Nationalist politics," and has followed an independent course since the downfall of Parnell, to which he largely contributed. The successful candidate was Richard Hazleton.

The cause of woman's suffrage is making a pitiable showing in the elections. Thus far they have had but two candidates, and of these one polled but 22 and the other 35 votes.

CALLS HONDURAS REPORTS FALSE

Englishman From Tegucigalpa Denies There Is Any Strife.

Mobile, Ala., Dec. 9.—"At present there is perfect harmony among the people of Honduras, for congress will meet in January and the people will frown on the person who dares to try to create a disturbance," was the statement of O. M. Wilshere, an English mining engineer representing an English syndicate of Tegucigalpa, Honduras, who arrived here last night.

Mr. Wilshere laughs at the sensational reports of strife.

NEW JERSEY IS OVER 2,500,000

More Population Statistics Are Given Out at Washington.

Washington, Dec. 9.—The population of the state of New Jersey is 2,537,167 according to statistics of the thirteenth census, issued today. This is an increase of 653,498, or 34.7 per cent, over 1,883,669 in 1900. The increase from 1890 to 1900 was 438,736 or 30.4 per cent.

The population of Louisiana is 1,656,388, an increase of 274,763, or 19.9 per cent, over 1,381,625 in 1900. The increase from 1890 to 1900 was 23.5 per cent.

Spokane Over 100,000.

The population of Spokane, Wash., is 104,402. This is an increase of 67,554, or 183.3 per cent, over 36,848 in 1900.

The population of Bismarck, N. D., is 5,443, compared with 3,319 in 1900.

Revised statistics for Tampa, Fla., show its population to be 37,782, an increase of 21,943, or 138.56 per cent, over 15,832 in 1900.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

Weather: Snow tonight or Saturday; warmer tonight; moderate to brisk southerly winds.

Oak Hall Clothing Co.

Superior Street at Second Avenue West

OPEN LATE TOMORROW NIGHT

THE GREATEST CLOTHING SALE OF THE YEAR STARTS TOMORROW at 9:00 A. M.

AT THE OAK HALL

THE BANKRUPT STOCK

OF SANDS VAN WAGNER

CONSISTING OF SUITS AND OVERCOATS FOR MEN AND BOYS, HIGH CLASS FURNISHING GOODS, HATS, CAPS, RUBBERS AND SHOES

All Will Be Sold Regardless of Former Price or Value

EVERYBODY knows that Sands Van Wagner is a good fellow—progressive and ambitious. He thought the time was opportune for opening a specialty store to cater to the exclusive fellows. A long time lease was taken on the store at 329 West Superior St., and it was fitted up as fine as any store on Broadway. At first everything went along nicely, the fine store and swell merchandise made a big hit, but later the drouth came on, followed by the long-continued hot weather in September and October, and early in November the creditors commenced to clamor for their money. He could not meet the demands, and a trustee was appointed, who sold the stock at Auction last **Monday. The bidding was spirited as knowledge of the high-class merchandise was well known to the trade.** Traveling men had spread it near and far that Sands Van Wagner would only buy the best-quality merchandise. Representatives from the Twin Cities and other cities nearer here were among the bidders, but we were determined that the Oak Hall should distribute the values among the people of Duluth, and our bid was accepted although it was only one-fourth of 1 per cent above that of our competitor, who has since then developed a very bad case of sour grapes.

Oak Hall sales have never disappointed you. The savings and values have always been real ones, but this sale of the Bankrupt Stock of Sands Van Wagner will stand for years without an equal. All past value giving eclipsed by this sale.

CUTTING AND SLASHING PRICES

Everything will be sold quickly, by the power of price.

In all our years of storekeeping we do not remember a time when people valued a dollar more than now, but we will brighten up the situation with its sale

Come along tomorrow—get a Suit and Overcoat, Cap, Shoes and Rubbers, so that you can enjoy the long cold winter that is ahead of us. -:- -:-

This Sale Makes Christmas Buying Easy

Give the useful this year—a Suit or Overcoat after all makes the best present one can give. We have the greatest showing of Christmas Furnishing Goods ever made here. Smoking Jackets, Bath Robes, beautiful Neckwear, Handkerchiefs, Hosiery, Suspenders, etc.

JUST A WORD In a sale like this—come early. We will have extra salespeople, so all can be waited on promptly—but to give you the attention we desire—advise coming in the morning, if possible.

J. M. Gidding & Co.

"Correct Dress for Women"

Little Hints Regarding Suitable Gift Things

We aim to present for your consideration, refined and exclusive selections in small gift-things that make pleasing, sensible, and appreciated remembrances.

Leather Bags
Chain Bags
Beaded Bags
Cordeliere Bags
Card Cases
Chatelain Sets
Vanity Articles
Guard Chains
La Valliers
Belt Pins
Brooches
Collar Pins
Hair Ornaments
Bar Pins
Hat Pins
Gloves
Handerchiefs
Hose
Auto Veils
Shoulder Throws
Marabou Sets
Cigar Cases
Desk Clocks
Perpetual Calendars
Traveling Sets
Pullman Clothes Hangers
Pocket Flasks
Bridge Rolls
Trump Indicators
Desk Sets
Manicure Sets

Christmas Sale of Gloves

Perrin's First Quality Kid Gloves, also our high-class Mocha Gloves, of finest texture skins, and in all fashionable shades.

3 Pair Regular $2.00 Gloves,
$5.00

3 Pair Regular $1,35 Gloves,
$3.00

If you do not know the size or color, buy a Glove Certificate.

All Cloth Coats 1/3 or 1/4 Off

Our entire stock of Tailored and Dressy Coats—and all Evening Wraps, have been placed on sale without reserve, at sweeping reductions of 1/4 or 1/3—

This involves all types of strictly Tailored and Dressy Styles; in Polo Blanket Coats—Touring Coats of the new imported rough weaves—Mannishly Tailored Mixture Coats—Plain Broadcloths — Caracul Coats—Rich Velvet Coats—Fine Imported Chiffon-Broadcloth Coats and Satin Evening Wraps.

$22.50 Coats, $15.00 or $16.50
$30.00 Coats, $20.00 or $22.50
$45.00 Coats, $30.00 or $33.75
$50.00 Coats, $33.75 or $37.50
$60.00 Coats, $40.00 or $45.00
$75.00 Coats, $50.00 or $56.25

Tailored Suits Reduced 1/3

Nothing in all this vast assemblage of stylish, high-quality tailormades, escapes the Third-Off Edict! There are tailormades of every style, every color, and every size—from mannishly Tailored Scotch Tweeds, to rich and exclusive Velvet Suits. Regular prices ranged all the way from $29.50 to $100—and **now** the suit of your choice costs just one-third less than its former price!

Many Styles in Fur Sets Specialized for Tomorrow's Selling at $25.00, $29.50, $35.00 and $45.00

In Jap Mink, Sable Squirrel, Black Fox and fine Black Coyote Wolf Sets. Many styles of muffs, in the new shapes and sizes, with collar, Pelierine or animal-scarf neck pieces. Former prices ranged to $60.00.

Waists

To Match Suits

At $5.00

Tailored Silk Waists, Regularly $6.75 and $7.50—Messaline and Taffeta Waists, in plain colors, Persians, stripes and plaids—a good selection of Black Waists, in all sizes.

At $7.50

Fancy Waists, Regularly $12.75 to $19.50—Dressy styles in Chiffon, Net, Crepe de Chine and Silks, in nearly all shades, including black—new and up-to-date styles.

1/3 Off On Children's Coats

(Mannishly Tailored Styles alone reserved.)

Tomorrow we place on sale, for the first time this season, our entire line of Children's and Junior Coats, in plain Kerseys, Meltons, Broadcloths, Chinchillas, Mixtures, and Novelty Styles—In all sizes from 2 to 16 years.

This means that you pay exactly one-third less than regular price, for any Girl's Coat, in our complete and extensive Stocks, which embrace all colors, sizes, styles and materials (with the lone exception of a few Strictly Tailored Junior Coats, in mannish materials.) Regular prices $7.50 to $25.

A Very Special Selling of Millinery at $5.00

For tomorrow's Special Sale, we have gone through our Millinery Department, making extraordinary price concessions, in order to offer an excellent selection of Trimmed Hats at **$5.00**. Our determination to make this an out-of-the-ordinary event, results in including a great number of surprising values, in very Stylish Street and Semi-Dress Hats, formerly to $12.50.

All Other Trimmed Millinery, including our own finest creations, and New York or Paris Pattern Hats at One-Third Off.

Furs for the Wee Lady

How proud the little lady is of her first FURS, and how much she needs them! Had you thought of Furs as a Christmas gift to some little girl who is dear to you?

We have a splendid selection of White and Colored Furs suitable for all ages. Prices—$2.50 to $25.00.

Leggings

Infants', Children's and Misses' Leggings and Tights, in Jersey, Chinchilla, Velvet and Knitted styles. Prices

75c to $2.50

Sweaters

A most complete assortment of Christmas Sweaters for Women, Girls and Children — of selected qualities, in all-wool yarns, fashioned in the newest and most up-to-date styles.

Fur Headwear

Fur Headwear for Children and Girls, is very much in vogue. Our selections in Moufflon, Coney and other furs, is very complete. Prices **$1.50 to $5.00.**

Also Splendid Selections in Beaver, Velvet and **Felt Hats, Caps and Tams.**

HAVE YOU SEEN OUR NEW "WELLESLEY" KNITTED MOTOR CAP. IT IS THE RAGE AMONG MOTORISTS AND ATHLETIC WOMEN AND GIRLS OF THE EAST. PRICE, $2.50.

For the Baby's Christmas

Our baby-store is brimming over with cute and dainty things, for baby's use, or baby's pleasure. If you have a baby to give to, and are puzzling your brain over what to give, glance over our suggestions here. Or better yet, come in and see the Baby-gifts we offer, for there are many clever novelties, that you would scarcely guess were here unless you see them—

Chantecler Dolls,
Esquimo Dolls,
Mamma Dolls,
Baby Bumps,
Bibs,
Face Veils,
Bootees,
Carriage Robes,
Silk Bonnets,
Fur Bonnets.
Bread and Milk Sets,
Sachet Card Holders,
Toilet Sets,
Pin Cushions.
Silk Hose,
Hand-Made Shoulder Shawls,
Cozy Comfys,
Hand-Made Sacques,
Kimonos,
Hand-Made Dresses.
Teddy Bears,
Toy Parasols,
Rattles,
Novelty Blankets,
Emboridered Flannels,
Toilet Baskets,
Puff Boxes.

You will find Qualities and Selections Gratifying and Prices Moderate.

Christmas Bath Robes

Handsome styles in Blanket Eiderdown and Flannelette Robes for women, misses and children—plain colors and handsome designs.

Women's Robes....$3.50 to $16.50
Children's Robes......$1.50 to $5.75

Christmas Aprons

Dainty styles in White Aprons for parlor or chafing dish uses—Maids' Aprons, Nursery Aprons, etc.—plain and fancy designs, in lace or embroidery trimmed styles. Prices **50¢** to **$5.00.**

MISTLETOE IS SCARCE

Dan Cupid Gets No Encouragement From Commission Row.

Christmas Greens in Market —Brisk Demand for All Poultry.

As the holidays approach, the volume of produce trading is increasing.

The bulk of the increased business is in fancy goods and specialties, although staples are receiving a good call.

In the poultry market the business is excellent. Prices are slightly firmer. Turkeys are in demand at higher prices. There is a plentiful supply of turkeys and chickens but a shortage in ducks. The dairy market is about unchanged, the only price fluctuations being in makes of foreign cheese. Packing butter is slightly weaker, but other grades are firm. Eggs are unchanged.

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The week ushers in the annual trade in greens and holiday decorations. Wreaths are selling at $1.75 a dozen. While the demand is not brisk, yet sellers look for a heavy business as the season approaches. Coil strips are being sold at $1.10 a coil. The first shipment of holly is expected tomorrow from the East. Holly probably will sell at $5.50 a crate, wholesale. Mistletoe will arrive in a few days and will be sold, wholesale, probably at 15 cents a pound. The prices on holly and mistletoe cannot be determined definitely until the stuff arrives and the transportation charges are known.

Green wreaths and coils are made up at Chicago, where the stuff is assembled. The greens are taken to Chicago from the Lake Superior country, generally along the south shore, in boats which have made a specialty of this class of cargoes for many years. The stuff is formed into wreaths and other shapes for the trade, and after being assembled, is packed and forwarded to all parts of the country tributary to Chicago. The same system prevails in other parts of the country which have their own supply centers. Chicago and New York are the two largest distributing centers for such goods. Holly comes here from the East. It is growing scarcer each year and prices are increasing year to year. Mistletoe is grown in Oklahoma for the big central markets. It, too, is not as liberal in supply as in former years, and producers have increased difficulty each year in supplying the demand.

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Potatoes are unchanged at from 58c to 60c a bushel. The quality is not as good as might be expected. The fault seems to lie with shippers. Many Northern Minnesota growers do not take the trouble to select their goods properly, and they are careless in preparing potatoes for transportation. For instance, a car of nubbins and good potatoes, mixed, may be unsalable, as the receiver cannot spare the time nor the money in separating the nubbins from the salable stuff. The shipper thus has the entire car thrown back on his hands. In this weather such consignments generally are spoiled by the cold temperatures before they reach him again, and his loss is total. If he had separated the nubbins from the salable stuff before shipping, his consignment would have been accepted and would have been handled quickly without loss from deterioration on account of cold temperatures. Extra fine potatoes bring fancy prices and are at a premium. Jersey sweet potatoes are slightly higher at $4.75 a bushel.

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The dairy market is slightly weak but prices are holding steady. Packing butter is off 1 cent to 20 cents a pound. Fancy creamery is firm at 31 cents and dairy is selling at 26 cents. The demand is moderate and the supply is equal to it. The cheese market, so far as American descriptions are concerned, is firm. Foreign makes are in less demand and are cheaper. Block Swiss is selling at 19 cents a pound, a reduction of 1 cent from recent quotations and wheel Swiss is quoted at 19 cents, a loss of 1 cent.

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The cranberry market is strong and supplies are scarce. The demand before Thanksgiving was unusually brisk and surplus supplies were quickly cleaned up. The shortage in the cranberry crop became acute when the Thanksgiving sale developed. Prices have been firm since then and in the last few days have hardened on account of an increased demand before the holidays. The trade is seasonable but the supply is short. New Jersey cranberries are quoted at $9.50 a barrel, an exceedingly high price. Cape Cod cranberries are $2.75 a crate.

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The fruit trade is active. California navel oranges are arriving freely and the quality of the fruit is improved. Florida is shipping grapefruit. The quality is excellent and prices are moderate. California grapes and imported Malagas comprise the supply. The grapes from Spain are of unusual excellence. Receivers think prices on the foreign article may be higher and the quality less favorable in the near futur as the grape crop in Spain this year showed considerable deterioration on account of the inclement weather. Cuban pineapples are being received in moderate quantities and the demand is fair. The lemon market is easier and supplies from California are liberal. California tomatoes are arriving in liberal quantities. The quality is excellent and the trade is brisk. The arrivals are from the new crop and considering their freshness and soundness prices are reasonable. The apple market is brisk and the volume of trading not only is large but exceedingly broad. At this time of the year the supply holds many varieties. The East and the West have practically ceased to ship.

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The cabbage market is stronger. Large quantities are reported to have been frozen in the ground on account of the early cold weather. The seasonable temperatures may cause advances soon on practically all root crops, including potatoes.

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Canned peas from Wisconsin have taken a sharp advance. So far as cheap peas are concerned, jobbers are out of the market. At low prices they have nothing to offer. The firmness of peas, especially lower grade sweet peas, is generally admitted although the higher prices do not seem to meet with the views of buyers.

The tomato market remains firm. Canned spinach and pumpkins are scarce and string beans are beginning to show life. Corn, kraut and canned baked beans are less active. Canner apples are especially strong and prices give indications of advancing. Pears of all grades are firm and stocks have been heavily reduced. The steady demand for canned pineapple has caused a reduction in stocks and prices are firm. Berries and cherries are dull. The scarcity of cove oysters continues Shippers of raw oysters continue to pay prices for fresh stock that are prohibitive to canners of cove oysters. Cold and inclement weather prevails in the East which will have a tendency to accentuate the scarcity of oysters and produce higher prices.

Retailers report a shortage of currants The supply is exceedingly limited on account of a shortage in the yield in Greece. Dates are firm and in good demand. Walnuts from Naples, Italy, and Hungary are coming into the market more freely. They are slightly lower in price than the California variety.

TAFT HAS NOT PICKED JUDGES

Has Consulted With More Than Fifty Senators About Them.

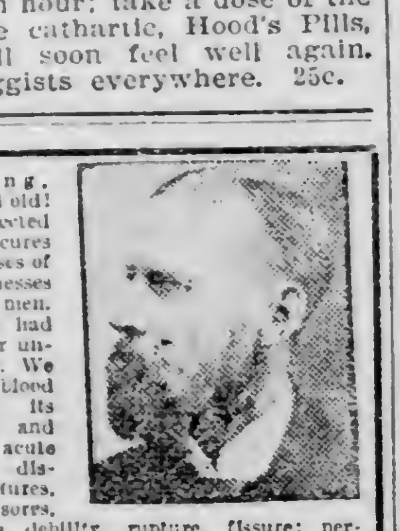
Washington, Dec. 9.—President Taft called a special meeting of his cabinet late yesterday to go over the supreme court situation. The list of likely appointees is narrowing rapidly, but it is said that Mr. Taft has not reached a conclusion and probably will not until next Monday or Tuesday.

Mr. Taft has consulted with over fifty senators regarding the forthcoming appointments. The insurgent leaders, with the exception of Senator La Follette, who has declined to go to the White House, have been quite conspicuous in the more recent conferences. Senators Cummins of Iowa and Borah of Idaho were with the president again last night The regular wing of the party was represented in late afternoon conferences by Senator Lodge of Massachusetts and Flint of California.

Senator Knute Nelson of Minnesota also saw the president. Representative Walter I. Smith and Senator Lafayette Young of Iowa called to urge the appointment of Chief Justice Doomer of the Iowa supreme court to one of the supreme court places.

To Prevent Bilious

Attacks is better than to cure them. When you are warned by dull headache, furred tongue, inactive bowels, don't delay an hour; take a dose of the mild effective cathartic, Hood's Pills, and you will soon feel well again. Sold by druggists everywhere. 25c.



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It kills the catarrh germs, heals the raw surfaces—in all forms of catarrh—deafness, hay fever, asthma, cold in the head, catarrh of the stomach, or any other complication resulting from chronic nasal catarrh.

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A BOX OF CIGARS FREE!

Go to the Pure Food Show Saturday night, Dec. 10th, 1910.

10 BOXES OSMUNDO CIGARS

Will be given away FREE. Get a ticket.

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Whether it's inflammatory or muscular—chronic or occasional, the time tried remedy will cure Rheumatism. Sixty Eighty Eight was originally the number of a prescription given by a docter in Superior, Wisconsin, to rheumatic patients. So successful was it that the preparation and sale of

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Perfect in results because it dilates. No other method thoroughly cleanses. Physicians endorse this new dilating principle. Dilators made of German silver, cannot corrode or break. Each Health Syringe is fitted for connection with douche bag allowing constant flow. Ask your druggist for The Health or send stamp for Free illustrated book. Correspondence confidential—plain sealed letters.

THE HEALTH CO., 90 West Street, New York
FOR SALE BY E. M. TREADWAY

Early Shopping Seems to Be the Fashion!

THE calendar says thirteen more shopping days till Christmas.

The festive air and joyous holiday spirit is contagious.

In the windows, in the store, in the smiling faces you realize—this is Christmas time.

If we can't meet the friends of yesterday, we send them loving remembrances.

Gift reciprocity is the order of the day.

Finding pleasure in the giving is the secret of a happy Christmas.

Baby Craft Shop

has just received a shipment of all-wool **Jersey Tights** in all sizes and colors—at **$1.75** for 1 and 2 years, to **$3.25** for children 10 years of age.

Charming display of **Christmas Novelties**, such as babyland Rag Dolls, Baby Bumps, Poodles, celluloid Rattles, Banks, Ribbon Boxes, Napkin Rings and countless other small things that will make wee eyes dance and chubby hands long to catch hold of them.

As a rule, prices are nominal.

Hand Bags

The careful selection of Bags here for Christmas giving permits us to say that never before has such a choice collection been shown by this or any other store.

There are Imported **Tapestry Bags** for as little as **$3.50.**

Automobile Bags of real black seal, fitted with useful accessions, besides purse and card for as little as **$4.50 and up to $22.50.**

A few are displayed in a section of our west windows.

Note

There will be a garment flurry on the second floor, Monday—interesting to every woman in this vicinity.

Full details in Sunday papers.

Enduring Furs

Judging from the number of women who got their furs here today, it looks as if procrastination waits on bitter cold weather.

Daily shipments keep the busy fur section well supplied with trustworthy Furs.

Small Furs, Fur Coats, practical pieces and luxurious novelties.

Every fur is fresh and new, for it is our policy to carry nothing over from a previous season, and evey fur is sold under its true name.

The Qualities of the Furs are as rigidly lookt after as their genuineness.

No yellowish ermine. No black furs that are poorly dyed.

Among the small furs.

Black Fox Pillow Muffs, at **$16.50** and on up to **$50.**

Black Fox large **Shawl Collars,** at **$15, $25, $27.50, $35** and **$45.**

Black Lynx—Genuine Russian Lynx, in large Pillow **Muffs,** at **$85.**

Black Lynx Shawls, extremely large at **$85, $125** and up to **$175.**

Eastern Mink of the very best grade —large Pillow **Muffs,** at **$50, $65, $85, $95** and up to **$175.**

Eastern Mink Neckpieces — Some that are unusual values at **$50.**

Eastern Mink — One-skin affairs, satin-lined, with head and tail trimming, for as little as **$19.50.**

Eastern Mink—Large Shawls, tail trimmed; at **$45, $77.50, $110, $125, $150, $175** and **$200.**

Jap Mink large **Shawls,** at **$20, $24.50** and **$29.50.**

Jap Mink—Zaza, small **Neckpiece,** at the trifling cost of **$8.50.**

Jap Mink large Pillow **Muffs,** at **$21.50, $25** and **$35.**

Black Opossum large **Shawls,** at **$12.50.**

Black Opossum large Pillow **Muffs,** at **$12.50** and **$15.**

"Juvenile Furs"

Children's Sets of Thibet, Ermine, Iceland Fox, Gray Squirrel, Muskrat, Fitch, Krimmer, Summer Ermine, at **$1.50, $3.50, $6.75, $12.50** and **$16.50.**

Fur Coats

Full length **Pony Coats,** with guaranteed Skinner's satin lining, at **$50, $65** and up to **$175.**

Near Seal full length Coats, at **$75.**

Monkey Skin Coats, at **$125.**

Near Seal Coats of the very best grade—full length, at **$150.**

Rich **Hudson Seal Coats,** at **$250.**

Sable, Squirrel, Caracul and lots of other automobile and general wear coats of warmth.

You will think as we do when you see these magnificent Furs—there are enough to stock a good sized store.

Every skin is flawless, and we are as particular about the shaping of the Coats as the quality of the skins.

See Display in East Windows.

Coats

The woman or girl who needs a Long Coat to protect her from the colder weather at hand is invited to see the underpriced variety we are showing for her special benefit tomorrow.

The residuim of a late New York purchase that would ordinarily sell at $35 and $45.

Also similarly priced Coats pickt from our own stocks, to augment the selling.

There are two rackfuls for women.

One rackful for girls.

Women's Coats—**$19.50 and $29.50.** Girls—**$1.75 to $10.75** for the 4-year-old, and all her older sisters. The appeal lies in the good tailoring and fine materials as much as in the low prices.

Sweaters

This cold weather calls loudly for Sweaters.

We are selling a lot of them these days for gifts as well.

Equally acceptable to maid and matron.

Girls' Sweaters are **$2.50.** Women's in wide variety of styles and colors—prices range from **$2.50** to an affair that is fitted like a coat and 50 inches long at **$19.50**—looks as if it were as warm as toast.

Give a Bathrobe

If you select it from the many quiet, but rich looking patterns here at **35c and 40c the yard,** there is time to spare to make it up before Christmas.

These Bath Robe Blanketings were imported from Germany and compare favorably with shop readymades at $7 and $8.

Have it sent tomorrow.

If you are looking for something made up, take the elevator to the second floor and ask to be shown the **Flannelette and Blanket Robes** from **$1.50 to $7.50.**

Gloves

Last year the supply wasn't equal to the demand.

We took care to make it different this December.

Particular women will appreciate the shapeliness and the beauty of fine Kidskin, and the charm of Paris point embroidery in

Fownes Gloves
- **La Tosca,** all shades, P. K. seams, **$2.00.**
- **Dagmar,** all shades, P. K. seams, **$1.50.**
- **Eugenie,** overseams, 2 clasps, **$1.50.**
- 12-button **Glace,** $3.25 — 16-button **Glace, $3.50.**

and Reynier Gloves, from Grenoble, France, at **$2** a pair.

So many other kinds give such a wide selection that choosing Holiday gloves is an easy matter.

Dainty Lingerie

This department has numerous answers ready for the Gift problem—what makes the answers so interesting is they are within the reach of the most moderate purse. For instance:

Dainty Sewing Aprons, in dotted Swisses and fine lawns, pettily trimmed with lace, at **50c, 85c** and **$1**

Bib Aprons—Extra large: from a strictly tailored affair at **50c,** up to **$2.50.**

There is one for the moderate sum of **65c** that is a popular favorite.

French Chemises—Prettily hand-embroidered, in effective designs, from **89c** to **$3.50.**

French Combination of **Skirt and Cover,** beautifully scallopt and embroidered—hand sewn thruout, at **$5.**

Articles of Leather

Useful and not expensive.

Toilet Cases, Manicure Sets, Clothes Hangers, Brush Cases, Medicine Cases, Drinking Cups, Telephone Registers, Bridge Sets and numberless other gift things that come in handy for any emergency.

Extra! Extra!

Hand Bags

Because we bot them to advantage the opportunity is yours tomorrow to secure usual

$8.50 Kinds at $5.50

Black bags of real seal, lined with soft calfskin, with card case and purse—10 inches long and 9 inches deep; has double handle and protected corners.

It is a gift that any woman may give or receive with a great deal of pleasure.

Christmas Windows

Are a good barometer to correctly guage what you may expect within the store.

If you have the time and inclination, you can prove this to your own satisfaction—if you haven't done so already.

Where will you find such a display of Paris Jewelry

—such elegant looking things of leather.

—such dainty bits of Neckwear as are now displayed in our West windows.

Speaking of Neckwear—that reminds us there are

Jabots, 25c to $15.
Stocks, 25c to $5.
Linen Collars, 25c to $1.50.
Tailored Bows, 50c.
Evening Scarfs, $1.25 to $22.

Yes—look at the windows and learn the lesson of discrimination there.

Silk Underwear

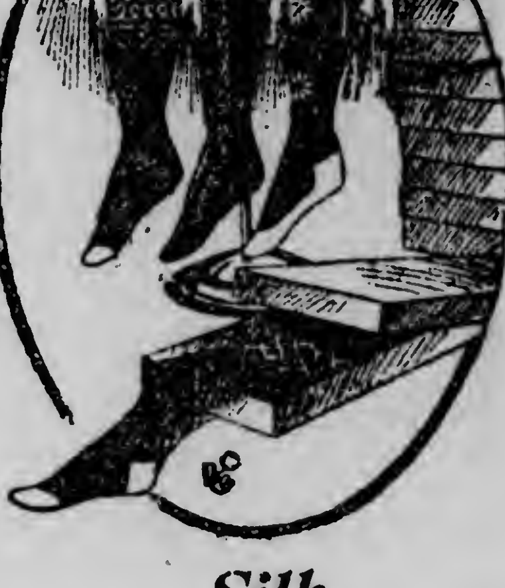
The woman who wears Silk Underwear knows it is the warmest kind procurable.

For that reason it is on the honorable list for Christmas giving.

Not alone at Christmas, but every day we sell Silk Undergarments—hence one may naturally look for more varied assortments here.

Silk Vests for as little as **$1.50 and up to $4.50.**

Union Suits begin at **$7.50 and go up to $12.50.**



Silk Stockings

The ideal Christmas gifts for women were never and may never be again as cheap as they are today. Raw silk at the present writing has advanced **40c a** pound.

Here may be found plenty of Silk Stockings for **$1,** with lisle vamps and tops, to insure satisfactory wear.

Italian Silk Hose, in black and all the fashionable plain colors, and only **$1.50.**

Silk Hosiery that show exquisite embroidery touches at **$3 and $3.25**—abundant choice between that and **$12.**

A Christmas box with every pair.

Millinery News

A new consignment of **Skating Caps** with white kid bows are here at $1.25.

A tableful of **Doll Hats** that have a lot of lilliputian style in their feathers and pompons, at 25c and 50c.

New Hats for Women—**felt and Velvet Hoods,** trimmed with kid novelties, $3.50 to $6.50.

All other Millinery—tailored, evening, carriage, fur and velvet hats may be had now **at dollars under half price.**

There isn't a woman who sees them and the present prices at which we have markt them but knows they are the greatest values they have seen this season.

"The Store of Quality"

Silberstein & Bondy Co.

For "Worth While" Gifts

VACUUM CLEANER HAS NO VACUUM.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Dec. 9.—Alleging that the sale by mail of a "vacuum cleaner" that is minus the vacuum is a violation of the United States postal laws, the federal authorities here arrested William P. Harrison and Bruce Chorpening, both of this city, on the charge of using the mails to defraud.

The claim made by the inspectors is that the "vacuum cleaner" does not do what it is advertised to accomplish in any or all parts. It is said that more than $200,000 worth of these cleaners have been disposed of since Jan. 1 last.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

Only One "BROMO QUININE."
That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. Used the World over to Cure a Cold in One Day. 25c

$20 Suits Now $10
At the "3 Winners" Clothing company, 115 East Superior street.

UNITED WORKMEN ELECT OFFICERS

Order Is Invited to Hold Its 1914 Meeting in Winnipeg.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 9.—The supreme lodge Ancient Order of United Workmen, at their annual meeting last night, elected the following officers:

Past supreme master workman, Joseph A. Eckstein, New Ulm, Minn.; supreme master workman, William M. Morris, Muscatine, Iowa; supreme overseer, E. I. Haven, Conn.; supreme overseer, E. I. Moore, Fargo, N. D.; supreme recorder, M. W. Sackem, Meadville, Pa; supreme receiver, E. F. Danforth, Skowahagan, Me.; supreme guide, W. R. Welch, Guthrie, Okla.; supreme watchman, C. C. Rhodes, Pawtucket, R. I.; supreme medical examiner, Dr. G. A. Aschman, Wheeling, W. Va.

The Manitoba delegation invited the supreme lodge to meet in Winnipeg in 1914 and San Francisco bid for the 1915 meeting.

The present meetings probably will close Saturday night.

DEFENDS HIMSELF AND GETS LIFE SENTENCE.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 9.—Life imprisonment was the verdict in the case of Austin Greaves, who conducted his own defense in the circuit court against the charge of first degree murder in killing his neighbor, Alfred Hunter, about four months ago. Greaves will ask for a new trial.

SENATOR-ELECT TO SPEAK.

H. W. Cheadle Will Talk on Legislative Matters at Lakeside Club.

Senator-Elect Harry W. Cheadle of the Fifty-first district will address the Lakeside club at its regular meeting in the Lakeside hall tonight. He will take up questions which will arise in the coming session of the legislature, particularly as they affect Duluth and vicinity. Other speakers will be Watson S. Moore and C. S. Wilson. The club will also take up the matter of sprinkling London road and the street car service.

"POP" COREY TO WED.

W. E. Corey's Son Engaged to Miss Johnston of Detroit.

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 9.—Alon Lyle Corey, son of William Ellis Corey, president of the Steel trust, announced his engagement to Miss Marguerite Johnston, daughter of George F. Johnston of Detroit.

"Pop" Corey, as he is familiarly known by his classmates, is the most popular member of the senior class in Yale. He played quarterback on the last three Yale football teams and right field on the last two baseball teams, holding more Y's than any other man in the university. He is prominent socially, being a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon and Skull and Bones.

GRAND FORKS K. P. LODGE ENTERTAINS WHEATON.

Grand Forks, N. D., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—Fred E. Wheaton of Minneapolis, supreme keeper of records and seal of the Knights of Pythias lodge, was the guest of honor in Grand Forks last night at a district convention. He has been engaged in making a tour of the state during the present week and has also attended similar conventions at Bismarck and Fargo. Several officers of the North Dakota grand lodge have been accompanying Mr. Wheaton on his swing.

BEMIDJI CHILD IS VERY BADLY SCALDED.

Bemidji, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—While playing about the kitchen, Eunice Sandin, the 1½-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sandin of this city, stuck her arm into a boiler containing boiling hot water. The child's flesh was literally cooked, and the attending physician at first feared that it would be necessary to amputate the arm, but this alternative now appears unlikely.

Take one To-Night and Feel Good Tomorrow
Blackburn's
CascaRoyal-Pills
TRADE MARK
Best physic. 10c and 25c.
All Druggists.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

BAARS NOT LOST IN THE WOODS

Duluth Man Returns to Quiet Fears of His Friends.

The announcement in The Herald last evening that friends of J. Frederick Baars, Jr., feared for his safety, brought out the information that Mr. Baars is alive and well, and had merely failed to communicate with some of his Duluth friends since he went on the Vermilion range early in November.

Mr. Baars returned to Duluth last evening from the Cuyuna range, where he had gone on business a short time ago. He was surprised to learn that his friends were worried over him, and he hastened to assure them that he had not been lost in the woods on the Vermilion range, as they had feared.

Mr. Baars' friends were delighted that their fears were quieted so satisfactorily. The information in The Herald last evening was given by one of Mr. Baars' closest friends, who was genuinely disturbed over Mr. Baars' failure to appear where he had been expected on the range.

MERCURY TAKES TURN UPWARD

Snow and Warmer Weather Will Follow the Cold Snap.

The mercury last night dropped to 6 deg. below zero, but the motto of the little indicator today is, "Coming up!"

The Lake region and Southern Wisconsin had a comparative monopoly on cold weather this morning, but it won't last. It began to warm up this morning and will continue to do so for a few days. To the west the forces of Old Freeze-out are being dispersed by an area of warm weather, and it is expected to be considerably milder here tonight. The weather man says he doesn't think the mercury will go below the 10 above mark after nightfall.

The mild spell will be followed by a period of cold Saturday night and Sunday, but just how much colder it is likely to get is not on the cards.

However, it will warm up tomorrow, but there's no probability of a thaw, and there is a strong likelihood that we will get more or less snow tonight and tomorrow.

FEES FOR ADVICE BY TELEPHONE

Physicians Decide That Consultation By Wire Must Be Paid For.

Members of the St. Louis County Medical association, which held its annual meeting and elected officers at the Commercial club last night, voted to charge for telephone advice upon the same basis as office advice. All prescriptions given over the 'phone are considered worth as much as though written out in the office.

All phases of malpractice as they appear in the Minnesota courts were discussed in an able paper by Attorney Howard T. Abbott.

Dr. S. H Boyer, Dr. T. L. Chapman of Duluth, and Dr. E. W. Harwood of Eveleth, were chosen as delegates to the convention of the state association, which will be held in Minneapolis late in 1911. The alternates named are Dr. M. K. Knauff of Two Harbors, Dr. C A. Stewart and Dr. J. M. Tufty.

Dr. W. A. Coventry was elected president of the St. Louis county association; Dr. J. A. McCuen, first vice president; Dr. E. Pengilly of Hibbing, second vice president; Dr. A. G. Schulze, secretary and treasurer. Dr. T. L. Chapman, Dr. C. A. Stewart and Dr. W. H. Magie were re-elected censors.

Presto Collar Overcoats $10

At the "3 Winners" Clothing company, 115 East Superior street.

MINNEAPOLIS MILLS USING STEAM POWER.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Mississippi river was again at the lowest point early yesterday, the cold weather of Wednesday night having affected it. Conditions were no worse than reported Monday, but the slight gain that had been made meanwhile was gone. The industries are using steam power. Of the twenty-three flour mills, nineteen mills and half of another are in operation.

D. H., Dec. 9, 1910.

Gloves at 79c

Tomorrow another day of retailing lined gloves and mittens at a great deal less than the wholesale prices.

It's the Columbia's periodical feast of disposing of thousands of sample gloves in two days.

Columbia Clothing Co

At Third Ave. West.

FREIMUTH'S——FREIMUTH'S——FREIMUTH'S——FREIMUTH'S——FREIMUTH'S——FREIMUTH'S

Great December Sale of Women's Tailored Dressy Suits at Half Price

Tomorrow we begin our December Sale of Women's Fine Tailored and Dress Suits at Half Regular Price. **Nothing Exempt.** Every suit is included, even the new velvet and fur-trimmed garments which have arrived within the past few days; as well as staple black suits in serges and fine broadcloths—all go tomorrow at Half Regular Price.

Coming as it does, makes this sale of more than ordinary importance. It's an opportunity for you to get two suits for the price of one. Nothing reserved—every suit in stock included. Plain tailored and dressy suits. Choose here tomorrow at Half Price.

$19.95 Suits Now $9.98
$22.50 Suits Now $11.25
$25.00 Suits Now $12.50
$27.50 Suits Now $13.75
$29.50 Suits Now $14.75
$30.00 Suits Now $15.00
$35.00 Suits Now $17.50
$37.50 Suits Now $18.75
$42.50 Suits Now $21.25
$45.00 Suits Now $22.50
$50.00 Suits Now $25.00
$59.50 Suits Now $29.75
$65.00 Suits Now $32.50
$75.00 Suits Now $37.50
$87.50 Suits Now $43.75
$95.00 Suits Now $47.50

NO EXCHANGES—NO APPROVALS—NO LAY-BYS.

Saturday Specials in Jewelry

Gold-filled Cuff Links—Great variety of patterns; 75c values for... 50c
Fancy Brooches—Set with Amethyst, Topaz and other stones; regular $1.00 values, special at... 69c
Lavaliers and Neck Pendants — All new designs; set with coral or pearl; regular $1.25 value, for... 75c
Imported Opera Glasses—Made from fine ocean pearl; regular $7.50 value, for... $5.00
Whisk Broom—Sterling silver mounting; regular $2.50 value, special at... $1.75
Sterling Silver Manicure Pieces — Regular 75c values, for... 50c

Gift Stationery

The Stationery Section offers many special values in fancy Boxed Paper, at from 25c a box, up to $5.00.

Tomorrow we feature Boxed Stationery in fancy flowered and holly box, containing 1 quire of fine cloth finished paper and 24 envelopes to match..... 15c

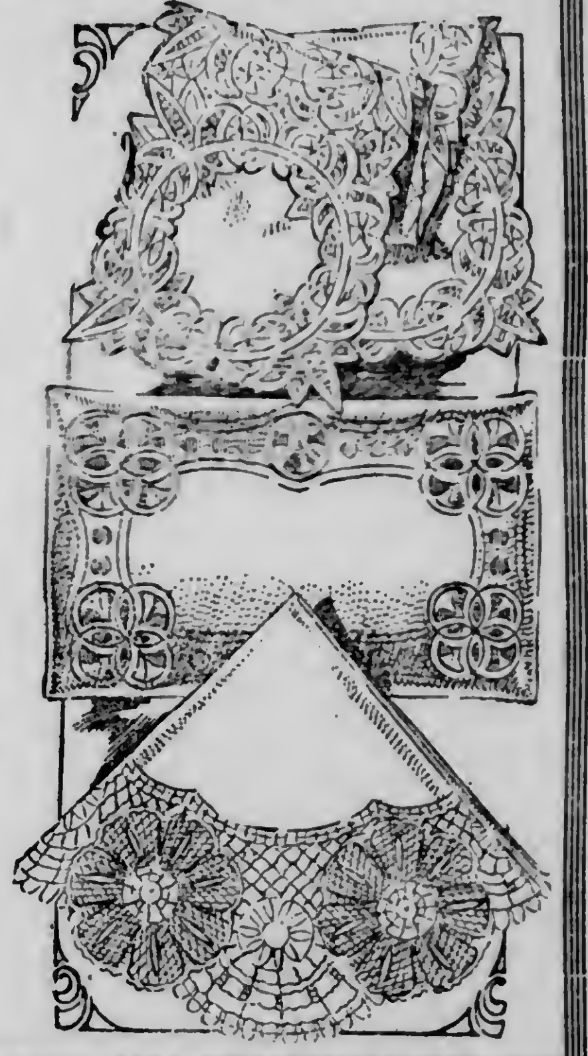
Men's Bathrobes

Made of fine Imported Blanket Flannel, in pleasing colors and handsome designs; priced from $4.00 to $7.00.

We feature an exceptional good value Saturday at $3.50.

Nearly 3000 Pieces of Fancy Linens

The Entire Sample Line From One of the Country's Leading Importers Here to Sell at 1/4 to 1/2 Less Than Regular Prices



The greatest sale of fancy Linens ever known in the city. Nearly 3,000 pieces of beautiful linens from a 1/4 to 1/2 less than regular price—and coming just as it does, just at the brink of the most busy shopping time of the year.

It's the entire sample line of fancy household linens from a leading importer, at a large discount. It is not very often that such staple linens can be purchased even in samples. We were certainly fortunate in securing these linens to sell at less than importer's prices.

Descriptions are impossible, hardly two of the 3,000 pieces alike, but the assortment includes almost every kind of fancy household linens you can think of, from the little tiny finger bowl size doilies to the 72-in. size centerpieces. You have never seen prettier linens.

The collections comprise beautiful Bureau Scarfs, Centerpieces or Doilies, combining the finest hand-work and the skill of weavers' art. Cluny and Florentine Lace Table Centerpieces, Stand Covers, Bureau Scarfs and Doilies, **Lady Aberdeen Hand-Embroidered** Doilies, Stand Covers, Dresser Scarfs and Table Covers. Also fine hand-worked **Maderia Linens**, either square, Roman or oval shaped, solid or eyelet effects. Beautiful Japanese Drawnwork Linens in an endless variety of patterns. Austrian Linens in plain and hand-drawn.

Imitation Cluny and Linen Torchon Trimmed Scarfs, Centers, Stand Covers and Doilies. Also beautiful Battenburg Lace Centers, Stand Covers, Scarfs, etc. Included are also plain hemstitched linens which you can have stamped in any design and embroider yourself.

It is by far the greatest collection of Beautiful Linens ever shown in the city. This is a broad statement to make, but we have the facts before us. Nearly 3,000 pieces to choose from. You should come and see them whether you purchase or not. It will do your heart good to see this grand exhibit brought together from every corner of the globe.

A SALE RICH IN OPPORTUNITY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE CHRISTMAS PRESENTS TO BUY.

Hurrah! Tomorrow Is Children's Day!

Santa Claus Invites All the Boys and Girls in Duluth to the Opening of Toyland

FREIMUTHS TOY SHOP

How the Little Bright Eyes will snap with excitement at the tidings that Toyland opens in the Basement tomorrow.

First—We want to impress upon the "grown-ups" that this section of the store **belongs to the children.** This is their domain by inherited right, and in its mysterious realm of all the wonders of the land of make-believe, become realities.

Therefore, children—This store invites you to bring your mother or any person you want, and come and see the wonders.

Santa Claus Has a Nice Little Present for Every Little Boy or Girl

Dear old Santa Claus wants every boy and girl in Duluth to come tomorrow to the opening of Toyland and every one will receive a

Disk Thrower

Like illustrated, Santa Claus' most wonderful toy.

The immensity—the glitter and the glare of the wonderful Toys will make the children's eyes get big and round with wonder.

Every Toy known to grown-ups and children, is here. There are Trains and Engines, and hundreds of Mechanical Toys that run and climb and do all sorts of things.

There are Games by the hundreds—almost every kind of game in the world.

The Girls will be delighted with the Doll City—a very fascinating place that little girls will love to see—little bright-eyed people with hair that is sunny or dark, dressed in the most becoming ways. And just think, many of them come way across the ocean.

We cannot begin to tell you here of all the interesting sights to be seen in the Christmas Toy store. There is a whole menagerie of Woolly Animals; there are Magic Lanterns and Musical Instruments; there are Furniture Sets in miniature for the little housekeepers; there are Sleds, Building Blocks, Doll Cabs, etc.

Of course, all the boys and girls will come tomorrow to get one of these Disk Throwers, and see the wonderful Toys, and have a jolly time.

Saturday Specials in Burnt Wood Novelties

One $7.50 Cellarette—pretty design, at ... $5.50
One $7.50 Combination Card Table and Chair—at ... $5.50
One $3.50 Chair for ... $2.50
$1.50 Taborettes for ... $1.25
89c Taborettes for ... 75c
36-inch Dresser Boxes—neat designs, for ... $1.00
Glove and Trinket Boxes—extra large size, at ... 35c
$4.50 Shirtwaist Boxes, neat designs—special for only ... $3.75

Women's $3.50 Pure Thread Silk Emb. Hose at $2.50

A nice pair of Silk Hose makes a very acceptable Christmas present and one that most any woman will appreciate.

These featured here are pure thread silk and hand-silk embroidered, in neat designs and colors.

Women's Fine Black Lisle Hose, fancy embroidered and lace effects—2 pairs in Holly Box—ready for giving—at $1.00.

Women's Pure Thread Black Silk Hose, with lisle heis, toes and lisle garter top—3 pairs in fancy Gift Box—special at $1.50.

Freimuth's

BRING THE LITTLE FOLKS IN TO TOYLAND

Santa Claus Will Be Here

A wireless message just received from Santa Claus states that he will arrive in his new 1911 model aeroplane, if nothing prevents, and be with us Saturday. He wishes to meet all boys and girls.

Formal Opening of This Wonderland Saturday: All Good Children Invited

TOYLAND in the basement is ready. Saturday has been set aside for the formal opening of this wonderful land. All the good children are invited to come and see the many things jolly old Santa Claus has sent to his Duluth headquarters from his toy factories at the North Pole. Such a wonderful lot there is, too. Enough for all the boys and girls of Duluth, Superior and the surrounding country for miles.

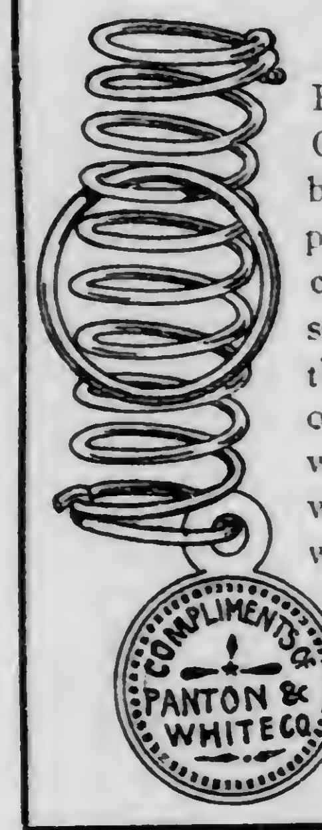
For the boys there are steam engines that make real steam, and will operate machinery; trains that will run on tracks and never tire; airships that fly like the big ones you have been told about; the jolly Mr. Jigger, who will dance every style of step for you. Besides there are the pretty drums, rocking horses, magic lanterns, games of every sort, and many other things you will delight to see.

For the girls there are the cutest little play stores, postoffices, and pianos. The prettiest dolls, some with lace or silk dresses, some with coat suits, some have hats with real ostrich tips; all will go to sleep, and some will talk. Then, there are doll cradles, and the most complete doll beds you ever saw, with wire springs, casters and everything just like the big one you sleep upon. There are doll dressers, chiffoniers and, in fact, every piece of furniture to completely furnish dolly's house.

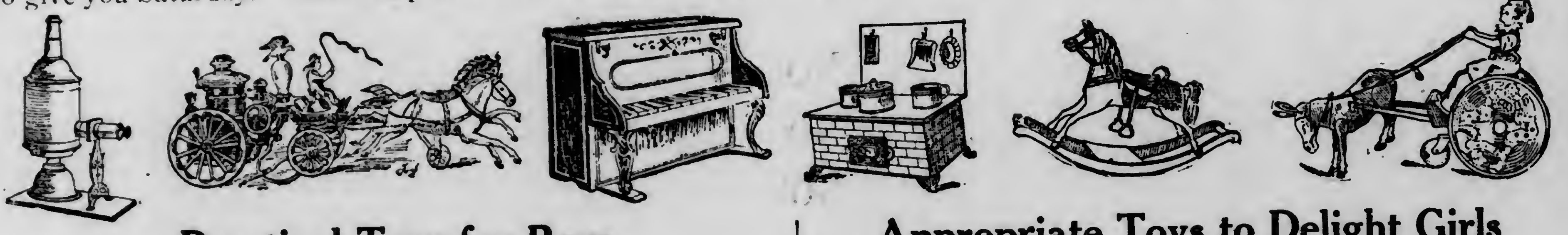
Come, children, boys and girls, and see how well dear old Saint Nick has planned for you. Ask papa or mamma to come with you, for they will enjoy the visit most as much as you. Santa Claus has sent some presents, which we are going to give you Saturday. There's a puzzle for the boys and a skipping rope for girls. Come and get yours.

Spiral Puzzle for Boys

Free From 9 to 11 A. M.



BOYS WHO MAKE GREAT MEN should be studious. A good puzzle that requires considerable study to solve, always interests the ambitious boy. The one we illustrate herewith is a dandy, and will be given to boys, who come accompanied by parent or guardian, from 9 to 11 o'clock Saturday morning.



Practical Toys for Boys

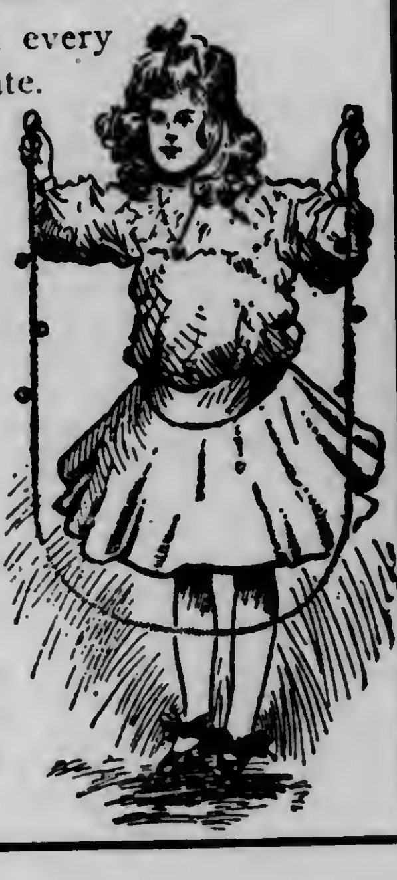
Picture Blocks, 15c to 98c.
Alphabet Blocks, 10c to 98c.
Painting Outfits, 10c to $2.98.
Ice Skates, 69c to $3.75.
Magic Lanterns, 25c to $15.
Mirroscope, $2.98 to $9.95.
Footballs, $1 to $5.
Punching Bags, $1.48 to $2.25.
Railroad Trains, 25c to $14.98.
Humpty Dumpty Circus, 48c to $6.50.
Tool Chests, 25c to $6.50.
Pop and Air Guns, 10c to $1.48.
Drums, 25c to $1.95.
Steam Engines, 25c to $9.50.
Iron Banks, 10c to 48c.
Cash Registers, 75c to $1.25.
Iron Trains, 25c to $2.48.
Fire Engines, 25c to $3.25.
Noah's Ark, 10c to $4.95.
Tubaphone, 25c to $2.48.
Rolly Polly, 10c to $1.25.
Hay Wagon, 10c to 48c.
Boys' Equipments, 98c.
Skis, pair 98c to $2.89.
Grind Organs, 25c to $2.48.
Mechanical Toys, 10c to $2.98.
Wooden Soldiers, each 5c and 10c.
Armies, metal soldiers, 48c and 98c.
Rocking Horses, $4.25 to $9.75.
Flexible Flyer, $2.48 and $2.98.

Appropriate Toys to Delight Girls

Tin Dishes, 10c to 75c.
Rubber Babies, 25c to 98c.
Rubber Animals, 25c to 75c.
Picture Blocks, 15c to 98c.
Alphabet Blocks, 10c to 98c.
Enameled Kitchen and Tea Sets, 25c to $4.25.
China Tea Sets, 25c to $6.25.
Toy Furniture, 25c to $1.75.
Doll Furniture, including chairs, dressers, tables and cabinets, 25c to $3.95.
Brass Beds 25c to $1.25.
Ice Skates, 98c to $4.50.
Toy Bazar and Grocery, 48c to $3.48.
Mechanical Toys, 10c to $2.98.
Carrom Boards, $1.48 to $4.95.
Toy Pianos, 25c to $3.25.
Doll Trunks, 25c to $2.25.
Doll Cradles, collapsible, 25c to 48c.
Toy Stores, 25c to $7.50.
Games, all kinds, 10c to $1.98.
Savings Banks, 75c to $1.25.
Toy Sad Irons, 10c to 50c.
Tubaphones, 25c to $2.48.

Skipping Rope for Girls

FREE From 1 to 3 P. M.



A souvenir that every girl will appreciate. These skipping ropes have wood handles, are made from coiled wire and have little brass bells on them. Every girl who visits Toyland Saturday between the hours 1 and 3 o'clock, accompanied by parent, will be presented with one of these ropes.

Good Glove Gifts

NO ONE has ever made a mistake in giving gloves, for no woman ever has too many pairs. Our Holiday stocks are now at their best and afford discriminating selections. With each pair of $1 or over we give a holly box **free.**

Fosters' Rowena Gloves, pearl clasps, pair, **$2.50.**
Fosters' Newton Pique Kid, all colors, street or evening, pair, **$2.**
Fownes' La Tosca Gloves, per pair **$2.**
Monarch Kid Gloves, per pair, **$2.**
Fownes' Dagmar Gloves, pair, **$1.50.**
Elite Street Gloves, cape, new embroidered back, 1-clasp, pair, **$1.50.**
Elite Mochas, **$1, $1.50** and **$2.**
Elite 1-clasp Kid Gloves, pair, **$1.25.**

Solve size question with our Glove Certificates

Folks who delight in dining sumptuously should attend our regular

Table d'Hote Dinner

Saturday Night

6 TO 8 O'CLOCK.

An elaborate menu has been prepared for the occasion, the Christmas spirit will invade the tea rooms, and a delightful concert will be given by La Brosse's orchestra. Price $1 per plate. Telephone reservations to Melrose, 1151.

Shopping Conveniences

Little things that serve to make this the truly *Convenient Holiday Store.*

POSTOFFICE SUB-STATION—A fully equipped postoffice where you may get stamps and mail your packages to any part of the United States or the world.

TELEPHONE SERVICE—Numerous stations on each floor at your disposal. Long distance booths, either company, in the basement.

NURSERY—A matron is always on hand at our second floor waiting rooms and will care for the little ones while you do your shopping.

TOILET ROOMS—With matron in charge, on second and fourth floors.

WRITING AND REST ROOMS—Well appointed, with easy, comfortable lounging chairs, writing tables and stationery, second and fourth floors.

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Special lot of six dozen sets ebonoid military hair brushes, each set in nice box; special for Saturday at, set............ **75c**

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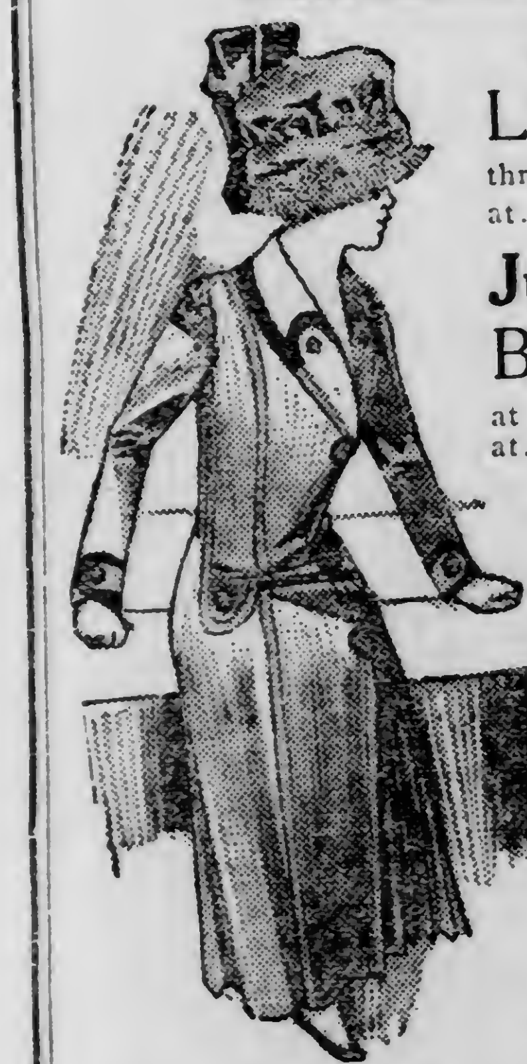

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LONG semi-fitted styles from cheviots and mixture cloths, stylish models that are expertly tailored and finished throughout; regular $13.50 values, close at.............. **$9.98**

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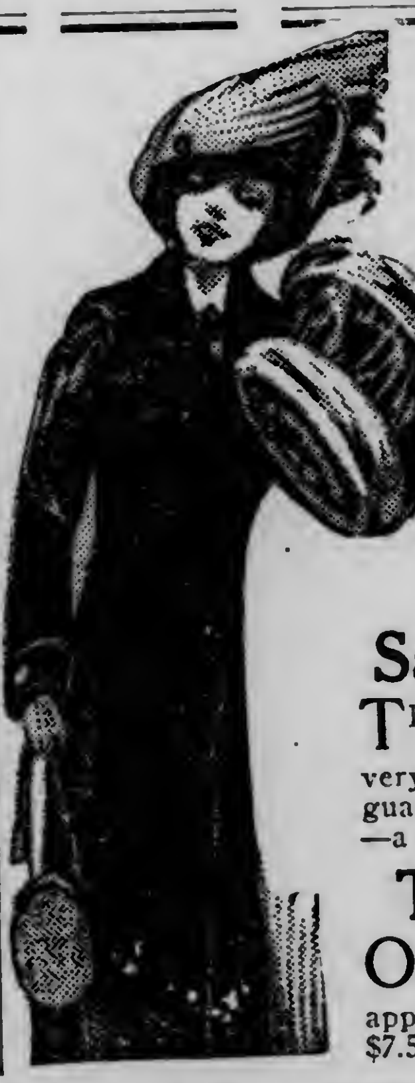

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FUR COATS are not bought every season by many women. The average person will wear a good coat for years. The importance of choosing from a store whose guarantee means much and which backs up every garment it sells, is apparent. "P. & W." Coats are made from choicest skins, perfectly tailored in accord with the prevailing fashion, and are backed with the strongest possible guarantee. We offer exceptional values in—

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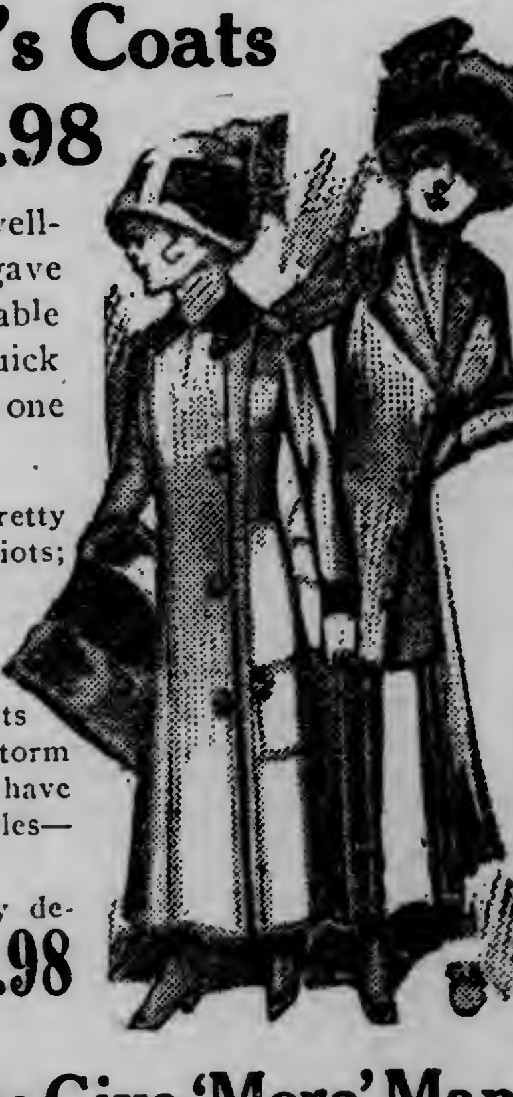
Every coat in the lot is newest model and very desirable from every standpoint; the values range all the way from $8.50 to $13.50—closing Saturday at.............. **$5.98**



Boys' Holiday Apparel!

THE second floor "Boys' Store" bristles with the Holiday spirit. Things that are practical for "that boy" abound here, and little money availeth much.

All wool double breasted Knickerbocker suits, dark worsteds and cashmeres, combining style and service at little cost—**$4.98.**

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Boys' Neckwear and Suspenders, in pretty holiday boxes; special at **25c** and **50c.**

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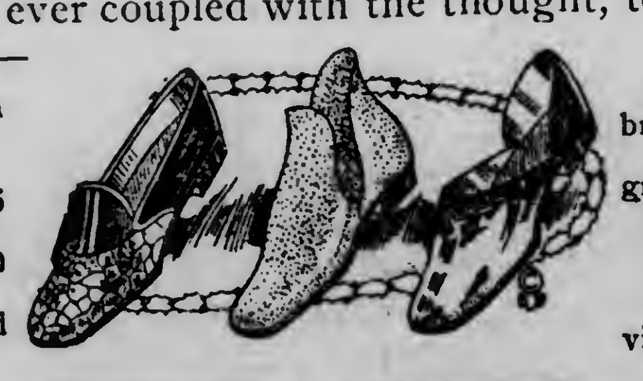
IN the evening, when man dismisses business cares, he thinks of house slippers. The giver is ever coupled with the thought, too. Moral, give "him" good slippers like these—

Tan Russia calf or brown vici kid at **$3.50.**
Black or tan Juliets at **$2.**
Black or tan Operas at **$1.25** to **$3.**
Black or tan Everetts at **$1.50** to **$3.**
Bath Slippers — Brown, red or tan kid at **$2.**



Traveling Slippers—Red and brown at **$2.50.**
Felt Bath Slippers — Colors gray, red and blue, **$1.25.**
Felt Juliets, **$1.50** and **$2.**
Felt Operas, **$1.75.**
All-felt Slippers, **$1.**
Boys' House Slippers — Tan vici kid, **$1.25** and **$1.50.**

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Holiday Neckwear, newest four-in-hand styles, reversible or wide ends, plain and fancy colors, in holly boxes, **35c to $2.50.**

Mufflers, in every desirable shade, the knit ones, also the silk with hemstitched or fringed ends, individual boxes **50c to $2.25.**

Hosiery, imported lisle thread, brilliant silk lisle and spun silk, black and colored, in boxes at **50c, $1, $1.50 and $2.**

Combination sets of silk handkerchief, four-in-hand tie and half hose to match, in fancy boxes, at **$1.25 to $2.**

Men's Suspenders, sleeve holders and garters, in Christmas box; per set, **75c and $1.**

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OVERCOATS 56-in. Evening Coats with Presto Collar— $20

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PLUSH COATS Guaranteed Satin Lined, 54 inches long. The real value is $35 and $40— $29.50

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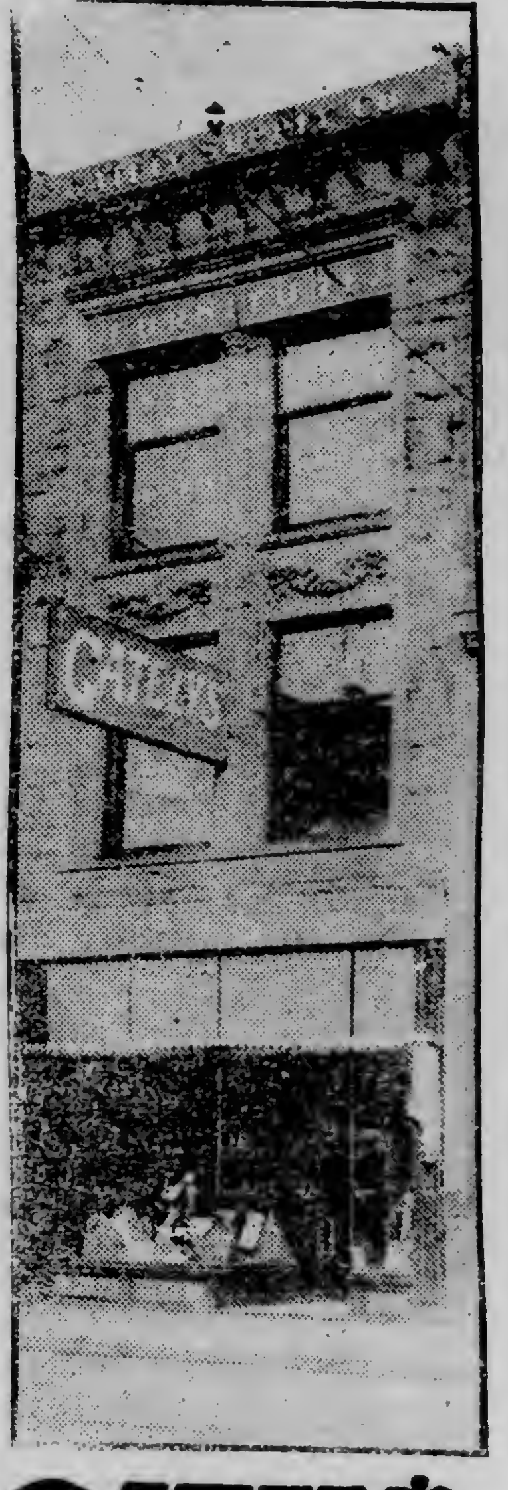

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VASSAR IS IRRITATED

Scores the Slander That None of the Girls Can Cook.

Why! One Student Made Oyster Lunch For Forty Persons.

Poughkeepsie N. Y., Dec 9.—Vassar college is much irritated at the editorial inquiry of a New York newspaper in connection with the present strike of cooks and the consequent shortage of luncheons. The paper asked:

"Are there not four robust young women among the whole thousand who could temporarily fill the places of the absent cooks? Does no Vassar student know how to roast a joint, boil potatoes and dress a plain salad?"

From principal to the most diminutive freshgirl they indignantly deny the insinuation that there is such a lack. They say that if any such emergency had arisen several Hypatias would have been ready to take off their mortar coards and don checked aprons.

"The idea!" said a member of a basketball team today, "Why, lots of us know how to cook. The other day I made soup and oyster fricassee in my chafing dish for forty persons, and we often get our whole breakfast in our rooms."

Spent Her Christmas Cash.

As a reporter for the World was waiting to see Mrs. Kendrick, the principal, a student from Richmond received a caller from her home town and he asked her out to dinner.

"I hear you're starved," he said.

"Oh, no," she laughed. "This hall wasn't affected. But I met one of the girls from Raymond who said she was so hungry she'd spent all her Christmas allowance for sandwiches."

Both sides claim victory. The college authorities assert they have engaged cooks in New York and Albany, with the matrons and chambermaids helping out in the interim. Four chefs and about eight assistants are idle. They quit because the chefs had been deprived of the aid of one other helper.

"We get paid less than at any other institution," one boss cook told the reporter. "The man helper starts work at 5 in the morning, and the girl at 6. He gets $25 a month and she $18. The kitchen equipment is very inadequate and out of date, which makes our work twice as hard. We cook for 120 persons, including the help.

They Liked the Culture.

"Breakfast includes fruit, hot and cold cereals, eggs to order and chocolate or coffee. Luncheons are of soup, two meats, vegetables and pudding. Dinner in the evening has soup, two meats, three vegetables and dessert. Our help is green when we get it and we have to train it, but we have been willing to stay because our homes are here and we like the atmosphere of culture."

"The pupils have not gone into the kitchen, because there has been no necessity of that," said Mrs. Kendrick. "In the first place, it is not our policy to mix housework with studies, for the reason that our girls should spend their spare time outdoors or in exercise. We have never seriously considered putting in a domestic science course at Vassar. Our studies are cultural studies and our theory is that if we give a woman a well trained mind she will be able to manage the housework herself.

"When this writer asks if Vassar students are little interested in the realities of life, I would answer that I think they are very much, but to these girls at present the great realities are not steak and mashed potatoes. There is a tremendous interest in social service which is an enlarged and idealized domestic science."

Cultural Studies.

"Do you not think that those cultural studies tend to make women less willing to bear the drudgery of housework?"

"No, quite the opposite," Mrs. Kendrick replied "They subordinate it to its proper place. Sweeping the room is no longer a menial task, but is interesting to the erstwhile student of chemistry and bacteriology, because she recognizes the necessity for it. Again, she understands that she does not exist for the house but the house for her. It is not her biggest interest in life. You seldom see a college graduate wearing her soul out because 'the jelly won't jell,' or because one of her children have disarranged the library furniture.

"The woman who has nothing to think of except housework grows rusty and ugly and old. The college woman has hundreds of thoughts and interests outside.

"Do you think it is not necessary to train these young girls for housework—that women afterward just learn it by inspiration?" Mrs. Kendrick was asked.

"Not entirely," she replied. "Most women have a natural inclination for housework, so that it is not extremely difficult for them to master. It seems better to us to train their minds in these cultural studies while they are in this most plastic age. Most women can learn housework at home."

Why They Find Homes Dull.

"Isn't it true that most girls who go home from college are dissatisfied and don't care for their homes?"

"Yes," Mrs. Kendrick admitted, "but that is because they have been away and are a little out of interest. Then this college life has been brilliant; they have been mixing with many girls and having little social affairs. Also they have been having their fill of culture and association with people of unusual attainments. They are a little spoiled, too, because they have been having everything done for them. The buildings are here on their account; so are the teachers; so is the very curriculum planned for them. One mustn't be too severe with them or too disdainful. The girl of common sense soon works in and is happy and useful again. It is just the flash in the pan of the young thing."

"If it had been necessary, would there have been four volunteer cooks?"

"It is our boast that a Vassar girl can arise to any emergency," Mrs. Kendrick laughed.

Lady Baltimore Cake

The Most Popular Cake This Season

By Mrs. Janet McKenzie Hill, Editor of the Boston Cooking School Magazine

This is considered by many cooking authorities the finest cake that can be made, though in reality it is not at all difficult.

K C Lady Baltimore Cake

One cup butter; 2 cups granulated sugar; 1 cup milk; 1 teaspoonful rose water; 3½ cups flour; 3 level teaspoonfuls K C Baking Powder; whites of 6 eggs, beaten dry.

Cream the butter and beat in the sugar gradually. Sift together, three times, the flour and baking powder, and add to the butter and sugar, alternately with the milk and rose water. Lastly, add the egg whites. Bake in three-layer cake pans. Put the layers together with the following frosting.

NOTE—The cake is a large one and sells at Women's Exchanges for $1.50

Frosting for Lady Baltimore Cake

Three cups granulated sugar; 1 cup boiling water; whites of 3 eggs; 1 cup chopped raisins; 1 cup chopped nut-meats; 5 figs cut in thin slices.

Stir the sugar and water until the sugar is dissolved, then let boil without stirring until the syrup from a spoon will spin a long thread; pour upon the whites of the eggs, beaten dry, beating constantly meanwhile. Continue the beating until the frosting is cold; add the fruit and spread upon the cake.

The K C Cook's Book contains ninety just such delicious recipes,—bread, muffins, cakes and pastry. You can secure a copy *free* by sending the certificate packed in every 25-cent can of K C Baking Powder to the JAQUES MFG. CO., Chicago. Small cans do not contain Cook's Book certificates.

AVOID REVIVALS, PLAYS AND OPERAS

They Are Driving Chicagoans to Commit Crimes, Says Dr. Grinker.

Chicago, Dec. 9.—Noise, grand opera and religious revivals are driving thousands of nervous Chicago people to shoot, rob and kill. Dr. Julius Grinker, an expert on neurotics, told this to the Chicago Medical society.

"Excesses in emotionalism find thousands of easy victims," he said. "Exciting plays, operas, or revival meetings are dangerous to those predisposed to nervousness. Hysteria is the predominating element in religious awakenings. Such revivals are not lasting. The eloquence of the revivalist sways his nervous hearers, but it is followed by a reaction. Why is it that a wave of religious enthusiasm is so closely followed by a wave of crime such as is sweeping over the city now? It is because the masses are carried away by an idea. They are borne on a surge of hysteria.

"Religion should be calm and reflective. I condemn everything that appeals to passion. The nervous should avoid revivals, plays and operas that carry them away. Hysteria is lying in wait for them when they give way to their emotions.

'Many a good movement is killed in its incipiency by the over-exaltation of emotionalists. I see much good in woman suffrage, but the suffragettes are harming their cause. They are emotionalists. They are nervous."

Dr. Grinker linked Dowieism, the Emmanuel movement and the New Though together as "religio-medicalism," dependent on the emotionalism of their proselytes.

"It would be impossible for these movements to exist were it not for the nervous and emotional people who are ready to throw themselves into anything.

"Noise in our big cities is nerve wrecking. Crime waves are due to reaction on the nerves of certain elements of the population.

"The road to health is to live in the philosophy of optimism, and live so as to set a good example to your children. This is the best training for them and for you. If you do it you will escape nervousness.

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TENOR COULD NOT SING.

Had No Gun License as Required By Russian Law.

Warsaw, Russian Poland, Dec. 9.—Russian red-tapism was brought to a climax this morning when the police called in by the customs authorities refused to let the widely known tenor Ignatz Dygas have his costumes for the opera called "Bal Masque."

"You haven't a gun license," said the officers, "so we can't let you have the properties without special permission from the czar."

Dygas asked what a gun license had to do with his costumes.

"There is a sword among your things," was the answer.

In vain the artist protested that the weapon was only a property sword and could not kill anybody, even if a Cossack wielded it. The authorities were firm and sent him away to get a gun license.

A gun license is only issued to people who have proved that they know how to shoot, and Dygas declares he has never handled a real firearm in his life.

His costumes, covered with government seals, are lying at the custom house here, while he is vainly trying to get somebody to persuade the police that his sword is harmless.

Meanwhile the opera bills have been changed, because Mr. Dygas has nothing but his everyday clothes to sing in. As Russian formalities take a long time, the properties are likely to remain where they are for another fortnight.

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GLACIAL PERIOD AX IS FOUND IN IDAHO.

Dillon, Mont., Dec. 9.—Word has reached Dillon of the finding of quite a curiousity near Junction, Idaho, a few days ago in the form of a stone ax. While digging a well on his ranch near that place, George Plum discovered the ax at a depth of thirty-five feet below the surface, after digging through sand, clay and hardpan.

The ax is described as being about eight inches long, six inches broad and two inches thick and weighs about ten pounds. The find has attracted considerable attention and much speculation has been indulged in as to how old the thing is. It is estimated that the last glacial drift of that section occurred some 20,000 years or more ago and the manufacturer of the weapon undoubtedly roamed the hills before that imoprtant event which changed the appearance of the face of the earth. All old-timers in that section have abandoned their claims of being "among the first pioneers."

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CABBAGE EVERY MEAL

Proved Too Strenuous and Ivinich Beat His Wife.

Philadelphia, Dec. 9. — When arraigned before Magistrate Beaton, Ludwig Ivinich, of East Edgemont street, admitted having given his wife a severe beating and as a justification declared he had been forced to eat cabbage twenty-one times during the past week.

Ludwig says he wanted pea soup once in a while, but his wife insisted upon the cabbage diet. When it wasn't cabbage straight it was sauerkraut, and when it wasn't sauerkraut it was boiled cabbage. After eating twenty meals Ludwig rebelled at supper, took a mouthful of fried cabbage and then turned his wife over his knee. She said in court she was unable to sit down.

Magistrate Beaton advised Ludwig to eat anything in the future, but assured him he would get pea soup for the next four weeks. That is the regulation diet in Moyamensing prison.

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TRIP TO ENGLAND AS GIFT.

Mayor of Hackensack Makes His Gardener, Rebbick, Happy.

New York, Dec. 9.—Albert Rebbick, a gardener, of Hackensack, N. J., who for nineteen years has been in the employ of Mayor Cortlandt Linkrown of that place has often longed to spend Christmas with his mother in England, but he never could save enough money to pay for such a trip.

On Saturday, however, his dream at last came true, for Mayor Linkrown presented the gardener with a Christmas gift that was big enough to pay for a trip to England and return, and Rebbick will remain away till the middle of January.

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Wherever two or more people live under one roof a prominent and permanent place should be given to a laxative remedy. You never can tell when you will need it. You may catcl. a cold, you may eat something that does not agree with you, and so have immediate need of a laxative. Many a mother has prevented sickness in the house by its timely use. If you are not now using **Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin** we urge you to investigate its merits. It is the stand-by in so many families that no doubt your very neighbor is one of its longest users and staunchest friends. **Syrup Pepsin** is the ideal laxative for all the family and especially for the children, the women and the old filks. Its action is so mild and natural that it can be given to an infant, and yet it will be effective in the strongest person. It is the best remedy you can have on hand for constipation, biliousness, liver trouble, indigestion, loss of appetite, headache, dizziness, etc. You can obtain it of your druggist at fifty cents or one dollar a bottle, the latter size being for family use. But if you want to test it before buying send your name and address to Dr. Caldwell and he will send a free sample bottle to your home.

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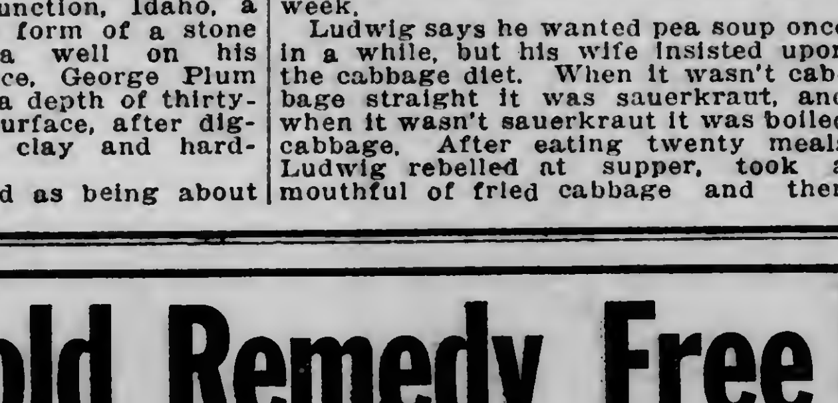

The following are some extracts from letters Dr. Caldwell has received:

"After using a sample of Syrup Pepsin and finding the results good, I bought a larger bottle and have it in my house since. I can truly say it is a good remedy and can recommend it to all sufferers from stomach trouble and indigestion generally."—Fred Brown, Metropolis, Ill.

"I believe it is my duty to let you know how much I have been benefited by your wonderful Syrup Pepsin. I can truly say I owe you a debt of gratitude, for it has done me more good than any medicine I have ever tried."—G. W. Huband, Manchester, Va.

"I am still using Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin as a laxative. From the time I first began using it I have not had the least trouble, and I feel like a new man altogether. The human race owe you a debt of gratitude for its introduction that they can never repay. I am 73 years old and have suffered long and much from constipation, from which I was never able to procure any purgative that gave me relief for but only a brief time until I procured from you your Syrup Pepsin. For their relief and comfort every aged person in the United States should keep it regularly in their home. For the benefit of humanity you should advertise Syrup Pepsin widely. It would have saved me from much pain had I ascertained its beneficial qualifies years since. Please publish this letter for the benefit of the affiicted public."—Geo. B. Turner, Attorney-at-Law, Harlan, Ky.

"Received the free sample of Syrup Pepsin and have taken another bottle and find great relief from it. Had misery in my stomach before I took it, and doctored for it but got no relief until I took your sample. It is just fine for the stomach. I can recommend it to any one that has stomach trouble."—Mrs. E. Wells, Urbana, Ohio.

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CHILDREN'S PARADISE

Mrs. Humphry Ward's Pleas for Evening Playgrounds in London.

Succeeds in Keeping 40,000 Youngsters Off the City's Streets.

London, Dec. 9.—There is no English novelist so perversely unappreciated in England as Mrs. Humphrey Ward. Not long ago I heard Hilaire Belloc, who, with the assistance of Father Andrew Lang, sheds a literary tone over the Morning Post, remark to himself: "Oh, yes, they read Mrs. Ward in America, I am told." Other men, after attempting to prove the peccability of our literary taste, conclude their argument with: "But what can you expect of a nation that reads Mrs. Ward!" She seems to be regarded here as a Marie Corelli trying to be a George Eliot.

This lofty literary condemnation is nothing, however, to the slanders which the suffragettes have circulated; the things they say can be described best as real mean. Mrs. Ward, like everyone else in the world, did not foresee in its beginning that the suffrage movement would attain the foothold it has in England. In spite of the fact that her sympathies are and always have been anti-suffrage, she is now accused of regretting her affiliation with the anti-suffragettes. Petty accusations of this kind are unanswerable. Nevertheless, the splendid work Mrs. Ward has done for the poor children of London makes 99 per cent of the suffragettes look small.

Five years ago Mrs. Ward began to plead the cause of evening playgrounds for children. So successful has she been that there are now sixteen centers, and a weekly attendance of 40,000. When I expressed my surprise at these remarkable figures, Mrs. Ward exclaimed: "But!—we are only still at the beginning. There is nothing for it but to go on asking, with all the urgency I can, for more sympathy and more help. The growth of the centers has outstriped the fund, and we are at a standstill until those who love children come once more to our aid.

"The winter evenings will be upon us directly, and in the vast working-class districts of London thousands of children, as they come trooping out of school at 4:30 into winter darkness, or fog, or rain, will have at least three or four hours of leisure before there is any chance of their going to bed.

"We all know the pathetic, familiar figure of the 'little mother,' the girl of 11 or 12, who wheels or carries the family 'biby' about for hours; and then there is much earning of stray pennies among the elder boys. But the majority of the children, especially of those between 5 and 11, have no home duties; they are simply in the way in the small tenement rooms where they live. The parents turn them out, and they have nothing to do but roam the streets, to get all the excitement they can out of them, to hang around the saloons and watch all the unsavory things that may go on in their neighborhood, with no supervision, nothing to stand between them and the vice that lies in wait for them. Besides the moral dangers of the streets, think of the exposure that often befalls young children in the winter evenings. And then the childish loneliness and misery they go through is pitiful to see.

"Meanwhile, close to these thousands of unshepherded children are the great school buildings, with their large, bright rooms standing empty, just in these hours between the end of school and the beginning of the evening classes. What the play centers committee does is to obtain free use of them and then turn in a proper staff of play leaders and hand-work teachers, with a proper supply of toys and materials."

There aren't many suffragettes who have created a paradise for 40,000 children—or authors either.

SILENCE REIGNS IN VILNA STREET

No Sound Breaks Stillness of Thoroughfare in Russia.

Vilna, Russia, Dec. 9.—Vilna, the capital of Lithuania, in Russia, is unique in having in the busiest part of the city a street in which nobody ever speaks.

At the northern entrance to the street is a huge archway on the top of which is an altar containing a sacred picture of the Blessed Virgin. Adjoining it is a Roman Catholic church. Mass is daily said before the picture, which is then unveiled. People passing through the street at that time of the day, no matter what their religious belief, kneel down in the street, their faces turned toward the picture.

The rest of the town is paved with noisy cobblestones, but this thoroughfare is laid with wooden planks, so that the traffic may make as litle noise as possible. No sound of quarrelling, no urging of horses or cracking of whips has been heard in the street for centuries.

When visiting Vilna during the Moscow campaign Napoleon I said he would like to carry it just as it stood to Paris. He gave strict orders that none of his troops should break the rule of silence while passing that way.

The picture, which is 500 years old, came from Italy. It is hung with votive offerings and has, among other gems, a priceless rope of pearls. Except for the face, little of the original picture can be seen, as the whole front is covered with beaten gold, forming a kind of dress and leaving the hand exposed. It is known as "the Blessed Virgin of the Gateway," and attracts large numbers of pilgrims.

The Roman Catholic inhabitants tell many stories of the picture's miraculous properties.

Five years ago the head of the Greek church in the city wanted to take it away from the gateway and put it in his own cathedral. He was taken ill and died soon after. The archimandite who succeeded him also tried to get the picture for his own church, but he also died suddenly of a mysterious illness. Then the governor of Vilna, who was a member of the Greek church, obtained permission from the holy synod at St. Petersburg to have the picture removed. He also died a violent and sudden death, being mysteriously shot outside the barracks.

Those who believe in the picture's miraculous power said that these sudden deaths were a sign that the picture must not be removed, and no further attempt has been made in that direction.

GIRL'S HEAD ROLLS OFF COUNT SEEFRIED'S DESK.

Salzburg, Austria, Dec. 9.—Two famous tragedies—the suicide of Crown Prince Rudolph and the assassination of his mother, Empress Elizabeth—are recorded in the annals of the house of Hapsburg. Now a third tragedy, not so sensational, perhaps, but none the less remarkable, occupies the aged emperor's thoughts.

Count Seefried, who married Princess Elizabeth of Bavaria, a granddaughter of Francis Joseph, and who has a fine castle near Salzburg, was overawed one day recently to see a girl's head roll off his desk as he sat down to work. The police were called in immediately.

The same day the headless body of the young woman was found on the railway which runs past the castle.

All sorts of horrible rumors filled the neighborhood, but the theory accepted is that the count's dog carried the head to the place where it was found.

Anarchist orators declare that the reigning house is under a spell.

TIME BEING MONEY, HE SPENDS TO SAVE TIME.

Trenton, N. J., Dec. 9.—It takes James M Donald eight minutes to get from his home to the nearest suburban railway station, with fair consideration for New Jersey's speed law, and with regard for the mechanism of his high powered auto. Eight minutes is more time that Donald feels he can spare at the start of his daily trip to New York, where he is chairman of the Hanover National bank.

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Men's Fancy Vests—in pin stripes and neat checks, cut in the newest styles—regular price $3.00—clearance sale price.................................. $1.95

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THE COMMISSION PLAN.

No. 22.—What it did in Leavenworth.

When Leavenworth, Kansas, adopted the commission plan matters were in a bad way. Kansas is a prohibition state, but Leavenworth has little prohibition sentiment. Blind pigs were the natural result. The old city government had been getting a steady revenue out of them by a system of monthly fines. Then a zealous state official put the lid on Leavenworth, and this source of a large revenue dried up.

Then came the commission, and the old administration was glad enough to escape. The commission was composed entirely of business men—a hardware merchant, a soap manufacturer, a lumber dealer, a furniture manufacturer and a drayman—and its only conception of doing business was along business lines, and not political lines. In spite of a loss of $80.000 a year from the blind pig revenues, here is what the commission did in Leavenworth:

Impending—if not actual—bankruptcy and financial helplessness were succeeded by a sound and satisfactory condition of the city's finances.

Citizens of the highest standing having been induced to take office, and the politicians being driven out by large majorities, city affairs were put on a business basis.

A period of decreasing population and stagnation in business and building was followed by one of rapid growth in all these respects.

In twenty-five years under the old government the city paved twelve miles of streets. In the first twenty-one months under the new system five and a half miles were paved.

City bonds amounting to $20,200 were paid off in two years.

The county indebtedness for which the city was responsible was paid off by the city to the amount of $119,750 in two years.

Only $27,000 of new bonds were issued against these reductions; a net reduction of the bonded debt of $112,950 took place, and new bonds were issued only for permanent improvements.

A new set of books was installed, and the city's business handled like that of "an up-to-date mercantile establishment."

All city bills were paid before the tenth of each month. Appointments were made for fitness, regardless of party, with the results to be expected from such a policy.

Property values, largely because of the improved civic conditions, increased largely. New factories were brought in.

All these improved conditions were brought about despite a loss of $80,000 in illicit revenue from blind pigs—an amount that bulks largely in the affairs of a small city—and without increasing the tax rate.

Here again, is observed the effect of handling public affairs on business lines.

THE ILLINOIS "LITTLE BALLOT."

As tending to show that the people take interest in their own affairs, that they want the opportunity to pass upon them, that they want their government brought closer into their control, and that they vote on such questions with intelligence and discrimination, the results of the "little ballot" put before the people of Illinois at the last election are interesting.

Complete figures are now in the office of the secretary of state of Illinois. They show wide interest and an enormous majority for popular government. Illinois hasn't been a conspicuous example of the success of representative government, which in nine cases out of ten in this country has turned out to be misrepresentative government. Its state house has reeked with scandal. Chicago furnishes to its legislative bodies a large number of unprincipled rascals, and recent disclosures have made the country look about as bad as Chicago in that respect. The showing on the "little ballot," therefore, is peculiarly interesting.

Three proposals were submitted to the people in a sort of unofficial referendum.

First, the people were asked whether they wanted the initiative and referendum submitted as a proposed constitutional amendment.

Second, they were asked whether they approved a comprehensive state system of civil service.

Third, they were asked whether they wanted corrupt practices legislation, intended to purify politics.

On all these proposals, particularly the first, the affirmative vote was heavy, and the total vote cast on them was a very large proportion of the total vote cast at the election.

There were 443,505 votes for the initiative and referendum, and only 127,751 against them, the affirmative majority of 315,754.

There were 404,444 votes for a state civil service system, and 119,889 votes against it; an affirmative majority of 284,555.

There were 417,311 votes for corrupt practices legislation and 122,068 against; an affirmative majority of 295,243.

Such results as these go far to cut the ground from under those who declare that the people will not take interest in their own affairs, and that the only way to transact public business is to delegate it all to legislative assemblies.

After more than a hundred years of representative government, during which it has had a thorough trial, there is no remaining room for doubt that representative government must be tempered with pure democracy to get good results—that the people must be given closer control. The theory that the people cannot be trusted to handle their own affairs, and that public business must be left to representatives chosen by the people is exploded. If the people are fitted to pick their representatives, they are fitted to pass on public policies; and certainly results of direct legislation cannot possibly be worse than the results of a representative government which has almost invariably been misrepesentative and which has worked to enslave the people instead of to serve them.

THE ECONOMIC POSSIBILITIES OF DULUTH WEATHER.

The publicity committee of the Commercial club does well to gloat over the character of the Duluth climate. There is so much in it to gloat over that it is good to know that steps will be taken to inform the world at large of it, so that the world may come here and participate, and get into a position to join in the gloating.

The committee's jubilations have to do largely with summer weather, in its relation to crop-growing; and as to that it is well known that there is plenty of rainfall, drouths being almost unknown; that there is plenty of sunshine, as there is a longer daylight period during the summer here than there is much further south; and that these things, combined with a prodigiously fertile soil, make this section pre-eminently well adapted to agriculture, horticulture, dairying and kindred pursuits.

But while that may be the most important aspect of Duluth's weather commercially, a fact hardly less important is that Duluth's weather makes this about the finest spot on earth to live in; and when a place that is pleasant to live in happens also to be a good place to make money in, that is a thing which it is wrong to keep secret: it ought to be published to all the world. And that, apparently, is what the publicity force of the Commercial club proposes to do.

The Herald still hopes that steps will be taken to carry out the plan it has been suggesting for several years. On the delightful days of summer, when the day temperatures are running in the pleasant seventies, with night temperatures in the early sixties and even dipping down into the fifties, other cities are sweltering in unbearable heat night and day. If advertisements could be telegraphed once or twice a week to leading dailies in the heat-afflicted cities, telling what Duluth's weather conditions are, there could be but one result: everybody who is movable will pick right up and come to Duluth to enjoy life.

That is a mighty good way to start a big tourist traffic. Tourist traffic is important in itself, because it is profitable. Tourists leave money behind.

But it is more important still in another aspect. A large proportion of the tourists are men of means, with capital to invest. Coming here for relief and recreation, they cannot fail, being men of observation and discernment, to look about and take in the enormous possibilities for enterprise, backed by capital, that lie all about this region.

Tempted here by the fine weather and splendid summer conditions, some, at least, can hardly fail to make up their minds to invest here, or to come here to live.

Duluth's climate, taking it all in all, is a mighty good card to play, and Duluth hasn't, thus far, played it strongly enough.

SELLING FRAUDULENT FOOD.

According to a local story in The Herald last night the city milk inspector has been analyzing samples of the milk sold in local restaurants. Out of twenty-five samples taken, fifteen fell below the standard of 3.5 per cent butter fat required by the state law.

This standard is very modest. Milk that contains 3.5 per cent of butter fat is just ordinarily good milk. Really good milk contains more than that. Milk that contains less cannot by any amount of allowance be called good milk.

Milk is good food. That is, it is good food when it is clean, fresh and contains a decent amount of nourishment. When it has less than 3 per cent of butter fat—one sample had only 1.8 per cent—it is a delusion and a fraud.

Cows whose milk contains less than 3 per cent of butter fat aren't worth keeping. They don't earn their board. Modern dairymen who test the milk given by each cow weed out the animals that give such thin milk, and sell them to the butcher because they can't afford to keep them. It is doubtful if any cow, however, gives milk so thin and poor as some of the alleged milk sold in restaurants.

Milk costs enough, these days, even when it is rich and pure. When it is watered, or the greater part of the richness is taken out of it before it is sold, it is very expensive food indeed. Folks who pay the regular price for milk, whether by the quart or the glass, are entitled to honest milk—and judging from the report of the milk inspector, a good many of them are not getting honest milk.

Surely the public, which isn't able to judge by its looks the milk it buys, is entitled to protection against fraud of this character.

HOW IT WORKS.

Port Huron, Mich., which lately adopted a new charter providing for the commission form of city government, held its first election under the new system this week, and the result was described in The Herald last night.

While Port Huron will be unable to furnish testimony as to the advantages of the commission plan until it has tried it in actual operation, already that city provides proofs of one very important claim that is made for the new plan, and that is the claim that by eliminating party designations it eliminates party methods, and encourages business men of capacity to take part in city affairs.

In its election Monday Port Huron cleaned out the politicians, one and all. It elected as mayor the man who has been its mayor for two terms; but he never was classed as a political mayor, and was re-elected on his merits as a public official.

The four other commissioners are all business men of broad public spirit who have never taken an active part in partisan politics, but have been leaders in the city's public and business affairs—just the kind of men, indeed, that every city needs, but just the kind of men no city ever gets under the old political system of city government.

Without waiting for returns as to the working out of the commission form in Port Huron, that city already has furnished reasons enough for adopting it—that it cuts out the old style partisan government, and by substituting plain business government offers an incentive for men of business capacity and experience to take an active part in public affairs.

All eyes will be on St. Paul during the session of the legislature, and a fiercer light of publicity will beat upon the doings of that body than ever before.

THE OPEN COURT.

(Readers of The Herald are invited to make free use of this column to express their ideas about the topics of general interest. Letters should not exceed 300 words—the shorter the better. They must be written on one side of the paper only, and they must be accompanied in every case by the name and address of the writer, though these need not be published. A signed letter is always more effective, however.)

PROPER COURSE FOR LEAGUE TO PURSUE.

To the Editor of The Herald:

If the laws of Duluth are being violated as flagrantly as is claimed by the so-called "Civic" league, why don't the members of the organization lay their information before the grand jury? It strikes me that that would be the proper manner to get action. If they cannot produce the facts the members of the league ought to keep what they think to themselves. Advertising Duluth broadcast as being rotten with vice is certainly not helping the city, to say the very least. If Duluth is overrun with lewd women, if gambling is prevalent, if the liquor laws are being violated as claimed by the "Civic" league, it should be an easy matter to put enough witnesses before the grand jury to secure indictments. That would be getting action of the most positive sort and would do more wholesome good than columns of resolutions telling about what is said to be going on.

J. C. L.

Duluth, Dec. 9.

CHAUFFEURS ARE MADE THE "GOATS".

To the Editor of The Herald:

Please permit us, in the columns of your valuable paper, to reply to the article appearing in The Herald under date of Dec. 6, entitled "Lesson to Chauffeurs," wherein you quote Mr. Russell, of the Russell Motor company, as making the statement that every garage in the city has had more or less trouble in preventing the railroading of cars from garages without their owners' consent.

We take exception to this statement, for only recently under date of Oct. 22 and 23, we offered a reward of $50 to any one who could prove that their cars had been taken from our garage for joy riding, or without the owher's consent. This reward was also intended for any one who could prove that any tools or accessories belonging to any automobile in storage at our place, had been stolen or removed without the owner's consent.

We believe the majority of the chauffeurs in this city are misunderstood, and in a great many cases, made to bear the brunt of the burden of proof for a great many more misdemeanors than they actually commit. They seem to be, in a time of stress, the logical ones to be attacked to prevent the burden of responsibility from resting on the shoulders of those committing daily offenses, and which so stir up public opinion against automobiles in general, and experienced operators.

E. J. FILIATRAULT.

Duluth, Dec. 9.

The Commission Form of Government.

Atlanta Constitution: In an able and informative address before a notable gathering of Alabama business men, Associate Editor J. B. Hornaby, of the Birmingham News, discusses the triumph of the idea behind the commission form of municipal government in the cities in which it had been adopted.

The recital of what the new plan has done in such cities as Galveston, Des Moines, Houston, Dallas and smaller communities is a forceful argument to prove what it may do in other communities.

Back of the whole plan is the basic idea that a municipal government is a business corporation. Tax payers who invest money in municipal government are entitled to returns as surely as stockholders in a railroad or a banking corporation.

Tax payers are entitled to have their money well invested; to have public officials who are faithful to their trust and, above all, who are scrupulously careful in the expenditures of the public money.

Good government is an asset to any community.

Bad government will retard a city's growth despite every natural advantage it may possess.

An aroused public sentiment, which will place capable men of proven capacity in municipal office and give them authority to exercise their talents and to shoulder the responsibilities of their positions, will bring about a transformation.

This is the purpose behind the municipal form of city government. It concentrates authority, and likewise concentrates responsibility.

Back of the three or five commissioners stand the people.

In the hands of able commissioners gratifying success has been encountered in Galveston, Houston, Dallas and Des Moines.

The wider latitude allowed under a commission form of government to the municipal heads will attract men who have ideas and the ability to put them into effect if given free rein.

The city of Birmingham has shown its faith in the new form of city government, believing that what has been accomplished in other communities can be duplicated in any other city.

In any event, the commission plan has passed far beyond the experimental stage.

In the hands of good men it approaches as near the ideal as any scheme devised by modern civics.

A Visit.

I went to the lily pond today.
The skies were dark and cold and gray.
I stumbled along through drifts of snow,
Where pinks and daisies used to grow.

The tall pines bowed their proud heads down
Under the weight of their ermine gowns.
Each twig was dressed as a king might be,
And the pond, ah, the pond, was a diamond sea.

Such dazzling splendor, such gorgeous array,
I had not beheld for many a day;
For even the lowliest hidden limbs
Were dressed in robes of flashing gems.

The harp of the winds played a loud fierce tune,
Not the kind that lulled my soul in June,
But the kind that sets the blood on fire
And filled the heart with a wild desire.

'Tis a time of war o'er the hills and lea,
And the soldiers' camp by the diamond sea.
King Winter has triumphed o'er the lands
And strangled summer with icy hands.

But the fallen foe shall rise again,
And by the strength of her grief and pain
Shall cause the howling winds to cease,
And then, shall come a time of peace.

—Della McGovern.

Those Stripes.

Our Dumb Animals: "Now, children what is this?" asked the teacher, holding up the picture of a zebra.

"It looks to me like a horse in a bathing suit," answered a little boy.

The Runners.

......For I run not alone.
There run with me the Silent Three,
Through fields the dead have sown.

One with a sweet and piteous smile—
The tireless Past—ah, he will last
For many a footsore mile.

And one, the Now—with stern, white gaze—
Who gives no heed though I do bleed
Along the thorny ways.

One with masked face, lips dumb,
Beckons my soul to some blind goal—
The wrath of Things to Come.

......Nay, I run not alone.
There run with me the Silent Three,
Through fields the dead have sown.

—Emery Pottle.

SOME "PUSSYFOOT"-PRINTS.

Inconsistent Uncle Sam.

Coleraine Optic: Seems strange, doesn't it, that our Uncle Samuel has just discovered that the saloon men of this section are breaking the law and must be punished, when he has been licensing them to do this very thing for over sixty years?

Takes Decided Exception.

Ely Miner: "Pussyfoot" Johnson is not quite certain that Hibbing and Chisholm are in the Indian country, but in the meantime has ordered these towns to abstain from anything intoxicating. Seems to us that "Pussyfoot" is taking some extra long chances in his blind zeal to earn his salary. That "Indian country" gag is getting to be somewhat of a nuisance, and the question now arises, is the lazy, government-fed Indian better than the tax-paying, law-abiding white man?

Warns the Overbold.

Virginia Enterprise: It behooves the liquor men to play their game in accordance with the provisions of the state law, that attention of the department may not be directed their way.

What Bemidji Wants to Know.

Bemidji Sentinel: It seems very strange that W. E. Johnson is always harping on that there will be no discrimination shown, yet he admits that Duluth and parts of the Twin Cities are within the boundary of the prescribed treaty, and that if Mr. Zollman, attorney for the brewers of the state, does not get too perniciously active, he (Johnson) may not enforce the treaty law in these places. Can he be indiscriminate in his work and at the same time permit saloons to run in these places?

Big Bill for Drinks.

St. Cloud Journal-Press: Uncle Sam will be called upon some day to liquidate a mighty big bill for "drinks"—liquors consumed. The destruction of property (liquors) by the special agents of the interior department is unwarranted, and while it may, technically, be sanctioned by Indian treaty provisions, the necessity for such prohibition no longer exists. We predict that congress will be flooded in the future with bills for such property wantonly destroyed.

Blames the Brewers.

Aurora News: "Sightless porkers" are not so much in evidence as they were before the government started its crusade in Northern Minnesota, but the brewers continue to sell about as much beer to the illegitimate saloons as to the licensed places. But for this condition, Hibbing and Chisholm would not have been closed.

Put Up to Washington.

Biwabik Times: It is to be hoped that the responsible officials in Washington will see the matter in the right light and instruct Mr. Johnson to keep his hands off except as to towns where Indians have secured or are likely to secure liquor. We believe the protection of the Indians is justified, but cannot see the necessity of closing many other towns where it is admitted that the Indians do not secure the product. The closing of Hibbing and Chisholm through petty spite is carrying the matter to the extreme of the ridiculous.

Call Out the Troops!

Morris Sun: The federal authorities are now trying to keep liquor out of the Indian country by forbidding the shipment of liquor into the Indian dry belt, as it is called. Railroads and express companies have been notified not to accept such shipments, and what goes in now will have to be hauled in in some other manner. The saloon keepers will undoubtedly try to secure liquor for their customers in some way, and the government may find it necessary to call out the troops for patrol work in order to put a stop to the traffic.

Pensions.

Harper's Weekly: William Bayard Hale's articles in the World's Work about pensions are pretty doleful reading. Hardly any one questions that pensions have been shockingly overdone and that our pension system is honeycombed with politics and fraud, and that the great extension have been planned and carried through with too little purpose to afford relief to veterans and their dependents who deserve and need it, and too much desire to keep up a vast expenditure to enrich pension agents, to rivet high protection upon the country, and to hold the old-soldier vote to the Republican party. Pensions this year will cost the people about $157,000,000. The laws under which these pensions are paid will stand. To repeal any of them is not sugested. The sums paid out under them will fall off rapidly in the course of the next ten years provided no wholesale new pension legislation is enacted. What is to be done is to induce a critical attitude on the part of congress and the administration and all future administrations toward pension legislation. Further than that, it may be possible, if the inspiration is strong enough, to overhaul the pension list and excise from it the swindlers, of whom there must be an enormous number. No merited pension is grudged, no lawful pension under existing laws, good or bad, is in any danger of attack; but the list might very properly be examined, and further reckless legislation should be stopped. The pension-jobbers doubtless feel that they and their clients have now a vested right in about $150,000,000 of the taxpayer's money, and that the rate of increase must march with diminishing numbers. For that idea they are likely to find plenty of backing, though there is encouragement in the recollection that the next pension committee in the house will not be named by Uncle Joe.

Fad Warnings.

New York Press: Drink water and get typhoid fever. Drink milk and get tuberculosis. Drink whisky and get jimjams. Drink soup and get fat. Eat meat and encourage cancer, apoplexy and appendicitis. Eat oysters and absorb typhoid and gastric poison germs. Eat vegetables and give the system Asiatic, thin-blooded weakness. Eat dessert and die with paresis or something else. Smoke cigarettes and die too soon. Drink coffee and fall into insomnia and nervous prostration. Drink tea and get weak heart. Drink wine and so drink gout. Blame it all, if you want to keep well, quit eating and drinking, smoking and loving, and before breathing or touching anything, see that the aid and everything is perfectly sterilized. Some scientific cranks or madmen think every man should so live, while another set of cranks think all modern science is nonsense. There is a scientific moderation in living that almost surely insures long life, no matter what the different kinds of cranks say.

Millionaire and Housemaid.

New York World: Much is made of the marriage of an "heir to millions" and a young woman who was once a housemaid. The marriage of a millionaire political leader and a hospital nurse is included in the same category of romance.

What of it? We are periodically reminded that there is nothing in blue blood, and no doubt a housemaid's veins have derived enough azure drops from the long past to qualify for a matrimonial alliance with a rich husband. The girl's the girl for a' that, as in the case of petty Martha Hilton, the tavern maid-of-all-work whom Governor Wentworth married and Longfellow celebrated in verse; the fair Agnes Surriage, or Sarah Hoggins, the village beauty who married the Marquis of Exeter. The mother of Don John of Austria, was a washerwoman, and from Anthony Hope we know how Sophy Grouch, the English kitchenmaid, "rose to be Queen of Kravonia."

Poor Sarah Hoggins died of a broken heart as a result of her social translation. But such a contingency is not to be apprehended in the present instance. When a lord marries a chorus girl or a millionaire's son a former housemaid nowadays, love is not called on to "level ranks" to an extent threatening unhappiness as a result of any serious social inequality.

OVER THE CHRISTMAS WIRE.

Life: "Hello, Central. Give me Forty Below Zero, North Pole. All right. Is that you, Santa Claus?"

"Yes, yes. Who's calling?"

"Uncle Sam. I want to give you the list of things you're to bring for my children."

"All right. Wait till I get a pencil. Ready now. Go ahead."

"Put down a hobble skirt for the Goddess of Liberty. She's getting so old-fashioned nobody ever notices her any more."

"One hobble skirt. Next."

"You may bring Wall street a nice new standard of business morals."

"Very well."

"For the Democratic party a big bunch of plain common sense."

"Right, oh."

"And for the suffragettes a little old-fashioned feminine modesty."

"Yep."

"For the trusts you may bring, let me see—well, never mind. Scratch them off. They've got everything already. Instead of that put down the common people. Bring them a new tariff."

"Very good."

"In the stockings of Willie Bryan and Teddy Roosevelt you may put certificates of life membership in the down and out club."

"Got it."

"And for the soldiers in my army you may bring the canteen that was taken away from them."

"Down."

"To my congress you may fetch a goodly quantity of honest desire to serve the people."

"That's a pretty big order, Samuel."

"Pack up for the American woman a bundle of sensible clothes to take the place of the silly duds she's wearing now."

"Right."

"Put on the list some celerity for my judges and lawyers."

"Correct."

"To my people who live on farms and in lonely places, the comforts and convenience of a parcels post system."

"Entered."

"And to all little children and aged persons love and care from the young and strong."

"No mistake about that."

"To every sweet dispositioned maiden lady a handsome, rich and loving husband."

"That's easy."

"And to each of the states of the Union and to my outlying possessions peace, prosperity and happiness."

Sitting on a Fence.

The Atlantic: An element of grave importance and unquestioned worth is the privilege, nay, the imperative necessity, of sitting on a fence from time to time. Literature hints at this. Lewis Carroll's "aged, aged man a-sitting on a gate" had, by the sunset of his days at least, acquired this wisdom. Poor Keats owned to a hankering to "sit upon an Alp as on a throne"—although the German school of critics, keenly sensing the discomfort which inevitably disqualifies a mountain pinnacle for the scene of prolonged sessile repose, suggests metathesis, and would amend the reading to "sit upon an Alp as on a thorn;" adducing as collateral argument Keats' well-known admiration for the nightingale, and that bird's familiar practice of artificially stimulating the centers of voice-production by causing its breast to impinge upon a thorn or similar sharp object. Leaving this delicate problem to the competent consideration of the wise, we may safely conclude that our first thesis is correct, and that to sit on a fence beside a road is of itself a satisfaction and an inspiration. For, be it posited again, the walker walks not to arrive, but to be in the world, to contemplate the same, and to take sufficient leisure for the formation of his judgments. To do this, he must sit.

Songs of Wedlock.

You are so brave, so loyal and so true!
You bring such sunshine to the last farewell
When some far duty calls me forth from you,
What fears consume your heart I cannot tell;
Not mine to know what prayers or teardrops pour
From your pent heart, when you have closed the door.
But this I know: How long, how far I roam,
My honor and my babes are safe with you
And light and sweetness shall illumine our home;
You are so brave, so true!

Your are so brave, so loyal and so true,
I should be worse than craven did I fail
To make the last long kiss I had from you
My knightly sword and shield and triple mail.
You cannot see through leagues of space that part,
If passion or if peace be in my heart.
But this believe: How long, how far I roam,
Whate'er my brain may plan, or hands may do,
I would be worthy to be welcomed home
By you, so brave, so true!

—T. A. Daly, in the Catholic Standard and Times.

The Primary System "Made Good."

William Allen White in December American Magazine: The primary system of nominations has done all that its advocates claimed it would do. It has broken the chain binding business to politics. And it has done more. It has released public sentiment, and with the possibility of a real expression of public sentiment has come a definite growth of public sentiment. And how strong and unanimous it was as it came rolling up in the returns from the primary elections and in the returns of the general election. Never before have we been so nearly one people, with one dominant political ideal as we have shown ourselves this summer and autumn. We have said this is our country—we realize it now; we propose to run it; now that we have found the political gunpowder we propose to end the political feudalism under which we have been living; this is our country, for we are of one mind and that mind is finding voice. And that voice is speaking for the average man. Never before in all the world have any 90,000,000 of people held one idea, one abstract idea, so firmly in mind as the American people have held this idea; that capital the product of the many is to be operated fundamentally for the benefit of the many. This idea is essentially an altruistic idea. For it is not the poor who have spoken, nor the rich, but those who have small means which they are willing to put under the common rule. The masses who spoke at the primaries and at the elections were well-to-do, honest men with sacrifice, not greed, in their hearts. They are the insurgents. They—the common people, whom the great Insurgent loved—are beginning to understand and repeat His message of service through sacrifice.

Opponents.

Cincinnati Enquirer: Colonel "Abe" Gruber, at a luncheon at Saratoga, paused in an eloquent address to tell a story.

"Yes," he said, "those two factions are as ineradicably opposed as Brown and Black.

"Brown and Black were always arguing. They could never see any question in the same light.

"Brown,' said Black one day, 'I wonder what would happen if you ever agreed with me on anything?'

"'I'd be wrong; I'd be wrong," Black answered hurriedly."

A Safeguard.

Collier's: Maine began the Democratic sweep. Massachusetts did her full share. Bounded by both of them is New Hampshire, which went insurgent. The others are not. The moral can be picked out of the election almost everywhere. And, by the way, just watch La Follette in the next senate. He will fight for all the measures he believes in, and against those which he thinks wrong, and he will be a relief among those who allow their party labels to act as chains.

No Dissenting Voice.

Pittsburg Dispatch: Hon. Chauncey M. Depew's declaration of pleasure at being retired to private life, seems to make it unanimous.

A MOMENT WITH THE WITS.

Louisville Courier-Journal: "You ought to do something in the world," declared the wealthy father.

"All right, dad," said the idolent son. "I'd like to be an editor. Suppose you buy me a newspaper."

"I'll buy you a newspaper. Here's a newsboy. Now look over the want column and see if anybody is advertising for an editor."

Chicago Tribune: Indignant Constituent—This is the fourth time I have called to see the senator, by appointment, and found him out every time!

Private Secretary (of eminent statesman)—Oh, well, I wouldn't make a fuss about that. According to what the papers say, everybody is finding him out.

Louisville Courier-Journal: "Do foreigners buy many of our stocks?"

"Some. Usually, though they prefer to acquire them by marriage."

Baltimore American: "Don't you think the man at the soda water fountain has a queer phiz?"

"Effect of the soda water, dear."

Washington Star: "Do you forgive enemies?"

"I try to," replied Senator Sorghum. "I can't exactly forgive them, but I do my best to put them in a position where I can sympathize with them."

Punch: The Vicar—I haven't noticed little Willie in Sunday school lately, Mrs. Brown.

Mrs. Brown—No, zur, 'e bin an' taken a positive dislike to the new curate. It be summut dreadful the way 'e do go on about 'im.

Chicago Daily News: "And why are you here, my poor man?" asked the visiting parson.

"I've got me friens t' blame for it," answered convict 1323.

"Why, how is that?" queried the parson.

"De judge said it was de 'lectric chair fer mine, but me friens got bizzy an' had de sentence chang'd t' imprisonment fer life," explained the other.

Kansas City Journal: "Well, have you learned anything from your experiment at making garden?"

"Yes; I have learned not to promise anyone any vegetables."

Washington Star: "What makes the butcher put both hands in the air? Is he afraid you are going to shoot?"

"No," answered Bronco Bob. "He has gotten over being afraid. He knows I ain't going to shoot as long as he keeps his hands out of reach of the scales while the meat's bein' weighed."

Louisville Courier-Journal: "I fear the hero of the magazine serial will be bankrupt next month."

"Why so?"

"He leaves a taxicab waiting in the last chapter."

Pittsburg Post: "Then there is no bowing to public men in America?"

"No; we call it respect for the office."

New York Press: "And now, Jimmy Norton," asked a Bronx school teacher the other day, "how many kinds of teeth are there?"

"Two, ma'am," replied Jimmy; "quinines and cuspidores."

Reflections of a Bachelor.

New York Press: You can cut wisdom teeth without clipping coupons.

The reason women have to sufer so much is they don't deserve it.

No girl ever had a curly head without wanting a shoulder to rest it on.

Too many precautions usually omit the one that would have been sufficient.

Even the weather is a satisfactory topic of conversation compared with your relatives.

Polnted Paragraphs.

Chicago Tribune: He loves best whose love lasts.

There's a lot of inhumanity mixed with human nature.

The silent lay of the hen discounts the noisy notes of the rooster.

Business is a mantle that covers a multitude of queer transactions.

Time will heal a woman's grief—unless the grief happens to be a wrinkle.

Even a close-mouthed man has to open up when he gets in a dentist's chair.

Some people go in for the simple life because of the notoriety it brings them.

A woman always calls it "feminine intuition" when she succeeds in making a fairly good guess.

A short purse and a long face go hand in hand, according to a philosopher who is not afraid of mixing his metaphors.

Inventors are constantly adding improvements to the typewriter, but none of them has been able to turn out a machine that will spell correctly.

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Handsome Suits	$2.45 to $28.85
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Suspenders	25c to 50c
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WILL COME TO AMERICA

"The Typhoon," Anti-Japanese Play, Had Successful Berlin Run.

Purpose of Author Is to Warn Against Mongolian Invasion.

Berlin, Dec. 9.—Not many months ago an Englishman named Gerald du Maurier created a tremendous sensation among his countrymen with a play portraying the "German peril," which he believes is hanging over Great Britain.

Just as Mr. du Maurier's play, "An Englishman's Home," was designed to arouse Britons to the necessity for preparation against invasion by the kaiser's forces, so is a still newer play, "The Typhoon," by Melchoir Lengyel, a young Hungarian, intended to stir the white races into preparation against a Mongolian invasion.

"The Typhoon" already has had a most successful run in Berlin, where it has been the season's dramatic sensation, and now plans are being made for taking it to the United States. For political reasons, however, some of the men interested in the trans-Atlantic production are known to think that it may be a trifle too peppery and that perhaps it may be necessary to tone it down in spots.

The hero of "The Typhoon" is Dr. Tokeroma, a Japanese scholar sent to Europe by the mikado's government on a mysterious mission. As his lieutenants he has an aged man named Kobayshi, an elderly one called Yoshikava, a youth known as Hironari, the lawyer Omayi, the physician Kitamaru, and two others who take minor parts.

These individuals really are commissioned to worm out all sorts of secrets from Occidental governments for future use in the interests of Japan. Their headquarters is in Paris, where the scene of the play is laid. Here his agents report to Dr. Tokeramo the results of their investigations, and the doctor enters them in volume after volume of records.

In the first act all these Japanese emissaries are seen in Dr. Tokeramo's apartment in Paris, where, after the doctor's servants have been sent away, they doff their Western attire and don their national costumes, squatting upon the floor and telling each other tales of the glories of Nippon, at the same time discussing the different aspects of their work in Europe.

Gir Learn Secrets.

Suddenly they are interrupted by the arrival of Helene, a Parisian girl, of whom Dr. Tokeramo is very fond. The other Japanese immediately depart, leaving Helene and the doctor together. The girl is consumed with curiosity, however, concerning the strange gathering into which she stumbled and does her utmost to persuade her admirer to tell her its meaning. The doctor is for a moment on the verge of betraying himself, but remembering just in time the sacredness of his mission, abruptly changes his tone and rejects Helene's demands for an explanation.

The curtain rises upon the second act to reveal Dr. Tokeramo at work upon his records. He is interrupted by the entry of his lieutenant, Yoshikava, with the information that Helene has betrayed at least enough of the spies' secrets to a French writer, Renard Boninski, to do infinite damage to the mission.

To test the extent of the girl's treachery the two Japanese send for Boninski, whom they know slightly, and, having plied him with drink, discover that Helene has purloined a number of the doctor's letters and given them to the young writer to read. Dr. Tokeramo is alarmed by this information and agrees with Yoshikava that his realtions with Helene must cease immediately.

Accordingly, when the girl appears a few moments later, the doctor repulses her, and after wavering a few moments between love and duty orders her to leave him forever. In her rage Helene tells him that she never really loved him, always regarded him as an "unclean yellow thing" and only tolerated him for the sake of his money.

Volunteer For Sacrifice.

This infuriates the doctor to such an extent that he strangles the girl. Then, alarmed by the thought of the possible consequences of his act, which he realizes may mean the ruin of his work, he summons his comrades to him and tells them what he has done.

The lieutenants' one thought is to shield their superior, that he may complete his mission, and to this end each one offers to accept responsibility for the murder. Kobayshi, a tottering patriarch with white hair and bent form, pleads that at his age his life is worth little at best and that he ought to be denounced as the criminal. Yoshikava, the lawyer; Omayi, the physician; Kitamaru and others, one by one, in turn urge their respective claims to be sacrificed.

Then, in a scene of thrilling interest, the youthful Hironari, still in his teens, argues that, unlike his comrades, he has no particular work to do and that, as the least valuable member of the band, he is the one to be chosen. Ultimately his elders consent, and Hironari is arrested for Helene's murder.

The third act brings Hironari's trial and condemnation. It is marked by many exciting incidents and is full of dramatic situations.

In the last act Dr. Tokeramo is shown, saved from the consequences of his crime by the sacrifice of his youthful follower, but broken under the fearful load of remorse, he is compelled to bear. On the night on which he finishes the last line of his records and hands the volumes to Yoshikava to be sent to Japan he quietly expires, and the curtain falls with Yoshikava delivering a striking eulogy upon Japanese views of life and death.

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Philadelphia's Mayor May Appoint Them to Enforce Ordinance.

Philadelphia, Dec. 9. — How will the proposed ordinance to punish women for wearing long hatpins be enforced? Will it require a new corps of city employes known as hatpin inspectors?

These questions are puzzling Mayor Reyburn, who expects to be obliged to sign or veto an ordinance introduced in select council on Thursday by Nicholas J. Schmucker of the Twenty-fourth ward, providing for a fine of $50 for wearing a hatpin which projects more than half an inch beyond the crown.

It made the mayor weary to think of the trouble he would have of selecting inspectors to see whether the ordinance was violated. "Why," he said, "there would be more applicants for the job than there was for city solicitor, and I think it would be harder to select the man than it was to choose a man for solicitor."

The mayor was not clear as to the provisions of the ordinance. He wanted to know whether the pin could protrude half an inch beyond the crown of the hat or beyond the brim. The mayor thought that if it was beyond the brim the hatpin could be two feet long before making the woman who wore it liable to a fine.

Then the mayor had a happy thought as to the method of detecting violations. He said:

"I guess we will have to erect measuring posts or a guage on Chestnut street. Any woman under suspicion of having a hatpin that is in violation of the ordinance will be obliged to pass through the gauge. If she fails to get through without her hatpin touching we'll have to arrest her."

LUCKY FIDDLER TOO HAPPY.

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Westfield, Mass., Dec. 9.—James Wilson, the Otis fiddler, who is heir to one-sixth of a fortune of $1,800,000 left by a relative in England, was arrested on the charge of drunkenness. Wilson, who has been living in West Springfield, came to town to renew old acquaintance, and was outclassed by the cordiality of the congratulations he received.

He complained that his watch and a roll of bills were gone.

BOY'S HEART PARALYZED

When He Swallowed a Drug His Mother Had Taken.

Paducah, Ky., Dec. 9.—Imitating his mother, who had taken a drug to relieve neuralgia, Charles Waltman, the 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Bell Waltman of this county, picked up the bottle and drank the contents, which resulted in his death two hours later.

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Dr. Redwell relates an interesting account of what he considers a remarkable case of acute stomach trouble and chronic dyspepsia by the use of the new discovery, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

He says: "The patient was a man who had suffered, to my knowledge, for years with dyspepsia. Everything he ate seemed to sour and create gasses in the stomach. He had pains like rheumatism in the back, shoulder blades and limbs, fullness and distress after eating, poor appetite and loss of flesh; the heart became affected, causing palpitation and sleeplessness at night.

"I gave him powerful nerve tonics and blood remedies, but to no purpose. As an experiment I finally bought a 50-cent package of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets at a drug store and gave them to him. Almost immediate relief was given and after he had used four boxes he was to all appearances fully cured.

"There was no more acidity or sour, watery risings, no bloating after meals, the appetite was vigorous and he has gained between 10 and 12 pounds in weight of solid, healthy flesh.

"Although Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are advertised and sold in drug stores, yet I consider them a most valuable addition to any physician's line of remedies, as they are perfectly harmless and can be given to children or invalids or in any condition of the stomach with perfect safety, being harmless and containing nothing but fruit and vegetable essences, pure pepsin and Golden Seal.

"Without any question they are the safest, most effective cure for indigestion, biliousness, constipation and all derangements of the stomach, however slight or severe."

CHRISTMAS SLIPPERS

The most appreciated gift for Him; also beautiful fur and ribboned-trimmed felts, in all dainty colors for Her.

A pair of those elegant high Boots, in tan or black, for skating and skiing, for the Boy and Girl. Let us help you select serviceable footwear, the most practical gift.

We are showing a complete line of boots in Satins, Velvets and Cravenettes. She would like a pair. Save money by shopping here.

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MOST DELIGHTFUL AND LUXURIOUS RESTAURANT IN DULUTH.

CHINA NEAR NEW EPOCH

Absolute Regime Will Be Only History After Next January.

Throne Accedes to the Demand for Constitutional Cabinet.

Pekin, Dec. 9.—It seems safe to announce that the ancient absolute regime in China will exist only historically after the Chinese new year in January, 1911. It is stated that the throne has decided to accede to the resolution of the imperials appealing for the ceration of a constitutional cabinet.

Political events in China have moved with a rapidity that appears almost revolutionary when it is considered that the provincial assemblies representing the first step toward popular government in the empire's history of thousands of years, were inaugurated so recently as Oct. 14, 1909. The first imperial senate met on Oct. 3 last. The late empress dowager had decreed that a general representative body, to be known as the imperial parliament, be convoked in 1915 at the end of the nine-year period of preparation.

People Were Impatient.

However, the people, having had a taste of popular government, were impatient and the senate, soon after it was organized, demanded the immediate convocation of a general parliament. The throne and grand council yielding to the extent of advancing the date for the inauguration of parliament to 1913, a decree making this effective being promulgated on Nov. 4.

It was at first thought that the senate, one-half of the membership of which was appointed by the throne, would be subservient, but early in its existence it developed a striking independence and exhibited a spirit that was almost rebellious.

When a few weeks ago this attitude was changed notably, the general belief was that the body had been intimidated. An increased number of troops in the streets was mistaken as an evidence of the government's determination to suppress the activities of the provincial delegates and their supporters.

Changed Their Tactics.

It appears now that these and others who urged a still earlier meeting of parliament had no intention of abandoning their campaign, but simply altered their tactics and embarked upon a plan of private, though undoubtedly forceful, persuasion.

At a series of secret sessions, it was decided that they would not further tolerate a grand council which was not responsible to the imperial senate and would not execute that assembly's resolutions.

Briefly stated, that senate resolved to relieve Prince Chuen, the regent, of absolute power and make the cohntry a constitutional empire forthwith.

The reported compliance of the throne is regarded as a compromise. The senate will not press for an immediate parliament, but proposes to conduct the government on a single chamber basis until 1913.

It is understood the venerable Prince Ching, of Boxer memory the present power behind the throne, will retire and that Duke Tsai-Tse will become prime minister.

BOYS NOT TO SEW MUSLIN ARTICLES

School Superintendent at Chicago Suddenly Ends Teachers' Plan.

Chicago, Dec. 9.—The "rough and virile mannerisms" that make for the success of Chicago boys are not to give place to the veneer of Boston boys, if Chicago papas and Supt. of Schools Ella Flagg Young can prevent.

Those school teachers—the women are under suspicion—who thought they would "rub off the rough places" by having the boys sew articles of dainty white muslin, have discovered that neither the fathers nor the superintendent approve of that method.

Mrs. Young embodied her ideas on the subject in a circular letter sent to the teachers, in which she emphatically set forth that boys should not be called upon to make anything with a needle that they would not have use for themselves.

If boys must use a needle instead of a hammer or saw, Mrs. Young says she believes they might make such articles as these:

Coarse marble bags.
Bags for skates.
Carpenters' aprons.
Heavy mittens.

The trouble began some days ago when the course of sewing in the elementary grades was opened to boys as well as girls. The boys, it was discovered, had been put to sewing white muslin.

After accomplishing the seemingly impossible task of handling the needle and thimble, the boys went home and "bragged" before fathers who never had conquered those household implements.

But, contrary to their expctations, the fathers weren't proud of their sons' accomplishments. On the contrary, they indignantly complained to Mrs. Young, asking why such useless tasks should be set for otherwise manly boys.

"3 Winners" $10 Suit Sale.

Four hundred pure wool suits to select from—browns, grays, blacks, fancy mixtures, and blue serges, all sizes up to forty-six breast measure; guaranteed values at $18 and $20, now only $10 at the "3 Winners," 115 East Superior street.

BURGLARS, BEWARE!

Ticker Now Will Catch You If You Are Not Careful.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 9.—A new police and fire signaling apparatus has been tried in Pittsburg and pronounced a great success. It is the invention jointly of Superintendent of Police Thomas A. McQuaide and Jail Warden Edward Lewis.

It consists of a system of lights by night and bells by day at the patrol boxes, the lights and bells being so arranged that a policeman will never be out of sight or hearing of his boxes. Within three minutes it is claimed every policeman in the city can be told of a murder or robbery by this system.

If the description of an offender is given the police by the informant it will be found nicely typewritten out for each officer by the time he reaches his box, a ticker service being used for this. Chief McQuaide declares by the new system a burglar can be surrounded by officers in any part of the city within five minutes after an alarm is turned in.

Buy Red Cross Stamps and Help the Fight Against Tuberculosis.

Kris & Rose Co.

COR. FIRST AVE. EAST AND SUPERIOR STREET.

Baby Bonnets

The Baby Wants a Bonnet for Christmas — Bearskin and plush bonnets at **75¢, 65¢, 59¢ 48¢** and **39¢**, other bonnets at **98¢** to **$2.50.**

Girls' Dresses

That Girl will appreciate a Dress for Christmas — Girl's Dresses in sizes 2 to 15, in many dark woolen materials, such as serges, wool, flannels and also wash fabrics at **$3.50, $2.98, $1.98, $1.50, $1.25** and **98¢.**

A Christmas Gift is Worthy of the Name Only When It's Useful

WHEN you are buying a Christmas present, think of the useful part it is going to play at the hands of the recipient before you decide. Ornamental and fancy articles might be momentarily pleasant for the eye, but momentarily only, and soon after Christmas that useless nick-nack is laid aside and forgotten. Articles of most appreciation and worth, such as Furs, Hand Bags, Fur Coats, Sweater Coats and Footwear can be bought for the same outlay of money, and in many instances for less than what you would be required to pay for things not half so appropriate, not near as useful. We offer you herewith a list of gift suggestions for Ladies, Gentlemen, Boys and Girls, at prices so modest that we know of no other store in this city that is giving such grand values.

New Arrival of Plush Coats $19.50

Yesterday's express brought us more of those full 54-inch length Black Plush Coats, satin lined and which we have priced at only $19.50—the same as before, notwithstanding the fact that plushes have gone way up

The supply is limited and we would urge your immediate purchase of one of these handsome plush coats that are offered you at such a low price.

Plush Coats of actual $25.00 value—and you cannot buy them elsewhere for less—at only... **$19.50**

Black Caracul, Full Length Coats—Satin lined, at... **$16.50**

Russian Pony Coats — In full and three-quarter length at $47.50, $39.75 $38.50 and... **$37.50**

Brown, Full Length Coney Fur Coats at... **$37.50**

Three-quarter length brown and black Coney Fur Coats, at. **$25.00**

Suits Are Selling at 1/3 Off!

Women's Tailored Suits that were $14.50, now....	$9.66
Women's Tailored Suits that were $16.50, now..	$11.00
Women's Tailored Suits that were $18.00, now..	$12.00
Women's Tailored Suits that were $19.50, now..	$13.00
Women's Tailored Suits that were $22.50, now..	$15.00
Women's Tailored Suits that were $25.00, now...	$16.66

Give That Girl a Set of Furs

A wide selection of various fur sets for girls, aged 2 to 15, can be seen here at very attractive figures, as for instance you can buy:

Gray or White Caracul Sets for children, aged 2 to 5, with or without purse on muff, at per set $1.25 and... **98c**

Child's Brown Coney Fur Set with purse in muff—for girls aged 2 to 6, per set, only... **$1.48**

Brown Coney Fur Set; for girls aged 4 to 8, with purse in muff — at, per set, only... **$1.98**

Brown Coney Fur Sets; for girls 8 to 10; at only... **$2.98**

Brown Coney Shawl Collar and Pillow Muff, Girl's Fur Sets — trimmed with white furs; for girls 8 to 12, at only... **$3.50**

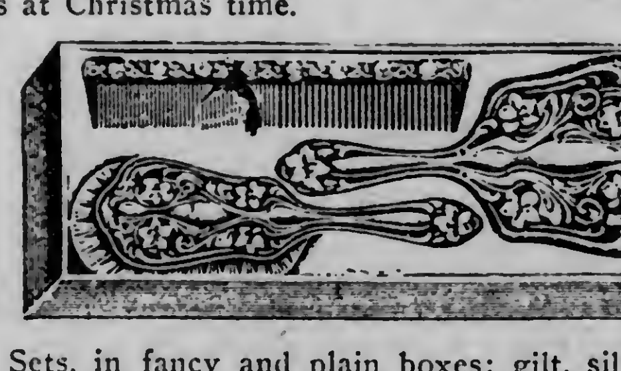
Large Size Coney Fur Sets; for girls 12 to 16 years, shawl collar and pillow muff, at, per set... **$3.98**

Black Plush Girl's Sets, at... **$2.50**

Girl's Gray Squirrel Sets; for girls 12 to 16 years, per set... **$4.98**

Toilet Sets at $2.25 and $1.98

We've prepared especially for Chirstmas trade a well selected assortment of Toilet Sets and various other fancy articles which we thought essential for accommodation of our patrons at Christmas time.



Toilet Sets, in fancy and plain boxes; gilt, silvered or celluloid, at **$3.50, $2.98, $2.25, $1.98 $1.50** and... **98c**

Perfume Sets, in fancy boxes at **75¢, 59¢, 50¢, 35¢** and... **15c**

Infants' Toilet Sets at... **65¢, 59¢, 48¢** and **29¢**

Rhinestone Hat Pins at **$1.98, $1.50, $1.25, 98¢** and... **75c**

Belt Buckles at... **75¢, 50¢** and **25¢**

Rhinestone Set Fancy Back Combs at **$2.50, $1.50, $1.25** and... **98c**

Announcement

Beginning Monday, December 12th and until Christmas, this store will be open evenings till 10, to accommodate our patrons who cannot shop during the day.

Gifts for Ladies

Hand Bags—$4.50, $3.95, $2.50, $1.98, $1.50 and $1.25.
Fur Sets—$39.50, $35.00, $30.00, $25.00, $19.50, $14.95, $12.50, $9.50, $7.50 $6.50, $4.50 and $3.50.
Single Muffs—$16.50, $12.50, $10.00 and $7.50.
Fur Hand Bag Muffs—$8.50, $7.50 and $6.50.
Gloves, kid—$2.00, $1.50 and $1.00.
Gloves, wool and fleeced lisle—50c, 35c and 25c.
Handkerchiefs—10c, 15c, 25c, 50c.
Long Kimonos—$3.98, $1.98, $1.48, $1.25 and 98c.
Short Kimonos—59c and 48c.
Fancy Aprons—65c, 50c, 35c and 25c.
Silk Scarfs—$1.98, $1.75, $1.50 and $1.25.
Garters, in individual boxes, at 25c, 35c and 50c.
Waists—98c, $1.25, $1.50, $1.98 and up to $8.50.
Phoenix Mufflers—50c and 25c.
Fascinators and Wool Shawls—$1.25, 98c, 75c, 48c and 29c.
Sweater Coats—$2.98, $3.50, $4.50 and $6.50.
Slippers, felt with fur or plain tops—$1.48, $1.25 and 98c.
Leather House Slippers, felt lined—$1.75, $1.48 and $1.25.
Wool or Silk Dresses—$12.50, $14.50, $19.50 and up to $24.50.
Pony Coats—$47.50, $39.75, $38.50 and $37.50.
Coney Fur Coats—$37.50, $34.75 and $25.
Cloth Coats—$7.50, $12.50, $14.50 and up to $27.50.
Suits—$11.00 up.
Trimmed Hats—$2.00 to $5.00.
Brilliant Hat Pins—$1.98, $1.50, $1.25, 98c and 75c.
Back Combs—25c to $2.50.

Gifts for Gentlemen

Ties—25c.
Handkerchiefs—10c and 15c.
Silk Mufflers—$1.50 and $1.00.
"Phoenix" Knitted Mufflers—50c and 25c.
Suspenders—50c and 25c.
Shirts—50c, $1.00, $1.50, $2.00.
Wool Gloves—50c and 25c.
Sweater Coats—$2.50 and $1.98.
Leather House Slippers—65c, 98c, $1.25 and $1.50.

Gifts for Girls

Fur Sets—$1.25, $1.50, $1.98, $2.50, $2.98, $4.00, $5.00 and $6.50.
Fleeced Lisle Gloves—25c.
Dresses—59c, 75c, 98c, $1.50, $1.98, $2.50, $3.50 and up to $7.50.
Coats—$2.50, $2.98, $3.50, $4.50, $4.95, $6.50 and $7.50.
Sweater Coats—98c, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75.
Hats—98c, $1.50, $2.50, and $3.50.

Gifts for Boys

Suits—$1.98, $2.50, $3.50, $4.50.
Overcoats—$2.98, $3.98.
Sweater Coats—69c, 98c, $1.25, $1.50.
Warm Fleeced Leather Mitts—50c, 35c and 25c.
Winter Caps—50c, 35c, 25c.
Leather Top Rubbers—$1.48, $1.65, $1.85, $1.98.
German Socks—59c and 50c.

Gifts for Baby

Bearskin Coats—$2.48, $2.98.
Opossum Coats—$4.50.
White Plush Coats—$3.50.
Black Plush Coats—$4.98.
Baby Bonnets—39c, 48c, 59c, 75c, 98c and up to $2.50.
Cloth Coats—$1.48, $2.50, $3.00, $3.50.
Baby Kimonos—25c.
Wool Mitts—10c, 15c, 25c.
Baby Rattles—10c, 15c.
Baby Toilet Sets—69c, 48c, 29c.

Leather Hand Bags Are the Nicest of Gifts

You cannot possibly err in your judgment of gift selection when you include a Hand Bag in your list for one of the gentle sex. The bags we offer are absolutely all leather throughout, notwithstanding the fact that they are priced very moderately.

Large Size, Broken Bottom Leather Bags—with silvered or gilt metal frame, at... **$1.50**

Broken or Round Bottom, 10 and 12-inch Leather Bags—leather lined—at... **$1.25**

Seal Grained Leather Bags, with ornamental engraved silver frame—lavender serge lined, at... **$1.98**

Combination Bags of Solid Leather, containing perfume bottle, powder box, mirror and inside purse, beautifully lined with lavender serge, at... **$2.75**

Large Size Leather Broken Bottom Bags, with monogram flap—at... **$2.48**

What's a Handsomer Present than a

SET OF FURS!

It's no wonder that furs sell best around Christmas time for people have learned to know that to give a set of Furs is to give something that will be highly appreciated by the recipient more than any other article you can think of.

Come in and pick the Fur Set you want—a small deposit will hold it till Christmas.

Black Fox Shawl Collar and Pillow Muff Sets—Our price only... **$12.50**

Black and Brown Coney Rug Muff and medium size Scarf Sets, at... **$6.50**

Finest quality extra large size Indianhead pattern, cape style, shawl collar and large open rug muff—French Coney Fur Sets, at... **$14.95**

Black Fox Sets of elaborate design, in cape effect, collar and novelty pattern muffs — at per set $29.50, $25.00 and... **$22.50**

Black Lynx Sets — Shawl collar—open rug muff—at... **$35.00**

Blue Wolf Set of large shawl collar and rug muff at... **$19.50**

Jap Mink Sets at $35.00, $32.50 and... **$25.00**

Mink Sets at $45.00, $39.50, $35.00 and... **$29.50**

Single Scarfs of coney fur, in black and brown — at $3.98, $2.98, $1.98 and.. **$1.25**

Single Muffs at $10.00, $7.50, $4.98, $3.50 and... **$2.98**

Children's Fur Sets at $3.50, $2.98, $1.98, $1.50, $1.25 and... **98c**

Brown Opossum Pillow Muff and Shawl Collar Fur Sets, at... **$7.50**

Beautifully striped, brown Marmot shawl collar and large pillow muff sets, at... **$14.50**

Brown and Black Marabough Muffs, at.. **$9.50**

Brown Marabough Shawl Collars and Scarfs at $9.50 and... **$6.50**

Fur Muff Hand Bags at $8.50, $7.50 and. **$6.50**

Give Her Gloves

The Kid and Cape Gloves we sell at $1.50, $1.25 and $1.00 are warranted absolutely perfect—a new pair if they tear.

Women's "Beatrice" black, white and colored Kid Gloves, fully warranted, at... **$1.00**

Women's Heavy Cape Tan Gloves, one clasp, at... **$1.25**

Women's Fine Imported Kid Gloves — La Perle brand — black, champagne and other colors.... **$1.50**

Women's Fleece Lisle and Silk Lined Jersey Gloves, in black, tan and other colors, at **50c, 35c** and... **25c**

Girls' Silk Lined Jersey Gloves—navy, brown and gray, at... **25c**

Infants' Wool Mittens at... **25c, 15c and 10c**

Boys' Leather Mittens; warm fleeced lined, at... **25c**

Half-Price Buys any Hat in the Store--Half-Price

IT'S HIGHLY GRATIFYING TO US

The way Duluth women respond to our ads. People are so used to hear about Half Price Sales in every-day print, that they usually don't pay much attention to such statements unless it is made by a reputable concern, (you can count them on your fingers in Duluth and have some to spare—ad man). If the number of people who respond to our sales announcements counts for anything, you may be pleased to know that on Thursday alone, the first day after our Half Price Millinery Sale was announced, we sold 128 hats—some record for reliability—isn't it?

Here is the way the price tickets stand—there are a very few higher priced Hats not exceeding $12.50, however, that we are not listing here. The bulk of our Millinery stock is priced as follows:

$3.00 HATS, CUT IN HALF	$1.50
$3.50 HATS, CUT IN HALF	$1.75
$4.00 HATS, CUT IN HALF	$2.00
$4.50 HATS, CUT IN HALF	$2.25
$5.00 HATS, CUT IN HALF	$2.50
$5.50 HATS, CUT IN HALF	$2.75
$6.00 HATS, CUT IN HALF	$3.00
$6.50 HATS, CUT IN HALF	$3.25
$6.95 HATS, CUT IN HALF	$3.98
$7.50 HATS, CUT IN HALF	$3.75

Tailored Hats and Untrimmed Shapes Are ALSO HALF PRICE

$1.25 SHAPES, ARE NOW	63c
$1.48 SHAPES, ARE NOW	74c
$1.75 SHAPES, ARE NOW	88c
$1.98 SHAPES, ARE NOW	99c
$2.25 SHAPES, ARE NOW	$1.12
$2.50 SHAPES, ARE NOW	$1.25
$3.00 SHAPES, ARE NOW	$1.50

Slippers for Gifts

You can select her Slippers at any price you choose to pay in either felt, felt lined and leather.

Ladies' Felt Juliets, with or without fur tops, at $1.25 and **98c**

Ladies' gray, rose, brown, maroon and black Felt Juliets—"Dolgeville" brand—at $1.48 and... **$1.25**

Ladies' Carpet Slippers at... **25c**

Ladies' Leather Slippers, fur tops and felt lined, beaded vamp, at... **$1.48**

Gentlemen's Black, all leather, House Slippers at... **98c**

Gentlemen's Tan and Black House Slippers, opera or Everett, at $1.50 and... **$1.25**

Gentlemen's Carpet Slippers at... **25c**

Lambs' Wool Insoles for crochet slippers for ladies', gentlemen's and children's slippers at 35c, 29c and... **25c**

YOUR friends will appreciate an art-gift bearing the name of "Engels"—For many years that name has stood for absolute reliability in the Duluth art world. It means unimpeachable authenticity. It means more careful attention to framing than SEEMS necessary. It means the BEST that money can buy, although not necessarily a high price. You are cordially invited to visit the store and inspect the splendidly complete stock.

Engels' Art Store
East Superior Street.

20% DISCOUNT
—ON—
FURS

Your choice of any Set of Furs or Fur Garment in our stock at a discount of 20 per cent.

WE CAN AFFORD TO SELL FURS AT LOWER PRICES

For the reasons that we are manufacturers, and save you the middleman's profit: that we buy our skins direct from the trapper—and that we are out of high-rent district.

We are honest in our advertising and when we say that we are offering a discount of 20 per cent on our regular prices, we are in earnest.

If you'll but compare our prices you'll buy here.

Furs to order. Furs repaired.

DULUTH FUR CO.
325 WEST FIRST ST.
Zenith, 624. Melrose, 4836.
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324 WEST SUPERIOR STREET.
For holiday novelties, visit Ye Gifte Guilde. We have an exhibit of Bayberry Dips Imported Embroidery and Leathers, Christmas Cards, Pottery, Coppers and Brasses. Hand-beaten Silver and Hand-wrought Jewelry. You will be rewarded by getting a host of ideas for unusual and individual gifts, if you come to Ye Gifte Guilde.

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We Clean Those Fine Evening Gowns and Dainty Dresses
And make them wear and look like new. Soiled and spotted garments are cleaned perfectly.—'phone us—our wagon will call.
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Is an ideal Piano for the home. More than fifty thousand now in use. Let us tell you more about it.
Sold on Easy Terms.
Hall-Kreidler Music Co.
214 West First Street.

HOLIDAY GOODS
Christmas will be here almost before you know it. Our stock of Holiday goods is now complete.
PERFUMES.
We have the largest assortment of domestic and imported perfumes in the city.
Also our stock of traveling bags and display of ebony goods is certainly handsome, including military brushes, hair brushes, manicure sets, dressing cases, etc; all our goods are sold at rock bottom prices.
WIRTH'S PRESCRIPTION SPECIALISTS
13 WEST SUPERIOR STREET.

CONCERNING WOMAN.

"Sweet Bunch of Daisies" Her First Success as Song Writer

ANITA OWEN

Anita Owen is one of the best known song writers in the United States. She began writing songs when she was 16 years of age and has written many hundreds. Singularly enough her first song was the most successful. It was called "Sweet Bunch of Daisies" and a million copies of it were sold. Miss Owen lived in Chicago then. She now lives in New York.

The important event of the week promises to be the civic banquet to be held tomorrow evening at the Spalding hotel. The affair is being arranged by the Women's Council and has been planned before the departure of the president, Mrs. J. L. Washburn, who will leave early in the new year with her daughter for a trip abroad. The subjects to be discussed in the toasts are all matters of much interest to the citizens of the community and the interest in the affair is wide spread. A large number of tickets have been sold. The members of the organizations represented in the Women's Council, with their husbands, are eligible to attend the banquet.

Mrs. Fannie French Morse, superintendent of the Girls' Training school at Red Wing will arrive tomorrow to be the guest of Mrs. Washburn. This will be Mrs. Morse's first visit to Duluth since coming to Minnesota to be identified with the important work of the training of the delinquent girls of the state. She will speak on that work tomororw evening.

The other woman speaker on the program will be Mrs. Florence Lee, who is the visiting nurse for the Duluth Anti-Tuberculosis society. She will speak of the work of the visiting nurse. The other speakers are Mayor Cullum, who will speak on "The Commission Form of Government," Courtenay Dinwiddie, whose subject will be "Associated Charities" and Watson S. Moore, who will talk of "Some Municipal Needs." Mrs. Washburn, president of the Council will preside. It is expected that a representative group of Duluth men and women will be guests at the affair.

PRESIDENT OF CLUBS

Speaks to Afro-American Citizens.

Mrs. Ione E. Gibbs, president of the State Federation of Afro-American Women's clubs, lectured in Duluth last evening at the St. Mark's A. M. E. church, under the auspices of the Book club of this city, an organization of the Afro-American women of Duluth. The subject of the lecture was "The Man and the Home," and it was well received by the audience, which was made up of many of the negro residents of Duluth and Superior.

"ROMANTIC REVIVAL"

To Be Subject of Lecture By Rev. Gebauer.

Rev. George R. Gebauer will be the first lecturer to appear before the ladies' literature class this year. The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. L. Washburn of Hunter's Park. "The Romantic Revival," will be the subject of the lecture, and the meeting will be held Tuesday afternoon of next week.

ELECT OFFICERS.

Women's Relief Corps Holds Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Women's Relief Corps of the J. B. Culver post was held yesterday afternoon at the Memorial hall in the courthouse. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Mrs. Delma Burnett, president; Mrs. Esther Stitt, senior vice president; Mrs. Etta Tischer, junior vice president; Mrs. Jennie Hamblin, treasurer; Mrs. Margaret Anderson, conductor; Mrs. Barbara Sampson, guard; Mrs. Eliza Kelly, chaplain. Other officers will be appointed later. Delegates to the department convention to be held in St. Paul in June will be Mrs. Lillian Thompson, first delegate; Mrs. Hulda Levi, Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Alice Kaiser and Mrs. Martha Preston. Alternates, Mrs. Heller, Mrs. Alice Carr, Mrs. Eliza Carr, Mrs. Eliza Kelly and Mrs. McMullin.

Dinner at Club.

G. G. Hartley will entertain at a dinner Saturday evening at the Kitchi Gammi club.

Luncheon.

Miss Emelyn McDougall was hostess at a luncheon today in honor of her guest, Miss Lorraine Norris of Minneapolis, and Miss Gertrude Hoopes, who will be a bride of this month. Covers were laid for twelve.

Saturday Club.

At the meeting of the Saturday club to be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the clubroom of the library, Rev. John Walker Powell, will deliver a lecture on "Victor Hugo." The meeting will be an open one and the club women of the city and those interested in the lecture are invited to attend. A social half hour will follow Mr. Powell's address, with Mrs. Cora N. Stevenson in charge of the informal reception.

Card Party.

Mrs. Martin Nickelson of 1219 East Sixth street entertained at cards yesterday afternoon at her home. During the afternoon Miss Florence Nickelson played several piano selections. The guests were:

Mesdames—

Winters	A. E. Paull
S. Wilkinson	Percy Lawson
J. Henderson	

Miss Florence Nickelson.

Vesper Service.

The speaker at the vesper service Sunday afternoon at the Young Women's Christian association will be Mrs. J. D. Morrison. There will be special music.

Personal Mention.

D. H. Costello will leave next week for California to spend the holidays with Mrs. Costello and the children who are there for the winter.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Covey of Minneapolis will be the holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Watterworth.

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Miss Emelyn McDougall has as her guest, Miss Loraine Morris of Minneapolis.

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Mrs. Fred C. Bahr of 2107 West First street has been called to Hubbell, Mich., by the illness of friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Richards have as their guest for the holidays, their daughter, Mrs. J. E. Ransom of Albert Lea, Minn.

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Mr. and Mrs. Stephen H. Jones will leave this evening for a week's trip to Chicago.

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Miss Mae Wylie and Miss Gladys Reynolds have returned from a few days at Virginia, Minn.

The Nursery

Stammering.

It is a strange fact that according to the recent report, on the health of school children, stammering is found to be three times more frequent in the case of boys than of girls, and so far no reason for this can be suggested. Children very often show a tendency to stammer when very young, which a little later they overcome with ease. This is probably due to their inability to frame their thoughts or wishes in words because of having at their command a very limited vocabulary. It is a bad habit, or the beginning of one, and can be checked if a little care is taken with the child's speech.

He should be brought to attention, as it were, when it is noticed, made to repeat the sentence properly and slowly, giving every word its full value, and in most cases there will be no more trouble.

Children are very strongly imitative, and it will often be found where the habit suddenly appears that the child has been associating with someone who stammers. Here, again, the proper treatment is to correct the habit firmly whenever it is practiced, and, of course, if possible, to keep the imitator away from his model.

Very often, however, stammering is an affection of the nerves, and it may be so persistent that medical advice is needed. You will notice that a boy stammers when speaking to strangers or when asked a question somewhat suddenly. He has no defect of any kind, but is merely nervous, and a sharp reproof will only make him worse. Anyone who has to do with such a case will find that the easiest and quickest way to effect a cure will be to refrain from looking at the boy while he is speaking, and if he should come to a momentary stop, to wait patiently, still without directly meeting his eyes, till he has recovered himself.

In really bad cases skilled treatment may be necessary, and many teachers make a specialty of different good systems. In any case, stammering is such a painful affection, both to the sufferer himself and his hearers, that every effort should be made in early youth to overcome the defect.

THE EVENING STORY

A Demerara Burglary

By Alfred S. Betts.

It was a glorious Sunday afternoon. Four young men, idly lounging on the veranda of the overseer's quarters, sought rest after a week's sweltering under a tropical sun. The hot season being at its height, cool shade and refreshing breezes were indeed welcome. They have been discussing the numerous recent burglaries on the coast, but conversation lagging, drowsiness was creeping over them when Laurier, the light-hearted, remarked in a quiet voice:

"Most extrordinary."

Three pairs of eyes opened and three pairs of lips emitted puffs of fragrant smoke to utter the monosyllable:

"What?"

"What Yarrell told me."

"Oh, it's one of Yarrell's, is it?" murmured the others.

"Why, he thinks he has the thieves among the last draft of Chinese sent to this estate."

"Wonderful man, Yarrell, for curiosities."

"Oh, be original if you must interrupt; everybody has said that hundreds of times before," remarked Laurier. "He says the head of the draft men hinted to him that in his own country he was a professional thief, but so long as Yarrell gave him protection he would be immune from depredation. 'Consummate ipudence,' Yarrell called it."

"Consumate impudence on his part to relate such a yarn."

"I think it an extraordinary confession," Laurier concluded.

"Say rather, uncredible," put in Grahame.

"Nonsense, why isn't it quite possible?" asked Davis.

"Because it's preposterous."

"But look at the robberies we have just been discussing," Davis persisted.

"Only commonplace pilfering," Barlow replied.

"Not that one at the doctor's: surely that was too clever to be commonplace."

"What was that?" asked Grahame.

"Only the other night while you were in Georgetown, the doctor being away; Mrs. Baines thought to combine security with comfort this sultry weather, and bedded the whole family, herself, children and nurse, on the floor of their big nursery, placing the household plate in a cupboard on the side opposite to the windows. All was safe the first night, but on the second morning the silver was missing and footprints showed that the thief had passed several times from the window over and among the sleeping forms on the floor. The goods, too, had been sorted, the silver taken and the plated left. Now, who but an uncanny Chinese could have managed so silently and adroitly?"

And Davis looked around on his listeners with an air of conviction.

"The colored nurse," said Barlow.

"I don't think so," Davis replied. "She has been in the family since a child; besides the sorting of the silver—no, it was the work of a heathen Chinese," said Laurier. "I shall lock my few valuables away in safety."

"But not necessarily Yarrell's," Barlow insisted.

"Yarrel's or not, I agree with Davis, it was a Chinese," said Laurier. "I shall lock my things away."

"Rot," exclaimed Barlow. "I'll warrant no thief visits such a poverty-stricken hole as this. I shall lock up nothing."

"Nor I," said Grahame. "If any rascal goes into my room I have my revolver."

"To kill or maim with sleepy aim?"

Just then a sturdy negro boy came up, and, looking slyly at Davis, said with an all-embracing grin:

"Got noos fo' tell, massa."

"News, Quashie? Out with it."

"Yo' know Massa John, de oberseer on Richland?" this confidentially.

"Yes."

"An' Massa Jeffrey?"

"Yes."

'An' Mass—"

"Tom'kins?"

Grahame got up, and the young scapegrace retreated to the gallery steps.

"Come here and finish your story,' Davis ordered.

"No, sah, not till Massa Gra'me sit down 'gen."

As Grahame took a step in his direction, he slid nimbly out of sight. The next moment he appeared in the yard below, and, making a trumpet of his hands, bawled:

"De t'eeves broke into the 'ouse las' night and stole ebrything dey got. Per'aps dey come heah nex'." Then, flinging his heels impudently as he ran, he fled.

The four men looked at each other in silence. So far burglars had been but things to chat about, but now that the overseers had fallen victims, there was quite another aspect to the mater.

Then Laurier laughed.

"It's serious," said Davis solemnly. "Grahame, do lock you cups and other athletic trophies up."

'There's no necissity," the athlete replied.

"You think not, but if I were you, I would at least send them to a place of safety."

"Nonsense; I can deal with any thief."

'It would not be pleasant to have a shooting affair in the house."

"Oh, if you are going to be nervous, I won't shoot anyone. When I spoke of my revolver I was romancing. Look here, if any Chinaman gets into my room I will undertake to keep him there until he is handed over to the proper authorities," Grahame answered stoutly.

Barlow had sporting tendencies and the chance of a wager was not to be lost.

"I will bet you $5, Grahame, you don't 'handle and hold' any thief who gets into your room, be he Chinaman or any other nationality," he said.

"It's a bet," said the lazy athlete with a stretch; and Barlow booked the wager.

The tropical night was moonless, the air heavy and oppresive; a dank mist floated above the ground; the stars, usually so bright, were lazy and gave but little light; everything indicated the approach of a rainstorm.

A man emerged from a neighboring bush and crept stealthily towards the overseer's quarters. He was small and lithe; decidedly delicate of the smallest obstacle in his path, he moved noiselessly, yet freely, as though to the manner born, and made his way to Bob Grahame's room. His skin had not the yellow of a Chinaman, but the black of a negro.

After a busy minute or two, the window was noiselessly raised a few inches, and the thief peered within; when his eyes grew accustomed to the gloom he saw that the inmate was sleeping soundly. The window went up, moving imperceptibly, and the man crawled in, carefully feeling around for strings or alarm springs, which his fingers would find instinctively.

As all was clear, he stepped within and stretched out his hand; nothing opposing it, he took a step or two further into the room, when his hand detected a string tautly drawn across the chamber.

He knew these strings; had met them before; a pair of scissors taken from his belt snipped it through and then— there was a swishing, falling sound behind him and the rattle of heavy metal near the bed.

He turned to fly and the next moment leaped up convulsively with a sharp cry, only to descend and spring up again and again. As he snatched his ready knife from his belt, he received a blow on the arm, which sent the weapon flying into a corner. Recovering himself instantly, he eluded Bob's grasp and rushed to the door. It was locked.

"Why not get through the window again, old man?" Bob asked, with a derisive laugh, as he contemplated his victim in the obscurity of the room.

But the man hesitated and Bob leaped upon him. There was a short, sharp struggle, but again he escaped Bob's grasp easily, the midget besting the giant. As he approached the window, which Bob had drawn down, he once more sprang upward with a cry of pain and limped back into the room.

Bob heard a huge thumping outside the door and voices calling, "Let us in Bob, let us in."

"Wait a minute," he answered, with a cheery laugh. "I have got him here and handled him, but as yet I have not held him. I am going in fine form and winning Barlow's money easily."

Then he made another dash at his elusive prey, trying to close with him. But the man was like an eel, slipping from his usually tenacious grasp and disappearing. Never had he tackled such a slippery customer. He felt that he must circumvent him and so he drew a sheet from the bedstead, and groped under it, his hand encountered the man's heel and he secured a grasp on it and drew him forth.

"I am holding him now," he called out. "No, I am hanged if I am," he cried a moment afterwards as the man slipped from his grasp.

From without came more urgent demands of admission.

The man was scrambling to his feet again when Bob deftly threw the sheet over him, and rolling him over securely, bundled him up by knotting the four corners together. Then he opened the door triumphantly exclaiming:

"Got him."

His friends rushed in and as their lights fell on the weird figure before them their laughter became uncontrolable

"Never saw anything so funny in my life," said Tom Laurier. "Why, Bob, you are a black and white man," he added, as he held his aching sides.

Truly Grahame presented a ludicrous sight. His torn night shirt hung in black and white shreds about him, his face and bare portions of his limbs being thickly streaked with inky blackness.

Lifting the bundle of the man from the floor, he held it in his great arms, and, looking at Barlow, exclaimed:

"Behold, I handle and hold him."

"Is he that?" asked Barlow, but his question was unnecessary—the vigorous struggle in the bundle gave ample indications of the burglar's whereabouts.

Bob laid his burden down and opened it. The creature that stepped out was even more ludicrous than Bob Grahame himself. The little man, save for his best, was mostly a shining black from head to heel. He was striped with streaks and splashes of a pale yellow color.

"Why, Bob, you have captured a zebra-marked thief," exclaimed Davis, "and he is Yarrell's man after all."

"Confound the knave, I thought he was a nigger, but he is a Chin-Chin smeared all over with blackened grease; no wonder I couldn't hold him"

When the roars of laughter had subsided somewhat, Barlow grasped Grahame's hand.

"You have fairly won," he said. "It was a daring thing to do, as evidenced by the knife there. Now tell us how you managed it."

"Easily enough," Bob replied, laughingly. "Just a length of string attached to a tea tray and a few pounds of tin tacks, which I suspended over the window. I wonder you fellows didn't think of that as a protection against the barefooted marauders."

"But how did you manage among them yourself?"

"Slept in my boots," was Bob's laconic reply.

Young Men and Maidens

By MISS EXPERIENCE

A Question of Sisters.

"I have had a sweetheart for a year," confides 'Bert,' and she has a sister. now it seems the sister, too, has taken a fancy to me. When the second one speaks to me it makes mine jealous, and it seems to be setting them against each other. What should I do—stop going to the house and only meet my one out?"

That seems like a good plan. It is unfortunate that there should be such awkwardness, but as it exists, it is better not to increase it. If you are in a position to become engaged it would be better to ask the sister you want to marry you, and so settle the matter.

Right to Write.

"I parted from my lover because he was not steady," 'Puzzled' tells me. "I told him I would not see him till he altered. Now I heard from a friend he had met her and told her he has reformed and wanted my address. She couldn't give it to him. Should I write? My friend only knows the name of the town he is in."

How unlucky, isn't it? I should write in my case. If you only put the name of the town he may get the letter, or you could put an advertisement in a local paper asking for his address. It seems such a pity you should not come together again, after all that has been and when he has tried so hard to grow steady and win you.

Love Grown Cold.

The man who was paying "Janet" attention at first was very devoted. "Then he left the town, and though he writes, still his letters have grown shorter and colder. We were not actually engaged, but on the verge of it, and I feel it terribly."

Write and say that you find there is a change in his letters, and ask if he would like the correspondence to cease and if he is tired of it. If he is, it is far better yor you to know it at once and not go on in this miserable state of uncertaintly.

My Lad.

By A. REITH.

He is just a little midget,
  With a rougish, laughing eye,
You may see him any morning
  At the gate, as you pass by.

You may hear his laughter ringing,
  And it would be worth your while
Were you feeling world weary,
  Just to catch his sunny smile.

He's a little imp of mischief,
  From his toes up to his crown,
From the sunshine of his laughter
  To the shadow of his frown.

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DUKE GAVE UP TITLE

Now in New York and Plans to Crush Black Hand.

Lineage Entitles Him to Sit at King's Left Hand.

New York, Dec. 9.—Every evening a small, swarthy man with black snapping eyes and a lofty forehead sits down in his litle Harlem flat at 3129 Broadway and patiently works on the solution of a problem that is keeping Deputy Police Commissioner Flynn and his detectives on the anxious seat—the Black Hand outrages.

He is Tomaso Pugliatti, duca di San Giorgio, or duke of St. George in plain English. But in spite of his title he is far from being a fortune hunter, for he brought with him from sunny Calabria a little wife, whom he adores and who is his constant associate in his work.

On Saturday he marched down to the federal court and became just plain American Citizen Thomas Pugliatti. Yet his lineage is so ancient that he is entitled to sit on the left-hand side of the king of Italy on state occasion, for one of his ancestors was created duke of San Giorgio in 1275 by Carlo di Angio, king of Southern Italy. Later another ancestor was made a duke of the Holy Roman empire by Emperor Charles V.

Member of Knightly Orders.

He is a commander of the knightly orders of the alta and Jerusalem, founded during the second crusade, when Richard the Lion Hearted tried, with his brother Christian monarchs, to drive the Saracens from the Holy Land. On his coat of arms he is entitled to bear a princely as well as a ducal coronet.

During the day Citizen-Duke Pugliatti is a professor in New York university, teaching Italian literature. But at night he plunges into the work that first brought him to America, and which he hopes will put an end to Black Hand crimes.

As an Italian himself, he says he understands the mental twists of his countrymen and is sure that he can deal with them as an Anglo-Saxon never could. In a nutshell, his plan is to create a board, preferably of Italians, who shall meet all Italian immigrants. These immigrants will be forced to attend a school conducted by the board, at which they will be taught the duties of American citizenship. The perils of crime will be impressed upon them together with the assurance that if they commit any criminal act they will be deported or sent to prison for long terms.

"All this my board will do," the duke explained to a reporter for The World last night, "but there is one other thing which it will do, upon which I base my greatest hopes for success.

"My countrymen, you know, are very hospitable. They appreciate hospitality. So we will impress upon the immigrants that when the United States admits them it is extending the hospitality of the country to them. Like if I should take one of them into my home and entertain him—just like that, poof! And if they commit a crime it will be as serious a breach of hospitality as if my visitor smashed up my furniture.

Likes America's Social System.

"When they see the matter in that light everything will be different. You will see. If I am successful in establishing my board—Ha, in a few years the black hand outrages will be a thing of the past. The Italian immigrants will be as good citizens as I am going to try to be."

"How does it happen that a man of your rank voluntarily abandons his prestige and titles to become a plain American citizen " the duke was asked.

"Because I like the social system of this country," he replied quickly. "Because I honor this country."

"In the Old World, if a man works he loses his social caste. Ugh! that system is bringing about the decay of those countries. Here everybody works. It is honorable to work. And I want to be a citizen of such a land, where work, not accident of birth, is noble.'

While the Pugliatti family is ancient, the Poerio, his mother's family, is still older. The Poerio are descended from the royal family of mediaeval Normandy, whose reigning dukes seized England from the Saxons. Joseph Poerio, the duke's grandfather, was viceroy of Southern Italy under Ferdinand, king of the Bourban kingdom of the Two Sicilies. He himself was born in Cartongaro, Italy, on June 28, 1870.

MAN IS FOUND JUST IN TIME

Lost in Maine Woods and Decided to End His Life.

Bangor, Me., Dec. 9. — Lost in the dense woods in a blinding snow storm since Wednesday of last week, John Pope of Waterville was about to shoot himself when he was found by Ernest Gibbons and F. H. Farley, two New York sportsmen, and carried on a stretcher to Blanchard.

Pope started from a shooting camp six miles from Shirley to go deer hunting. It was snowing and early Wednesday morning he broke his pocket compass and lost all sense of direction. He built a fire under the lee of a pine stump and spent Wednesday night there. On Thursday he staggered through the deep snow all day, arriving at a deserted camp that night. His matches had become wet, but he had put them in his hair under his hat and dried them sufficiently to build a fire. He found some tea in a can and made two cups, drinking the grounds to appease his hunger.

He traveled through the snow Friday until late in the afternoon. He had given up hope and was about to shoot himself, he says, when he came upon the camp which Gibbons and Farley were just leaving.

MARRIAGE FOR MONEY

Is the Aim of Most Americans, Says One Savant.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 9.—Dr. David Starr Jordan of Leland Stanford university, in a verbal skirmish here with President Marion Leroy Burton of Smith college, declared that American men are as a whole idealistic on the question of marriage and despise the European custom of marrying for money. Dr. Burton retorted that to the contrary commercialism and materialism pervade the lives of most American men.

"Let no one think I am pessimistic,' said Dr. Burton. "I say these things because I am an American. If any other person stood on this platform and said these things I would resent it. As educators, however, it is our duty to acknowledge truth."

"However bad he is," replied Dr. Jordan, "in my opinion the young American is the most idealistic and the least commercial of the young men of all nations."

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DRINK CAUSED DOWNFALL

Of Noted Surgeon Who Is Dying at Los Angeles.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 9.—Dying a public ward, at one time one of the most prominent physicians and surgeons of the world, Dr. Michael J. Keating is now at the county hospital. Dr. Keating, who is 77 years old, is a native of Ireland and graduated from the Royal College of Surgeons in 1868. He went to London in 1869 and was granted a professor's degree at the King and Queen's college of physicians in that year. For two years he was superintendent of the Rotunda hospital in Vienna, which is the second largest hospital building in the world.

In 1872 he came to the United States where he obtained a position as examining physician with the United States marine corps and also filled responsible positions at Annapolis and for the immigration bureau. The doctor admits that his downfall is due to drink, and says that he broke his father's heart through his indulgence in intoxicants.

Dr. Keating is very well connected, his brother-in-law being George Routledge, the largest book publisher in the world. Anotherbrother-in-law is Henry J. Gill, who twice has been a member of parliament for Dublin.

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LONG SEARCH FOR DAUGHTERS

Is in Vain and Near-Centenarian Gives Up the Quest.

Mobile, Ala., Dec. 9.—"Yes, I have given up the quest, I am 98 years of age, and can walk no longer." Such was the statement of Frank Schrom, who lacks two years of being a century in age, shortly after he reached Mobile from New Orleans, after a brief stay in Biloxi.

After working from New Orleans to San Francisco and back in quest of his two daughters, the aged man has arrived in Mobile to enter a Catholic home for indigent and old people in this city. His daughters are Frances Schrom, a spinster of about 52, and Mrs. Josephine Fleischkamp, 301 Baltimore street, San Francisco. As it took the old man four months to walk the distance and his daughters received no word from him during that time it appears that they had decided he had died, so when he arrived at San Francisco he found that Mr. Fleischkamp had sold out his business, a plumbing establishment, and, taking his wife, and sister-in-law, had left for other scenes.

Some neighbors reported that they had gone to Southern California to buy an orange grove; others said they had gone to Pittsburg.

HANDSHAKES DANGEROUS.

Much More So Than Kissing, Declares Colorado Professor.

Denver, Colo., Dec. 9.—Prof. Frank E. Thompson, who occupies the chair of education at the University of Colorado, is for kissing.

Instead of issuing preachments against osculation, says Prof. Thopmson, educators and instructors ought to warn against the common handshake.

In this position Prof. Thompson takes issue with Herr Knopf, whose name is a sufficient guaranty of his high standing in the medical profession. Knopf in New York recently issued a warning against the kiss. His words impressed State Superintendent of Schools Katherine M. Cook, and in a circular issued to the teachers of the state she repeated Knopf's interdiction.

"There's nothing unhygienic in kissing, compared with handshaking," says Prof. Thompson. "Almost every hand incloses within the recesses of the nails or tissues millions of germs, which are communicated by the act of shaking hands."

You haven't read all of today's news that's important to you until you've read the ads.

WELLESLEY BARS FUN TO SAVE FOR BIG BUILDING.

Wellesley, Mass., Dec. 9.—No more breakfast parties, no more chocolates, no more bridge, no more toast and tea at the inn, no more cab rides if Wellesley college is to raise the $100,000 necessary for the student building.

This is the verdict of Miss Dorothy Applegate, an energetic senior, who is heading the movement for a building similar to the Harvard union. Adoption of these plans in one week has brought in $100. In the meantime Wellesley groans. Even the poor faculty plod on foot to save carriage fare. Cab-
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NO TRUST IN COAL FOUND

Court Dismisses Suit Against Anthracite Coal Combination.

Finds Temple Iron Company Illegal in Philadelphia Case.

Philadelphia, Dec. 9.—The United States circuit court here this afternoon dismissed the suit filed by the government to dissolve the so-called anthracite coal trust, but declared the Temple Iron company to be a combination in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law and therefore illegal.

The suit was filed on June 12, 1907, and the defendants included the Reading company, Philadelphia & Reading railway, Lehigh Valley railroad, Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad, Central Railroad of New Jersey, Erie railroad, New York, Susquehanna & Western, Philadelphia & Reading Coal & Iron company, Lehigh Valley Coal company, Lehigh & Wilkesbarre Coal company, Pennsylvania Coal company, Hillside Coal & Iron company, New York Susquehanna & Western Coal company, Temple Iron company and about forty individual so-called independent coal companies.

Petition of Government.

The government asked that the court adjudge and decree that the defendants are parties to a combination and conspiracy in restraint of trade and that they be enjoined from continuing the combination, and that they also be enjoined from continuing the 65-per cent contract existing between the big companies and the independents.

The court will be asked by the government to declare the acquisition by the Erie of Stock of the New York, Susquehanna & Western railroad and of the Pennsylvania Coal company and of the Delaware Valley & Kingston railroad, the acquisition by the Lehigh Valley of the stock of Cox Bros. & Co., were all in violation of the anti-trust act, and the companies acquired; that the Temple Iron company be declared a combination of the defendant railroad in vioation of law, and that the combination be dissolved.

Brought In Independents.

The independents were brought into the case because of the 65 per cent contract existing between them and the large coal companies controlled by the railroads. The independents sell their product to the big companies for 65 per cent of the price the big companies receive for it at tide wate. The government contended that the independents were forced into making these contracts because there was no other way to get their coal to market if the coal railroads chose to discriminate against them in the matter of cars and rates.

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KIDNAPED BOY IS RECOVERED

New York Police Make First Such Find in Scores of Cases.

New York, Dec. 9.—"They told me I was in Chicago," said Guiseppe Longo, 8 years old, when the police led him to freedom yesterday from the tenement room where he had been locked up by kidnapers. Among the scores of children stolen by lawless Italians, his is said to be the only New York case on record in which the police have effected a recovery.

The boy was traced by the aid of another child whose brother is also held for ransom. The police learned that Guiseppe was a prisoner in an East side tenement. They searched the corridors and listened at transoms. At the door of a rear room they heard a child crying. The guide was lifted up and peered over the transom.

"That's him," he whispered excitedly, and the police broke in the door.

Guarding Guiseppe were two men, and in the same room with him were two other children, a boy and a girl, whom he only knew by their first names. The police think they also may have been kidnaped. The two men on guard were arrested.

Guiseppe's father is a well-to-do Brooklyn grocer. Since he disappeared on Nov. 19 the father received two letters demanding money, the first asking for $10,000 and the second $15,000.

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WHITE SLAVERY TRIAL IS BEGUN

Prisoners Are Accused of Enticing Girls to Go With Show.

Greensboro, N. C., Dec. 9.—In the United States court the case against Charles Quaster and Joseph Napier, proprietors of traveling shows, under indictment charging them with engaging in the white slave traffic by inducing young girls to leave their homes under lucrative employment and afterwards luring them into other occupations, has begun. The prisoners have been in jail for the last two months.

The government has a score of witnesses for the trial, twelve of whom are young women who are alleged victims.

The first witness examined was 18-year-old Mary von Newendorf of Baltimore, who told of being induced by the defendants to leave her mother under promise of $25 a week to take part in girls' dancing and chorus shows at fairs. She left with another girl friend, Maud McClellan. A relative in Charlotte found Miss von Newendorf after a week's search in a room with Quaster, the couple being registered as man and wife at a leading hotel. She declared this was done under her protest after Quaster had promised to marry her.

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Gold Medal for Rhodes.

New York, Dec. 9.—The gold medal of the National Institute of Arts and Letters was awarded yesterday to James Ford Rhodes of Boston, in recognition of his historical writings. This medal is annually given for distinction in some branch of arts or letters.

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$1.25 Popular Silk Mufflers—at this sale	79c
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Men's Silk Handkerchiefs, 50c value—at this sale	23c
$1.00 Men's Lined Mocha Gloves—at this sale	59c
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GRANDDAUGHTER OF JEFFERSON DAVIS WEDS.

Colorado Springs, Colo., Dec. 9.—Miss Lucy White Hayes, granddaughter of Jefferson Davis, president of the Confederacy, and who following her mother's death two years ago, became Daughter of the Confederacy, was married last night in St. Stephen's Episcopal church to George Bowyer Young of Placerville, Colo. Mr. Young is the son of the late Harvey Young, an artist, who died in this city about nine years ago. Rev. A. H. Taft, rector of St. Stephen's church, officiated.

Several hundred relatives and friends were in attendance. The maid of honor was Miss Dorothy De Witt of Colorado Springs; the bride's matrons were Mrs. Robert Livermore, Mrs. Meredith Bailey and Mrs. Erick Swenson, all of this city, and the bridesmaids were Miss Constance Pulitzer, daughter of Joseph Pulitzer of New York, and Miss Rose Frey and Miss Frances De Forest Curtis of Colorado Springs.

Following the ceremony there was a reception in the Hayes' residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Young will go direct to their home in Placerville.

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WIRE MAGNATE IS TO MARRY STENOGRAPHER.

New York, Dec. 9.—Albert Brown Chandler, 70 years old, of Brooklyn, chairman of the board of directors of the Postal Telegraph company, has obtained a marriage license to wed Miss Mildred Vivian, 38 years old. Miss Vivian came to New York from Lexington, Mo., and met Mr. Chandler when she was in the employ of the Postal Telegraph company as a stenographer. The date of the wedding is not announced, but it will be a quiet affair, attended only by relatives and friends.

Mr. Chandler had a record as a telegraph operator during Civil war times, was a close friend of the late Thomas T. Eckert and has been identified with the Postal company continuously since its organization in 1884. He is a director in many banks and corporations, and besides his residence in Brooklyn has a summer home in Massachusetts.

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SLEEP ON BACK

With Money Sewed in Pajamas, Judge Counsels Husband.

Philadelphia, Dec. 9.—William McCaffery caused the arrest of his wife, Nellie McCaffery, charging her with pilfering $3 from the pockets of his trousers while he slept.

The case was heard by William M. Belcher the Solomon magistrate, who, after discharging Mrs. McCaffery, gave the husband some advice as to the best method of keeping his money. Magistrate Belcher acknowledged that "his lot had fallen along similar lines."

"You might hide your pants," said Magistrate Belcher, "but your wife probably would find them. You might go to bed wearing them, but that might be uncomfortable. Either purchase a strong box or each night sew your money to the back of your pajamas, then sleep on your back."

McCaffery left the courtroom headed for a store, where strong boxes might be purchased. He declared himself unable to accept the "pajama cure," as he "couldn't sleep on his back."

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PARDON REFUSED.

But Ellis, Slayer of Willis, Is Released on Parole.

Little Rock, Ark., Dec 9.—W. Y. Ellis, a wealthy lumber manufacturer, who shot and instantly killed N. P. Willis, a prominent citizen of Indianapolis, Ind., his wife's first husband, in the court house here, fifteen months ago, was granted a parole by the penitentiary board. Willis had just won a suit against his former wife for custody of their child when he was murdered.

Shortly after Ellis was given a three-year term in the penitentiary a petition, signed by 10,000 Arkansans, was presented to the governor, asking for his pardon. Governor Donaghey denied the request, but he voted with the other members of the board for the parole.

Accompanied by his wife, Ellis left for his home in Pine Bluff.

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CONSTITUTION FOR ARIZONA FINISHED.

Phoenix, Ariz., Dec. 9.—The constitution for the state of Arizona has been completed.

It is rumored that majority of Republicans will decline to sign the constitution, but a leader says no decision has been reached. Every indication is that the Republicans will make organized attempt to make a revision. Democratic leaders, however, predict a heavy majority for the constitution.

Among the provisions of the document are:

Initiative and referendum; amendment to the constitution by a majority vote of the people upon the initiative of 15 per cent of the voters; recall of all elective officers; direct primaries; direct advisory primary for United States senators; anti-lobying clause; non-partisan election of the judiciary; juvenile court with the age of criminal responsibility fixed at 18; rigid corporation regulation with a provision designed to abolish wild-catting; physical valuation of railroads as a base for rate control; corporation committee with wide powers; employers' liability provision abrogating the fellow servant doctrine; elimination of probate courts.

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Sherman Smithsonian Regent.

Washington, Dec. 9.—Vice President Sherman has been chosen chancellor of the board of regents of the Smithsonian Institution to succeed late Chief Justice Fuller. The members of the board of regents yesterday were given their first view of the great Roosvelt collection. The collection is still far from being completely classified, mounted and arranged.

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KICK FROM TEXAS.

People Claim State Got Poor Showing in Census.

Austin, Tex., Dec. 9.—If the plans of state officials work out, the population of Texas will be recounted. Governor Campbell acted as spokesman last night for those who anticipated that the announcement from Washington could have given Texas a population of at least 5,000,000.

"The figures are very disappointing," declared the governor. "There are few communities that will not show a greater precentage of figures than given by the census bureau."

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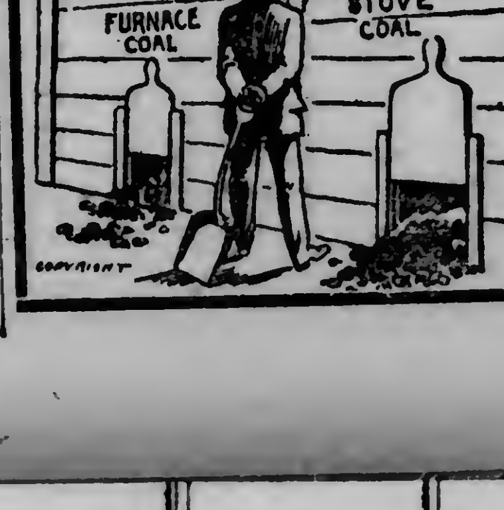

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NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST

CROOKSTON IS STIRRED

Arrest of Mixed Blood Leaving Town With Liquor Creates Furore.

Mayor and Police Determined to Prevent Liquor Being Shipped Out.

Crookston, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—While the arrest of Paul Belcourt of White Earth, a mixed blood, by Chief Creamer and Capt. Eck yesterday and the seizing of his suit case containing four quarts of alcohol and a quart of whisky as he was boarding a train for Ulen, "dry" territory, caused a big sensation, the position of the city administration is upheld by all the leading citizens and most of the saloon keepers as well. Special Agent Johnson was notified and pending instructions from him Belcourt will be held.

Belcourt said he secured the liquor from John Morin, who runs both a wholesale and retail business, and also stated that he bought drinks over the bar there. Mayor McKinnon had previously called the saloon keepers together and explained the situation to them. He told them flatly that he was convinced that the only course to pursue was to refuse to sell any bottled goods to anybody for any purpose. They all agreed to this plan. He notified them there that if they violated the agreement he would nail the first shipment and arrest the first man found with liquor on him which he secured in Crookston.

Crookston May Remain Wet.

The mayor does not believe Crookston will be included in the "dry" belt as long as no liquor goes out of the city and the saloons have been refusing to sell bottled goods even to the well known farmers who wanted a little Thanksgiving cheer. They sell drinks over the bar and stop short at that. This was the first kick over the traces and it has received such prompt treatment and such wide publicity that it is doubtful if any of the other dealers will take a chance in the future till the liquor question is finally determined in this section.

Mayor McKinnon and Chief Creamer state that every attempt to get liquor out of Crookston by shipment or in grips will be dealt with and so many citizens have volunteered to act as private detectives that there can be no successful smuggling even if the saloon men were disposed to try it.

WAGNER FAMILY AGAIN IN COURT

Brother of Divorced Woman's Husband Sues Her for Money Husband Gave.

Devils Lake, N. D., Dec. 5.—(Special to The Herald.)—When Albert Wagner made a deposit of $2,000 in a local bank about a year ago as a guarntee to his wife that there would be no family jars, he probably did not know that in another year he would be divorced from her and that in the Ramsey county district court an action would grow out of the making of this deposit with Charles Wagner, the husband's brother, as the plaintiff, and Mrs. Wagner as the defendant.

The Wagners and their troubles have received no little notoriety throughout this section for some time past. After their recent difficulty which resulted in divorce, Albert Wagner, the husband, assigned the bank account in question to his brother, Charles Wagner of Crookston, and the latter has commenced an action against the bank and Mrs. Wagner for the cash.

Wagner, the plaintiff, contends that the agreement made between his brother and his wife was illegal and does not hold, as such promises as he made at the time were those that any man makes in being married. Mrs. Wagner, the divorced wife, holds an entirely different view of the situation and will make a hard fight for the deposit.

BROOKSTON MEN HEAVILY FINED

Two Greeks and Italian Flourish Weapons Too Freely During Trouble.

Brookston, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—George Patroa and Athos Carlos, two Greek railroad laborers, were each fined $25 in justice court Tuesday for carrying concealed weapons, and Nick Delacos was fined $30 for pointing a revolver at an Italian section foreman.

The arrest of these three men was the outcome of a small sized strike among the Greek laborers, who endeavored to tie up the gravel trains that have been working here since the first of the month. The Greeks refused to work and they have endeavored to prevent other men from taking their places, but the fines assessed upon three of them has prevented them from carrying out the plans they had laid.

UNIVERSITY DANCES.

To Keep Young People Away From Evils of Minneapolis.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 9.—It is announced that weekly dances will be given at the University of Minnesota armory under the auspices of student organizations, as a counter attraction to downtown public dance halls. This action was taken following a statement by Dean Downey that no man or woman can attend one of those dances without being corrupted.

Petition for Appointment.

Valley City, N. D., Dec. 9.—By a petition signed unanimously, the bar association of Valley City and Barnes county has approved of the candidacy of Attorney Alfred Zuger for appointment to the position of judge of the district court to succeed Judge E. T. Burke, elected to the supreme court.

CROSSED WIRES BLAMED FOR MENOMINEE'S BIG FIRE

WHEN THE BREWERY BLAZE RAGED THE FIERCEST.

Menominee, Mich., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—Already workmen are beginning to clear away the debris from last Monday's disastrous fire at the plant of the Leisen & Henes Brewing company here, which caused a loss of $50,000, as told in The Herald dispatches. The fire wiped out the malthouse, dry kilns, icehouse and stables. There was $45,000 insurance. Crossed wires are believed to have generated sparks which caused the fire that for a time threatened to develop into one of the worst fires in this section in years.

The brewery was established in 1872 by John De Heck and George Sharmbruck, afterwards passing into the hands of George Harter and Frank Eggert.

The business eventually became the property of Jacob Leisen and John Henes, who conducted it in partnership from 1876 to 1891, when the Leisen & Henes Brewing company was incorporated, with Jacob Leisen as president, Louis Leisen, vice president, and John Henes, secretary-treasurer.

TOWN CLERKS MUST BRING IN BALLOTS

Inspectors Will Go Over Part of Polk County Senatorial Vote.

Crookston, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—J. N. Kirsch yesterday served the summonses on the town clerks of Brandsvold, Eden, Queen, Knute, Woodside, Garden, Garfield and Winger townships, which requires them to appear here tomorrow with the ballot boxes containing the ballots cast at the recent election. The ballots will be inspected by the three inspectors named by Judge Watts, G. A. E. Finlayson of East Grand Forks, W. A. Marin and Judge Gossman of this city in the contest brought by A. D. Stephens and others against John Saugstad to determine who was elected senator from Polk county.

W. E. Rowe will direct the contest for Stephens and A. A. Miller will look after Saugstad's interests here, and it is expected that the contest will require several weeks, as the Saugstad contingent will also order the ballot boxes from many precincts brought in, according to their present program. In addition to the ballot inspection, the testimony of a large number of witnesses will be taken in an effort to show that "sticker peddlers" swarmed through the polling places and even into the voting booths, and that no pretense was made in many instances of keeping the sticker peddlers 100 feet from the polling places.

COMMISSION PLAN IS GREAT SUCCESS

Works So Well in Minot, Phamplet Will Be Issued Telling of Benefits.

Minot, N. D., Dec. 9.—So immensely well pleased is the board of commissioners of the city of Minot with the manner in which the commission plan has worked out in this city that it has been decided to publish an advertising phamphlet covering the situation. The city commission and the Minot Commercial club will go together in making up the phamphlet.

Minot's commission plan, it is declared, has been immensely beneficial, and it is for the purpose of pointing out the benefits that have been derived that the publication of the statement in question has been determined upon.

CLAIMS IRREGULARITIES.

Defeated McHenry County, N. D., Candidate Wants Recount.

Towner, N. D., Dec. 9. — That the canvassing board of McHenry county failed to count thirty-six votes that had been cast for him for sheriff is the claim set up by D. A. Kramer in an action brought to secure a re-count. His opponent, J. Sampson, was elected by a majority of only eleven votes, and Kramer now alleges that in several different precincts of the county, there were irregularities in the county which, if corrected, would give him the sheriffship by a majority of twenty-five votes.

The matter will be argued before Judge Burr.

GRAND FORKS MAN HURT "CRANKING" ENGINE.

Grand Forks, N. D., Dec. 9.—When Orla Cummings, aged 21, had the thumb of his right hand torn off by a gasoline engine, a tendon in his arm was pulled out with the digit to a length of eight inches and when discovered, the young man was in a pitiful condition. He had been cranking the engine with a pair of mittens on when one of these became caught, and in a moment his hand had been jammed in a horrible manner. In addition to having his thumb literally torn out by the roots, the arm was also broken just above the wrist.

FORMER MAYOR OF GRAND FORKS DIES

John Dinnie, Eight Years Head of Nerth Dakota City, Is Called.

Grand Forks, N. D., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.) — John Dinnie, for eight years mayor of Grand Forks, died yesterday afternoon of stomach trouble. Twenty-nine years ago, when he came to the Red River valley, he was a brick mason, and was engaged in plying his trade for a number of years until the growth of this district caused him to launch into the contracting business in which he made good financially. He was the first resident of Grand Forks to engage in the brick making industry.

In 1896 he was elected mayor and was re-elected on three subsequent occasions, serving eight years in all, which is the longest time in the office of mayor served by any citizen. He was 57 years old and leaves a wife and eight children.

PRIMARY ELECTION OF POLK BEING PROBED.

Crookston, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—The grand jury will report some time today after a five day's session. Several witnesses have been called in connection with the recent primary election and rumor has it, earnest efforts are being made to have several indictments returned because of alleged illegal voting. No other sensations are promised by the grand jury.

WARD COUNTY SUNDAY SCHOOL MEETING ENDS.

Minot, N. D., Dec. 9. — (Special to The Herald.)—The annual convention of the Ward County Sunday School association ended with the election of officers and the selection of Minot as the place of the next annual session. The officers named are as follows: President, Dr. A. D. McCannell; vice president, J. H. Burkhart, Long Tree; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. K. A. Dickinson, Minot. These officers together with T. A. Olson and E. S. Shaw constitute the board of directors.

Menominee Cobbler Found Dead.

Menominee, Mich., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—Joseph Woodley, aged 60 years, was found dead in bed from heart failure. He was a cobbler by trade and a resident of Menominee for twenty-three years. He is survived by a daughter, who resides in St. Paul.

WISCONSIN BRIEFS

Eau Claire — The Chippewa Valley Railway, Light & Power company of this city is now getting power from its magnificent power plant at Cedar Falls, which has just been completed at a stupendous cost. This gives the Eau Claire concern an almost unlimited supply to draw upon when taken together with the company's splendid power plant at Menomonie.

Milwaukee — Asking Judge Backus not to make any distinction because of their color, Henry Helm and Arnold Duncan, colored, aged, respectively, 17 and 18 years, were sent to the reformatory for one year each. The court assured them that he had no race prejudice. They were accused of having stolen $27 from the pawnshop of Isadore Wax on Wells street.

La Crosse — Within the last two weeks thieves have broken into the Congregational, First Presbyterian, First Baptist, First Methodist and Christ Episcopal churches, the Lincoln school and the library. Many acts of vandalism were perpetrated at Christ Episcopal church. The thieves procured between $5 and $6 at the First Congregational church. Small amounts were taken in other places.

Plainfield — E. M. Pickering, one of the early pioneers of Plainfield, is dead at the age of 81 years. Mr. Pickering and his wife came to Wisconsin in 1853, settling on a government claim at Plainfield. During the Civil war he was a member of the Eighth Wisconsin Light artillery. In 1903 Mr. and Mrs. Pickering celebrated their golden wedding anniversary.

Madison — That hunting in the north woods is not without profit as well as pleasure was proved when clerks in the office of the secretary of state audited claims for the state bounty on fifty wildcats and forty-five wolves. The state pays half of the bounty and the counties the remainder. The bounty on wildcats is $6 and on wolves $20.

Appleton — Seventy years old, remarking that he did not want to go to the workhouse, John Muloon, a self-confessed robber, was sentenced to serve ten days at the stone pile. Desire for whisky caused the aged man to steal an overcoat.

Waukesha — Hugh Stroud, the Pewaukee marshal, who shot and killed Paul Lehr in Pewaukee last week, was discharged after preliminary examination in municipal court here. Stroud was charged with manslaughter. The testimony showed that the shooting was done when Lehr and a companion attacked the officer while resisting arrest.

Madison — Scabbard and Blade, an honorary military society at the University of Wisconsin, has elected the following officers: Captain, Adam Richmond, Madison; first lieutenants, Elmer E. Browning, Buffalo, N. Y.; Alfred C. Shape, Milwaukee; Arch Taylor, Barron, and Norman English, Arcadia.

DAKOTA BRIEFS

Aberdeen, S. D.—George E. Dennistion, chief clerk of the railway mail service, is out looking over the Cheyenne branch of the Milwaukee and expects to spend the week looking over the branch as far as Eagle Butte, the winter terminal.

Fargo, N. D.—James McDonald, colored, lies in the county hospital perhaps fatally wounded from being cut by William Reynolds when he tried to act as peacemaker between Reynolds and Charles King, both colored, who were quarreling over a blackjack game in a local resort. Reynolds gave himself up to the officers while, King escaped to Moorhead and was arrested.

Bathgate, N. D.—Rt. Rev. Cameron Mann bishop of North Dakota will hold services in the Episcopal church, Bathgate on Monday evening, Dec. 12 at 7:30 p. m.

Minot, N. D.—Electric light experts from Kansas City will be in Minot soon to present to the city detailed plans regarding the cost of a municipal electric light plant, upon which the voters of the city may vote next spring.

Fargo, N. D.—The proposed triangular debating league, composed of the agricultural colleges of North and South Dakota and Minnesota will not be realized this college year. Efforts to get the Minnesota school into a three-cornered debating contest with the Aggie debaters of the Dakotas have been of no avail, but North and South Dakota agricultural schools will meet in debate.

Aberdeen, S. D.—The body of Nels Olsen, a laborer, was found in a pasture, two miles north of that town, frozen stiff and with a bullet wound in the leg which had fractured the bone. Olsen had been missing three weeks from the home of Charles Leigh, a farmer for whom he worked.

Dickinson, N. D.—Investigation following the disappearance of John Keys, a wealthy farmer, has so far been unsuccessful. Keys checked his trunk for Bristol, Tenn., and it has arrived there, but the owner is missing. Just before his departure Keys sold his farm for $15,000 cash and relatives are worried lest he has meet with harm.

Fargo, N. D.—Much interest is being taken in the North Dakota State Poultry show which will be held in Fargo while the Tri-State Grain Growers are in session in this city. The show this year is expected to be one of the largest ever given, some 800 birds being expected.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

St. Cloud—Mrs. D. A. Colburn, aged 78 years, died Tuesday at the home of her son, George Colburn at Haven. Infirmities of old age are given as the cause of her death. The deceased was born in Braintree, Mass., in 1832. She is survived by three sons, Henry of Madison, S. D., David of Turtle River, Minn., and George of Haven.

Brainerd—F. M. Cable for several years a druggist in this city in the early days died in New York Dec. 2, and was buried at Elkhart, Ind., Dec. 4. Since leaving Brainerd Mr. Cable has resided in Chicago, being engaged in the drug business part of the time and working for the Swift Packing company for many years.

Perham—Letters have been received by Perham friends from Mr. and Mrs. Friedman, noting their safe arrival at Tucson, Ariz. They enjoyed the trip very much, stopping off on the way at San Antonio and El Paso, Tex., for a day or so at each place. Mr. Friedman's health is about the same as when they left but they think it will improve the longer they remain.

St. Cloud—Chief of Police Quinlivan has received a telephone from Sioux City, Iowa, which stated that Christ Hanlon and William Lane were captured there some time Tuesday, being suspected of robbing Harry Williams of Pipestone on the Great Northern Oriental Limited in this city a short time ago. They will be extradited.

Little Falls—The Pine Tree Manufacturing company is prepared for the winter work of hauling logs from their camps in the northeastern part of the state to the local mill and expect railroad activities to commence within a few days. Nearly 300 cars have been fitted up for this work.

Stillwater—The building of practically a new bridge over the St. Croix has come to a show-down. An examination by an expert with the assistance of City Engineer L. W. Clarke, recently resulted in declaring the present structure dangerous.

Mankato—The $2,000 damage suit of Emma Erdner, as administratrix of the estate of Lee F. Foley, deceased, vs The Chicago & Northwestern Railway company is on trial in the district court. Young Foley was one of two boys who were killed something over a year ago near the Rock street crossing.

Moorhead—The eleventh fall meeting of the Red River Valley Congregational club was held at the normal annex on Thursday evening. The meeting was preceded by a banquet.

Isanti—A farmers' institute will be in the Woodman hall here, Wednesday, Dec. 21. It will be conducted by C. E. Brown of Elk River, C. O. Carlson of Erskine and H. G. Larson of Berner.

Crookston—The Modern Woodmen have elected these officers: John Kirsch, venerable consul; Arthur Egley, worthy advisor; Carl Riedesel, clerk; Nels Peterson, banker; Fred Davis, manager; Will Nelson, escort; John Freeburg, watchman; George Abar, sentry.

Fergus Falls—Ole Brandon's restaurant was burglarized Tuesday night. The burglar broke one of the rear windows and crawled in through it. He probably opened the cash drawer, but fortunately, Mr. Brandon had taken out all of the cash the night before and he got nothing there.

Winona—L. B. Carpenter, an old and respected St. Charles citizen, and a G. A. R. veteran, was found dead in bed there Tuesday morning by his wife. A physician was summoned and after an investigation it was decided that death came early in the evening due to apoplexy. Besides his wife, he leaves but one child, a daughter, Lucretia, who is at the present time teaching in Texas.

PENINSULA BRIEFS

Houghton—Capt. James Reid came into Houghton Tuesday, in his tug Sarnia City from the stranded steamer Moreland. He is more than ever confident he will save the steamer. Capt. Reid said he would bring the Moreland into Houghton within a few days and land her alongside the dock at the foot of Isle Royale street. He is certain of success.

Calumet—Arrangements have been made by the officers of the Y. M. C. A. to hold a men's public meeting next Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. to be addressed by Rev. H. H. Malinson, pastor of the Lake Linden M. E. church. George MacLean will render a tenor solo.

Laurium—Dr. E. J. Watters, the well known veterinary surgeon, was injured through being struck on the leg by the head of a horse the doctor was attending. The accident has seriously handicapped Dr. Watters in the performance of his duties.

Hancock — The funeral of Peter Schumaker, who was frozen to death last week at Hurley, will take place on Saturday morning. Services will be held at the St. Patrick's church and interment will be in the old cemetery. Schumaker was formerly a resident of Franklin township, and a son of the late Peter Schumaker, who formerly conducted the Half Way house near Boston.

Hancock—The Hancock Land and Improvement company has elected the following officers: Edward Ulseth, Capt. Thomas Hoatson, John Daniel and Frank J. Kohlhaas, all of Carume. Henry L. Baer, W. Frank James and J. H. Jasberg, of of Hancock.

Houghton—The interest aroused over the wall scaling contest between the Houghton Light infantry and the Hancock Naval reserves, at the Kerredge theater next Saturday evening, has prompted Capt. Foley of the Houghton company to offer a prize of $5 to be contested for next Sunday at the armory by three squads of men picked by three officers of the company.

Calumet—At a special meeting of the board of education of District No. 1, it was decided to close the public schools for the Christmas holidays on Wednesday, Dec. 21, and reopen them on Thursday, Jan. 5.

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Fur-lined Overcoats	$65 upwards
Serge-lined, wool-lined, plush-lined and silk-lined Overcoats	$15 to $40
Men's Suits	$15 to $35
House Coats	$5 to $10
Bath Robes	$7.50 to $12
Sweater Coats	$2 to $6
Neckwear	50¢ to $3.50
Linen Collars, dozen	$1.35 and $2.75
Fur-lined Gloves	$4.50
Silk-lined Gloves	$1.50 up
Collar Boxes	$1.00 upwards
Suit Cases and Valises	$2.50 to $12
Hosiery	25¢ to $2

Shirts, Underwear, Umbrellas—Everything for Men.

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Men's Suits, Overcoats, Auto Rubberized Coats, Cheviot Waterproof Raincoats, Fancy Vests, Hats, Boys' and Children's Suits and Boys' Overcoats.

Ladies' Suits, Long Coats, Trimmed Hats, Ostrich Plumes, Silk Waists, Silk Petticoats, Separate Skirts, Sweaters, Knit Auto Bonnets, Caracul and Plush Coats, Fur Coats, Pony Skin and Coney, Silk Dresses, Silk Raincoats, Children's Jackets.

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Peter Newell's latest funmaker for the whole family—here at....... $1.19

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Another chance tomorrow—buy your Christmas Gift dressings here tomorrow—all of Dennison's cleverest seals, Christmas cards, do-not-open-until-Christmas tags, etc., are here; and tomorrow we will sell white tissue paper at 10c quire, at art department—third floor.
Holly Tissue Paper for Christmas packages—5c for 6 sheets.

LET US STAMP SOME OF OUR NEW DESIGNS AND MONOGRAMS ON YOUR FANCY WORK.

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117-119 West Superior Street, Duluth, Minn.

39c for 50c Sachet Powder
Buy here tomorrow—those exquisite sachet powders which add the fragrance of fair flowers to your gifts—our best 50c and 59c sachet powders are refined, fragrant and lasting—take your choice tomorrow at 39c the ounce.
Djer Kiss—the finest French Sachet—regularly $1.50—special, $1.19 oz.

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Santa Claus Will Come Two Weeks From Tomorrow Night!

GIFTS FOR THE BOYS
Silver Pencils
Scarf Pins
Neckties
Handkerchiefs
Mittens
Slippers
Rubber Boots
German Socks
Shoe Pacs
Suit Cases
Cuff Buttons
Mufflers
Suspenders
Gloves
Shoes
Stockings
Umbrellas
Hair Brush
Pennants
Fountain Pens
Military Brushes
Pyrographic Outfit
American Boy High Top Shoes
Subscription to Saturday Evening Post
Material for Bath Robes—House Coats—Shirts

Bargain Square Tomorrow 39c
39c for men's 50c and 75c Wool Mittens and Golf Gloves

Already our store is all aglow with the spirit of Christmas—many sensible people are doing their Christmas shopping now—and they are wise—for our store was never so rich in things people like to give—and like to get—our stocks in all the various departments are more carefully chosen and more complete than ever before!

And you know if you want something good at a fair price—you can always get it here—that's why our business grows so!

Bargain Square Tomorrow 39c
39c for men's 75c Imported Fine Lisle Hose—plain colors and fancy effects.

GIFTS FOR THE GIRLS
Vanity Purses
Car fare Purses
Silver Mesh Bags
Bracelets
Silver Purses
Toilet Sets
Fancy Pins
Silk Hosiery
Gloves
Dainty Neckwear
Necklaces
Collar and Cuff Sets
Hat Pins
Barrettes
Fine Furs
Stationery
Pennants
Books
Jewel Boxes
Back Combs
Fine Perfumes
Sewing Boxes
Party Slippers
House Slippers
Dress Shoes
Postcard Albums
Tam o'shanters
Belts
Combs
Handkerchiefs
Coat Chains
Hand Bags
Mittens
Coats
Pillows
Lockets
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New Silk Organdies for Party Dresses.
Regular 50c Fabrics for ------ 35c

For party dresses and evening wear, these new Silk Organdies are charming. There are mostly white grounds over-printed with small floral designs, in pink, blue, maize and lavender. Beautiful fabrics for little dancing dresses for society buds. 35c

We will sell our new patterns in Serpentine Crepes at 18 cents the yard.
The very newest patterns for kimonos and dressing sacques. A full case of these beautiful crepes has just been unpacked. The designs and colorings are the best yet, and although the price has been advanced we will put these on sale at our usual price of **18 cents a yard.** 18c

8c for 10c unbleached Outing Flannel—30 inches wide—extra heavy quality.

Buy Your Christmas Ribbons Now.
Holly ribbons, greeting ribbons, red and green ribbons are here. Buy them now before the crush of the last few days.

Hairbow Ribbons.
Plaids and checkes in wanted colorings in handsome qualities. The most stylish effects for hairbows are now here. Prices range 25 cents up to $1.00.

Plain Ribbons in All Widths
And in all colors for hairbows. Prices range 25 cents, 29 cents 39 cents and 50 cents a yard.

Flowered and Persian Ribbons.
All colors and all widths wanted for fancy work. Very desirable styles. A big assortment of exclusive novelties to be found nowhere else.

$1.39 for $1.75 Chiffon Auto Veils.
Heavy Chiffon Auto Veils—2 yards long by 1 yard wide; a most complete assortment of colors—An early Christmas shopper's special on our regular $1.75 quality, tomorrow at only $1.39.

Lace Specials at 5c.
LINEN LACES, 5 CENTS. **Linen lace edging, 5c** a yard. All widths; many ununusually choice patterns you need now.
5c
ELYRIA LACE SETS. All widths in handsome patterns in matched sets of Elyria Laces. A choice assortment on sale at **5c a yard.**

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Early Christmas Shoppers' Specials in Furs for Christmas Giving.

Furs are royal Christmas gifts. Good furs like ours are luxuriously beautiful and afford untold comfort to their wearers. Moreover furs, like diamonds, are increasing in value each year. Furs will be even higher piced next year, as the London market in skins shows decided advances. What then, could be nicer than a gift of our carefully chosen furs?

When you give furs, by all means give the best you can get for the money you spend.

Judging by what we see and what we hear, we firmly believe that no other house is even trying to give such values as we are.

Such furs as these at their regular prices are ample proof of our claims, yet to stimulate early Christmas shopping, we offer the following and other attractive specials:

$16.50 for $22.50 18-In. Pillow Muffs
There is a surprise for you. Just think of it—18-inch Pillow Muffs—our fine $22.50 qualities in high-grade Jap Mink, Black Fox, Sable Fox, Gray Fox, Sable Squirrel, Black Wolf, Gray Wolf—your choice of these grand good furs at **$16.50.** $16.50

$8.50 for $12.50 Pillow Muffs
Choose from Black Opossum, Brown Opossum, Black Coney and Coney Lynx Pillow Muffs in 16-inch and 18-inch sizes—either plain or trimmed with heads and tabs. Our best $12.50 grades—special tomorrow at only **$8.50.** $8.50

Our $68.50 Pony Coats Are on Sale at $55.00
These coats have been chosen in preference to some coats selling at $75.00 elsewhere. You yourself will probably decide the same way. They are made from beautifully marked skins with very lustrous black dye. They are elegantly lined, and you would readily class them alongside coats usually sold at $20.00 more. Our special price to early shoppers, only **$55.00.** $55.00 $55.00

$5 French Coney Muffs
Handsome luster and heavy long fur—16-inch Pillow Muffs—regular price $8.50—special to early Christmas shoppers at tomorrow's price of **$5.00.** $5.00

Matched Sets and Separate Pieces in other furs at prices ranging from $5 to $375.

$10.00 for $15.00 Shawl Scarfs
Handsome large shawl collars of River Mink, Marmot and Siberian Wolf, finished with two tabs in front. A talked-about $15.00 quality. Special for Saturday to early Christmas shoppers—only **$10.00.** $10.00

$17.00 for $22.50 27-Inch Scarfs
Luxurious Shawl Scarfs in Fox, River Mink and Opossum—finished with 2 heads or 3 tabs. Exceptional value at $22.50, for these are 27-inch scarfs. Very special at **$17.50.**

Children's Fur Sets $1.98 up to $18.50
A very large and handsome assortment from a New York maker, who specializes in good furs for little folks. Styles are charming. They are stylish, yet girlish.

Christmas Coats at $115 to $210
A man who wants to pay $115.00, $125.00 and $210.00 for a Christmas coat will be sure to please if selection is made here. Choose from near seal and Hudson Bay seal, plain—or trimmed with Raccoon or Beaver—brocaded linings and jeweled buttons. Best to choose now—later on size lines will be broken.

1/3 Off on Any Suit in the House!

Another Surprise for Early Christmas Shoppers
$2.75 for $3.50 Reed Tailored Waists! All those clever tailored touches for which Reed Waists are famous, and which mean so much to the well-dressed maid or matron. A full line of new styles and all sizes, in white linen or Cauri cloth—our regular $3.50 lines—on sale tomorrow at **$2.75.** $2.75

Sale of Silk Remnants at 1/4 to 1/2 Less
The accumulation of the past six months and the short lengths from our recent big silk sale—lengths suited for waists, for scarfs, trimmings, fancy work ties, etc.—they are priced at from 1/4 to 1/2 off regular prices.
Find them on a table—in west aisle—Choice pickings now — Get in early!

$1.00 New Persian Silks at 79c
New colorings and new effects—good quality of messalines—wanted now for waists, trimmings, linings, fancy work, etc.—regular $1 quality—reduced for one day to 79 cents a yard.

See Our Muffler Silks.

49c Shantung Silks 29c
Cotton warp shantungs—24 inches wide—not all colors—mostly creams, pinks, apricot, greens, blues and lavender—makes practical gowns, waists or house dresses—firm, heavy quality—49-cent qualities—at a yard, 29 cents.

New Ding-Dong Hats for Smart Dressers

For three weeks past we have been quietly busy on those soft crush hats so many good dressers are wearing!
At last we've been able to get a little stock ahead — those who come first may have them! Others must wait until we make up their orders! New York's newest—here first—as usual! It's "the" hat for Christmas!

Willow Plumes—Fine Gifts
Choicest stock we ever had—most reasonable prices.

"Burn Wood" for Gifts
Easily Done—Very Artistic
And the gifts are worth while—choose from tabourettes, glove boxes, hankerchief boxes, nut bowls, tie racks, towel racks, waste baskets, Madonna placques, etc.

Burnt Wood Specials
Stained placques, choice designs, ready for burn-in—special at art department.
20c for 35c Placques.
50c for 75c Placques.
Your friends will like them.

"JIM" CROW ON DULUTH

Manager of Erie Dispatch Comments on City's Great Growth.

Says It Is Becoming One of the Big Railroad Centers.

William Rudolph Crow, known from the Atlantic to the Pacific as "Jim" Crow, general manager of the Erie Dispatch, and one of the best known railway men in the entire Western country, is in the city today on his annual trip of inspection of the business interests of his line in this territory.

Mr. Crow covers one of the largest territories in the railway business. His field of activities extends from the Eastern to the Western coasts, and during his travels he naturally comes into intimate touch with the business of the railroads as a whole. Therefore it can be taken as a cheerful indication, when Mr. Crow states that he has a very optimistic feeling in regard to the future business of the various railroads of the country.

"The trouble is," said Mr. Crow today, "that we have taken to measuring business up to the immense volume this country did in 1907. We hit a tremendous clip that year, and the natural recession has made some people annually pessimistic. The present time is the dull time of the year for general business and consequently for the railroads; but I can see no reason why railroad men or business men in general should be inclined to look on the dark side of things. After the first of the year there should be a general upbuilding in all lines of commercial endeavor."

"Jim" Crow is equally at home at the Atlantic City cafes or with a bunch of operating railroad men at some small inland station house. His experience with railroading has been broad and comprehensive, as he has been in the railroad business for the past twenty-five years. For some time he was stationed at St. Paul. He has been making Duluth for a number of years and is very well acquainted in this city, both with the railroad fraternity and the commercial men.

The Tipping Evil.

"Some one should throw a brick at the tipping system," said Mr. Crow today. "Down at Albany and New York it has reached about the limit of human endurance. The other day in Albany, N. Y., some of us railroad boys were dining at one of the fashionable cafes of that city. You see the politicians have spoiled the waiters down that way. Some of these politicians think little of parting acquaintance with the dear old dollar.

"One waiter started the general activities; soon he was joined by another. To our surprise a third was soon added to the force. And, believe me, they all had a bright little air of expectancy in their optics. We became wise to the general plan of campaign and laid plans accordingly. We permitted them to work away in happy expectancy, then called the first waiter, the one who had started the work unaided, and gave him his tip, politely but nevertheless firmly ignoring the existence of the other two. They are ringing in the three-man system on diners at many of the cafes of the country."

Mr. Crow gave the customary compliment to the growth of Duluth as a railroad center. The word customary is used here, as railroad men visiting Duluth, fully alive to railroad developments at any center, have been quick to notice this growth.

"We didn't used to pay very much attention to Duluth, back in the old days," continued Mr. Crow. "It was considered kind of a jumping off place, and we considered the traffic and general business originating here as a feeder to the Twin Cities. I notice now that the Twin Cities are viewing with some apprehension the growth of Duluth, and when one comes to gain first hand information of the growth you have acheived here and the future that lies ahead of Duluth, it is small wonder that St. Paul and Minneapolis are beginning to rub their eyes and glance up your way.

"Situated at the very head of the wonderful commerce of the Great Lakes, is there any reason why this city should not be one of the greatest traffic centers in the entire West? If there is, I fail to see that reason. Duluth is surely destined to be one of the big railroad and traffic centers of the West. Your growth has surprised me in some ways, but the very good things that many railroad men have been saying about the city had, in a measure, prepared me for what I have beheld with my own eyes."

Mr. Crow will leave tonight. His headquarters are in Chicago.

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FARMERS EAGER TO GET MANURE

Trestle Must Be Built Before Cars Can Be Loaded.

Farmers tributary to Duluth are sending inquiries to the health office relative to the shipments of manure for fertilizing purposes. One man living over 100 miles away, on the Great Northern, wrote in this morning asking for information. He said that he could use a large car, if the freight wasn't prohibitive. One car has been loaded on the tracks by the health department, but the work is too slow under present conditions. A trestle or other device which will facilitate the unloading of the wagons will have to be built before the practice can be put into general use.

HORTICULTURISTS HAD A COSTLY LESSON.

A. B. Hostetter returned this morning from St. Paul, where he attended the meeting of the Minnesota State Horticultural society, representing the test station on Duluth Heights, of which he has charge.

C. E. Roe was there as the delegate of the Northern Minnesota Horticultural society and J. Kimball represented the beekeepers. Mr. Hostetter said that the attendance was large and that much interest was shown in the proceedings, in spite of the fact that the past season had been a failure because of dryness. Most of the horticulturists attending the meeting said they had suffered practically complete failures, but consoled themselves with the thought that the lesson they had learned about how to conserve moisture was worth all the crop would have been.

The test station here is to be utilized to the fullest extent next season for the purpose of trying out fruits and small plants recommended for this region, and is expected to prove a great help to the holticulturists of Northeastern Minnesota.

The perfection in coffee—Caldwell's Electric Cut. Be sure to try some at the pure food show

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CENTRAL CLUB TO MEET.

Grading of Seventh Street Will Be Discussed By Property Owners.

The Central Hillside Improvement club will meet tonight at the Polish hall, Fourth avenue east and Fourth street. The principal subject to be discussed is the grading of Seventh street from Third avenue west to Fourteenth avenue east. The committee on water rates will report and there will also be a discussion of the commission form of government.

The board of education has consented to allow the club the use of a room in the Jefferson school for future meetings. The meetings are conducted on the plan of old "town meetings" and are open to everybody.

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HUGE STEEL ORDERS FOR THE HEAD OF THE LAKES.

The Iron Trade Review, publishes an article on steel orders in hand for the season, and among the items are mentioned the new Great Northern dock in Allouez bay, requiring about 9,000 tons, the same amount being needed for the Iron Range road's new ore dock at Two Harbors. Among other items is one of 7,000 tons for buildings at the new steel plant.

INDEMNITY FOR HEIRS OF PANAMA EMPLOYE.

Washington, Dec. 9.—Little progress in legislation was made in congress yesterday. The senate, immediately after the morning business, took up bills on the calendar and passed one of them providing an indemnity for the heirs of a government employe who lost his life on the Panama railroad. Two important measures intended to better the postal service and carrying the indorsement of Postmaster-General Hitchcock were taken up, but consideration of them was put over on the objections of Senators Heyburn and Bacon.

In the house practically the entire day was occupied in consideration of the Indian appropriation bill.

The house adjourned until noon today. The senate, in the absence of important business, adjourned until Monday.

CROOKSTON LODGES ARE BURNED OUT

Regalia and Records Lost in Fire—Damage Is $10,000.

Crookston, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Odd Fellows' block here was totally destroyed this morning by a fire which originated in the boiler room. The loss includes charters and lodge paraphernalia of the Odd Fellows, Maccabees, Lady Maccabees, United Workmen, Degree of Honor, Sons of Herman and their ladies' auxiliary, the Eagles, Loyal League and United Commercial Travelers. The damage to the building is $10,000.

The building was erected in 1881 and was Polk county's first courthouse. It was sold to the Odd Fellows when the new county building was put up. The fire was spectacular and nearby buildings were threatened. During the fire an explosion in the attic of the building endangered the lives of the firemen.

Begin Building Brainerd Plant.

Brainerd, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Toltz Engineering Company of St. Paul today commenced the construction of a big electric light and power house near Laurel street and the Northern Pacific railroad tracks.

GROUCH GERM WORST OF ALL.

Scientists Discover Bad Temper and Ugly Nature Caused By Microbe.

Philadelphia North American: Grouch is a word that is in the dictionary, but, though the word has not been in existence long enough to work itself out of the "slang" class, they have already discovered a grouch germ.

This is certainly an era of germs. No one is appalled when he is told nowadays that this or that disease is due to bacteria in his system; but when it comes down to regulating temperaments by these infinitesimal vermin, one is inclined to believe that there is no use combating fate—"Let's balme it on the germs."

"If there is a germ for the grouch there is perhaps a joy germ, a laughing germ, a happy germ, and—who knows?—there may be even a booze germ, which would forever exonerate the devotees of Bachus from their personal responsibilities. It is truly a pleasant theory.

When a grand opera star cuffs her maid, breaks the china, abuses the impresario and kicks the electric light bulbs on the plea of temperament, she may be free to protest that the temper germ has got into her system all unawares, and that the manager is cruel and heartless to scold or even restrain one so afflicted.

So much for germs in general.

There are nearly as many kinds of grouches as there are germs. There is the born grouch, the affected grouch, the disgruntled grouch, the grouch by dyspeptic and the grouch per se.

The origin of the grouch germ gets into the systems of some people at such an early age is hard to determine, especially since the rascally bacillus has not yet been very thoroughly studied, though his manifestations are patent to all.

We are familiar with the sullen small boy who screams when others smile, and kicks his fond parents on the shins when they attempt to coax him. You have certainly felt that burning, gnawing passion to kick the bodily manifestation of the same germ into infinity, on a score of occasions, and would have done so had it not been for the parental extenuation of the little dear.

How mysterious are the ways of parenthood, and how just! They know that the poor little fellow is not responsible; that it is only the frightful germ that has crept into his system. Some say it is due to his having pie when he should have had corned beef and cabbage; others blame it upon the ministrations of an indulgent grandma. And there are authorities who aver that a good piece of hickory, say, half an inch in diameter, applied at the right spot in time, will check the growth of the germs as quickly as anything.

The born grouch is to be pitied. The germ has such a hold upon him that it is practically incurable; but for the affected grouch, germ or no germ, there can be little sympathy. The man who thinks for any reason that he is more impressive, more a man for an assumed air of cynicism, pessimism and all the other unfortunate isms that go to make up the grouch, could be hobbled and set to feed on chips at a safe distance from polite society to preven further contagion.

The dyspeptic grouch is truly a victim of misfortune, and of all the grouches is most deserving of a share of sympathy and a large allowance of coaxing. But the disgruntled grouch, the man who pouts and shows the same symptoms as the born grouch in the earliest stages could be remedied with a full and vigorous allowance of the same medicine, the stout hickory—only let it be a thick one.

We hear so much about the blessed sunshine, and there are so many dear little books published in holiday season to gather dust on the tables of one's inoffensive friends which have that sweet, optimistic tone, that if there is any virtue in them, the mother of a grouchy household should have no difficulty in allaying the family complaint. She could buy them by the gross about Christmas and serve them with the meals for a full year at a trifling cost.

The grouch germ itself was discovered in Kansas City by an enterprising man, Dr. E. L. Mathias. The doctor has observed that the germ is fond of torrid weather. More than that he is fully persuaded that the germ attacks none but man. Beyond this the diet, appearance, habits and mannerisms of the germ are unknown and offer a wide and profitable field of research to the enterprising investigator. In this matter a little advice might not be considered impertinent, inasmuch as no one has adopted the germ for his private property as yet.

First, catch a grouch. They are numerous in all latitudes, and it matters little which species you begin with; only as a matter of mercy spare the dyspeptic grouch, because he is least responsible. Having secured the grouch fairly in a recumbent position, face down, elevate a broad, stout stick above his person and proceed as instinct dictates. As the germs escape, bottle them for future investigation. If they do not come, keep on with the treatment, for a grouch the less in the interests of science is a small loss.

It might be well to add that there are pathetic treatments which are just as effective in ridding a subject of the grouch germ, but they presuppose such qualities in the operator as patience, forbearance, tact and no little determination. After all, if one can afford to dispense with dignity, the physical treatment is quickest and most certain of lasting results.

LETTERS TO MAYOR GAYNOR.

Mayor Gaynor's mail averaged about 400 letters a day, says an Outlook article, referring to the time preceding the attempted assassination. These were opened by Secretary Adamson before the mayor reached his office at 9:30 in the morning.

The mayor does a great deal of business by mail and he has reduced the handling of it to a system. Letters on arriving are sorted into three lots, those requiring immediate attention, those of less immediate importance and personal letters. Frequently the secretary makes a memorandum synopsis of a letter and attaches it to the original, enabling the mayor to get through his mail in a shorter time.

No letter which comes to Mr. Gaynor's office goes unanswered. They do not come alone from the city, many are from out of town. Some persons outside the city apparently think that the mayor's office has a department for the collection of overdue accounts. A woman from up-state wrote that she had remitted $22 to a New York dry goods firm for the purchase of certain goods. She had never received the goods nor had the money been returned.

The letter was forwarded to the dry goods firm, which sent an answer thanking the mayor for calling attention to the oversight and stating that the matter had been adjusted with the woman.

Another woman in Virginia wrote to the mayor that a New York self-styled "physician" had obtained money for a useless quack cure from her newphew, who was seriously ill.

"I want you to go up and see the doctor,' she concluded.

The mayor did not go up to see the "doctor," but wrote him a note, and shortly afterward he received a grateful letter from the Virginian woman thanking him for helping her nephew recover the money.

A KANSAS SILKVILLE.

Kansas City Times: The old silk farm in Franklin county, Kansas, known as the De Boissiere Odd Fellows' Home, which was the cause of much litigation, has been sold to J. O. Patterson of the Patterson Realty company by James Troutman and Robert Stone of Topeka. The consideration was $130,000. Of this amount $63,000 was paid in warehouse property at Third and Wyandotte streets, where Troutman and Stone plan to erect a four-story warehouse.

Some forty years ago M. De Boissiere of France went to Franklin county, Kansas, with philanthropic and business intentions. He erected a silk factory eighteen miles from Ottawa, which in time came to be known as Silkville. De Boissiere raised silk worms on a 3,100 acre farm and manufactured silk and satin ribbons. The silk industry in Kansas was a failure, and, becoming discouraged, De Boissiere returned to France, abandoned Silkville and the silk business. He willed the property to an associate, Mr. Sears, and on Mr. Sears' death it was to be given to the Odd Fellows. In 1894 the gift was repudiated, after which Mr. Troutman went to France and bought the property from the De Boissiere heirs. When the purchase was made the trustees of the grand lodge refused to surrender the property. Thirteen law suits covering a period of sixteen years followed. Jan. 10, 1909, the supreme court of Kansas awarded the property to Troutman and Stone.

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BALLINGER TELLS ABOUT WORK OF THE LAST YEAR

Says Federal Agents Cannot Do Police Duty in Liquor Matters.

Opposes Coal Land Leases and Suggests New Legislation.

Washington, Dec. 9.—In his annual report, just made public, Secretary Ballinger of the department of the interior devotes a large amount of space to public land problems. He recites the history of the public domain and gives statistics to show that there is now remaining unappropriated and unreserved 711,986,409 acres of public land in continental United States and Alaska.

Regarding the sale of liquor to Indians and the enforcement of treaty provisions, the secretary says:

"Perhaps the most trying and difficult feature of Indian administration is the effort to inhibit the sale of liquor to them. Notwithstanding the vigilance of the federal officers, and prosecutions and convictions for offenses of this nature, a vast amount of mischief is done by the liquor traffic in preventing the advance of the Indian. The report of the commissioner of Indian affairs sets forth the activities of the service in this respect, and every effort will be made by the department to reduce to a minimum this evil.

Not Function of Government.

"It is not, however, the function of the government to perform, and it can not properly exercise, through its officers police duties in white communities and settlements organized under state and municipal laws, and when the Indian has been released from his restrictions and recognized as a citizen federal authority over him should cease and should no longer with reasonable propriety be exercised over his personal conduct.

"The leasing of allotments of restricted Indians should not be made where the Indian can be induced to improve and cultivate the land. In exceptional cases where the lands contain minerals, or it becomes necessary to make beneficial use of water for irrigation within a limited period, leasing may be necessary upon approval by the department."

The granting of free homes to the landless settler, he says, has proved its wisdom. The lands in the hands of the industrious settlers, whose labor creates wealth and contributes to the public resources, are worth more to the United States than if they had been reserved as a solitude for future purchasers.

For nearly forty years the statutes have declared that all valuable mineral deposits in lands belonging to the United States, both surveyed and unsurveyed, are to be free and open to exploration and purchase and the lands in which they are found to occupation and purchase by citizens of the United States and those who have declared their intention to become such. Rich deposits of precious metals in the Pacific states and territories have been discovered and located under these general mining laws and have been operated for many years.

Mineral Land Laws Good.

Granting defects in the laws, they have accomplished their purpose in causing the mineral resources to be developed and have thus contributed enormously to the wealth of the nation. It is hardly reasonable to believe that any material change will be made in these laws or of the method of disposal of the lode and placer claims of the mineral regions.

Heretofore, as will be seen, it has been the policy of congress to dispose of the public lands to those who were disposed to make the best use of them, none of which were disposed of with a view to securing revenue for governmental support. Even the coal lands were sold at nominal figures, and until a few years ago they were not entered even at that figure, except where market facilities made the land salable for their product.

Under more conservative theories the question now is of saving the remnant of the public lands from monopolization or misuse without abandoning the old policies of encouraging development. The highest productive use of these lands is the concern of the people. The methods of securing this use are the concern of national and state governments.

Rests With Congress.

The executive can move only as directed or authorized by congress in selling or otherwise disposing of this national estate; therefore all questions relating to a change from the existing status or of policy over this estate resides alone in the legislative branch of the government, and all popular movements looking to the reformation of our land system must of course be addressed to the congress. Consequently the movement to conserve the national resources in this national estate of lands—that is, to secure the wisest and most lasting benefit to the nation in their use—is a matter with which congress must deal.

New or amendatory legislation respecting our public lands should be direct, simple, effective, and relate principally to the proper form of disposition of the withdrawn lands—waterpower sites, oil lands, coal lands, and rights-of-way over public lands.

The Federal government should not undertake or assume the entire burden of the conservation of the natural resources of the states in which they are situated, for it has been demonstrated that the states are capable of taking care of these questions in a large measure, as is shown by the legislation effectuating these purposes in states like Massachusetts and Washington, at the extremities of our country.

Methods Are Improved.

The secretary reports marked advances in administrative methods and efficiency within the department during the year. He also reports that the recommendations made from time to time by the committees appointed at the instance of the president to suggest economies and changes to improve the service are being put into effect wherever existing law will permit, without waiting for legislation.

Four thousand six hundred and sixty-five entries were canceled as the result of investigations; 12,065 acres were restored through proceedings for the removal of unlawful inclosures.

The area of public and Indian lands included in original entries and filings during the fiscal year 1910 is 26,391,269.09 acres, which is an increase of 6,498,765.33 acres over the area entered during the year 1909.

The area patented during the fiscal year 1910 is 10,983,150.12 acres, of which amount 7,404,598 acres was disposed of under the homestead laws.

Net Receipts $8,000,000.

The total cash receipts from the sales of public lands, including fees and commissions, were $8,371,637.10; from the sales of Indian lands, $2,037,551.68; reclamation water-right charges, $770,586.35; depredations on public lands, sales of government property, and copies of records, $284,148.93, making the total cash receipts from all sources in connection with the public lands $11,463,924.06, a decrease of $752,491.33 from the fiscal year 1909.

The excess of receipts over all expenditures and estimated liabilities of the public-land service is $8,284,560.57.

In view of the conflict between waterpower withdrawals and applications for rights of way for purpose of irrigation, as well as the development of power, the department is granting, after field investigation, rights of way for irrigation where the value of the site is found to be higher for the reclamation of arid lands than for the development of commercial power. All applications, however, have been granted under stipulations designed to limit and control the use.

Under Homestead Law.

Under the enlarged homestead act of 1909 allowing entry of 320 acres, there have been classified and opened for entry approximately 188,900,000 acres.

The existing withdrawals of coal, oil, phosphate, and waterpower lands aggregate at this time, in round numbers, over 91,000,000 acres.

A failure to release much of the lands now under withdrawals by new and amendatory acts directing the manner of their disposition will inhibit development and greatly retard the new and struggling settlements and industries of many of the western states and territories.

All the coal lands in Alaska not located prior to Nov. 12, 1906, are under the bond of withdrawals. Those located prior to said date are for the most part under departmental investigation on charges of fraud or irregularities, etc.

A class of entries, known as the Cunningham entries, made in 1907, have provoked wide discussion and popular interest, largely because of their alleged value and method of attempted acquisition.

"In view of such conditions," he says, "I deem it of the highest importance that all these cases, involving thirty-three entries, or 5,280 acres, of coal lands, be transferred from the jurisdiction of the general land office directly to the court of appeals of the District of Columbia for consideration and adjudication, without the necessity of a ruling as to the validity or invalidity of these entries by the commissioner of the general land office as is now required in such cases. This procedure may well be provided by special direction in the bill now pending in congress for the authorization of appeals in land cases from the interior department of that court.

Alaska Land Laws Bad.

"Reverting to the condition of the public land laws in Alaska, even the most cursory examination of them, in view of local conditions of climate, of isolation of territory, except as to ocean transportation, its vast extent and lack of homogeneity, satisfies all practical men that they are crude and unsuited to the best interests of the government. On the other hand, experiments at amendment have placed the ban on development so that progress is at a deadlock."

The secretary directs attention to the recommendations contained in his report for 1909 for coal-land legislation and quotes from an official statement made in 1907, wherein some of the difficulties which would be encountered in the operation of a leasing system are pointed out, and again calls attention to the importance of enacting legislation which would give the department an effective method of disposition of coal lands, especially in Alaska.

Lease Oil and Gas Lands.

He declares he is in favor of a general leasing system of oil and gas bearing lands, such a system as will promote legitimate development of this industry, prevent monopoly, and conserve one of the great natural resources of the country. But he would apply the leasing system only to areas withdrawn for classification or classified by the geological survey. He recommends that "the government adopt a liberal policy in opening the oil lands in California."

Concerning water power he says:

"There is now withdrawn from disposition, pending legislation concerning water-power sites, approximately 1,450,000 acres of the public domain.

"In the various public-land states and territories containing water-power resources, in so far as there is present market for those powers, the title to areas greater in extent than that remaining in the government has long since passed into private ownership, and it must be realized that any radical or burdensome restriction imposed by the Federal government upon this resource will operate as a servitude on the public lands and discourage their development and use.

Let States Have Use.

"Taking into consideration the facts that the states own the waters in the streams and have police power to supervise and control public utilities, it would seem a direct and effective method of control would be to trustee the power sites to the states in some such manner as proposed by a bill now pending in congress.

"I earnestly advise the adoption of some legislation which will in any event retain the fee title to the lands in the people and effectually vest the power of regulation and control in the state or in the federal government, and which will not result in limiting prompt and economical development, or permit monopolization or extortion."

Legislation Recommended.

Other recommendations for amendments to existing laws or for enactment of new laws are as follows:

Amendment of existing desert-land laws so as to limit the maximum of area which may be entered to 160 acres; to extend the time within which final proof may be made to seven years, but impose the additional condition of actual cultivation of not less than one-half the irrigable area of the entry for a period of not less than three years prior to final proof.

Repeal of the commutation provisions of the homestead law, or, if this be deemed inadvisable, modification of the present laws so as to require two years' actual residence, cultivation, and improvement as a prerequisite to commutation. Also provide that no patent shall issue under any commuted homestead entry hereafter made, except to citizens of the United States.

Legislation requiring notice of mining locations to be recorded in the office of the register and receiver of the land districts; requiring final payment and entry for mineral claims to be made within seven years from date of location, exclusive of any time covered by pending adverse or contest proceedings; and modifications of the placer mineral laws so as to provide that no placer location hereafter made, whether by one or more persons, or an association of persons, shall exceed forty acres in area.

Limit Railroad Construction.

That the act of March 3, 1875, be amended so as to provide specifically that no railroad construction work shall be permitted upon the public lands, either surveyed or unsurveyed, until application therefor shall have been approved by the secretary of the interior; that he be authorized to disapprove the application or to require appropriate stipulations as a condition precedent to the approval of the application when in his judgment the public interests so require.

Legislation making it a criminal offense to hunt, kill, or destroy game at any season of the year in any national park, national monument, or game preserve; legislation giving police jurisdiction in national parks to United States commissioners, and legislation to protect these reservations from forest fires and to provide a penalty for failing to extinguish fires therein.

Recommending the amendment of the reclamation act, he says:

"It is important to the reclamation of arid lands contiguous or adjacent to existing projects, to the government from the standpoint of revenue, and in line with practical and useful conservation, that legislation be enacted authorizing the secretary of the interior to dispose of any surplus water available from irrigation projects to persons, associations or corporations operating systems for the delivery of water to individual water users for the irrigation of arid lands, and I earnestly recommend the enactment of such legislation.

Sale of Condemned Land.

"Private lands purchased or condemned for use in construction of reclamation projects and public lands reserved and improved for this purpose should, when no longer needed, be disposed of, and I therefore recommend the enactment of a law which will authorize the secretary of the interior to sell at public auction such lands when no longer needed for the purpose for which acquired or reserved, the receipts from such sales to go into the reclamation fund."

The secretary recommends that the board of pension appeals be abolished from July 1, 1911, and its duties transferred to the office of the assistant attorney general for the interior department. He also recommends that congress give "careful consideration to previous recommendations that the number of pension agencies in the United States be decreased or abolished, with a view to economy in administration."

Bureau of National Parks.

Urging the creation of a bureau of national parks and resorts, he says that the creation of such a bureau, and the planning under it of a consistent and broadly considered scheme for national parks and resorts to fit the future needs of the United States of America "would be in line with the policy under which our first president planned, in 1803, the federal city which now bears his name, without which planning no such civic convenience, beauty, impressiveness and national dignity as the city of Washington now enjoys would have been possible.

"The volume of the work and its importance in the supervision of the national parks and resorts under the secretary of the interior has passed beyond the stage of satisfactory control by operations carried on with the small force available in the secretary's office."

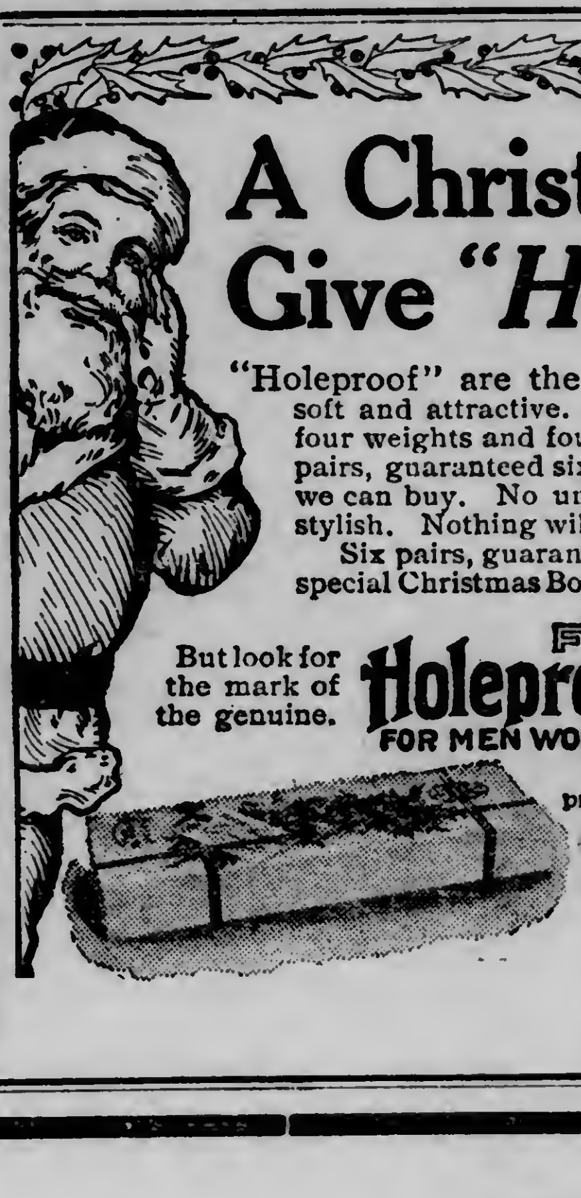
PET DOG AND AGED MAN.

Latter Refused to Stay at the Poor Farm Without Canine.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 9.—The canine love of a four-footed pet for Hiram Thompson, 80 years old, of East Brookfield, recently came near cmpelling the town authorities to take the dog to the poorhouse when Thompson was carried there.

Only with force and blows was the pet finally prevented from following Thompson. The same love returned by the master for the dog last week caused the old man to give up snug quarters at the poor farm and return to his isolated and lonely home. Thompson and his dog have for years lived in a little house a short distance out of the village. The old gentleman, now 80, has been an authority on the village life of the community of a half century ago.

Four years ago Thompson's wife died. In spite of the objections of friends and neighbors the old man persisted in keeping house, with only the dog for company. Up to a year ago Mr. Thompson got along very well. In spite of loneliness. It was not until sickness and increasing poverty began to make harsh inroads that the neighbors decided to take action.



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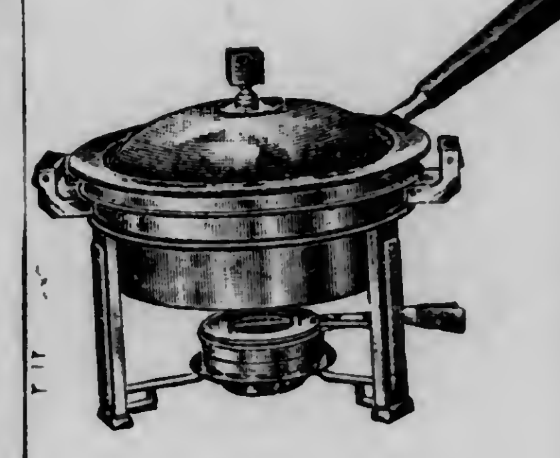
Cologne Bottles, from	$2.50 to $8.50
Fern Dishes, from	$4.00 to $12.50
Bon Bon Dishes, from	$1.00 to $6.50
Bowls, from (Eleven styles to choose from.)	$2.75 to $18.50
Comports, from	$2.25 to $23.50
Nappies, from	90c to $4.50



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Thermos Bottles at $3.75, and including the complete lunch sets up to $50.

Tea Kettles for Afternoon Tea

An ideal Christmas gift to your good lady friends. You will have plenty to choose from, for we quote the price here for 12 different styles — $2.25, $2.50, $2.75, $4.50, $6.00, $6.50, $6.75, $7.50, $8.00, $8.75, $9.50, $10.50.

FOR MAKING COFFEE ON THE TABLE

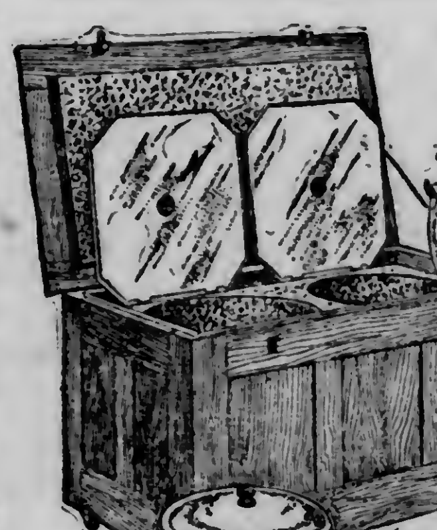
Percolators

In four different makes; all sizes; from our special $1.75 Percolators, up to as high as $7.25.

Coffee Machines—From our $5.85 Christmas special to the many different styles of complete sets (including creamer and sugar bowl, flagon and tray) up to $25.00.

Electric Coffee Machines — From $12.75 to $16.50.

Lander's new Samavar Tea Machines—both nickel and silver plated, from $8.00 to $10.50.


Size 14x15x28 inches. Weight about 55 pounds.

Fireless Cookers—

A 2-compartment Chaham Hewell, alluminum lined, fireless cooker at

$15.50

Other styles of Fieless Cookers, from $6.50 to $18.50.

Manicure Sets

Buy them here, at Kelley's. We are showing 19 different styles. You will surely find something suitable from this big line. Prices from

$1.50 to $20

New Tea-Ball Tea Pot—This is something quite new, yet it is practical. These tea pots you must not fail to see. Just the thing for a Christmas gift; $3.00 to $5.00.

Universal and Keystone Meat Choppers and Meat Grinders. A complete assortment of many sizes, from 98c to $2.00.

Horning Glass Jar Spice and Cereal Cabinet. With a separate covered jar for all spices and cereals. To place either on the wall or table, each $4.50.

Home Comfort Bread and Cake Cabinets. In four convenient sizes, at these prices, $2.50, $3, $5 and $6.

Christy's Improved Mixer for mayonaise salad dressing, at $1.50.

Silver Blade Cream and Egg Whips. If you use the "silverblade" the cream or eggs will not spatter over the dish and on to your clothes. Only 85c.

Asbestos Sad Iron Sets—No. 70, at $1.75; other styles at 95c to $2.00.

Imperial and Universal Bread Workers. Once used, always used. Baking is a pleasure with these. Different styles at $1.35, $2.00 and $2.50.

Pie Dishes—These are something new and make a useful gift for the good cooks you may know. They are heavily nickel plated, the receiver provided with Guernsey ware, inset. Sold at $3.50 and $4.00.

Casseroles—Undoubtedly you will find here at the Kelley Hardware Store the largest line in the city. All provided with the Guernsey insets. Many styles at $3.75 to $10.50.

Baking Dishes from .... $2.25 to $5.00

A No. 9 Cast Allumium Tea Kettle, each	$4.50
A No. 2 Imperial List Roaster—Sanitary, seamless and self basting, each	$2.25
A Six-pound Hot-point Electric Flat Iron, each	$5.00

American Queen

Carpet Sweepers

Bissells' Ball Bearing Carpet Sweepers — Eight different stylos at $2.75, $3.25, $3.50, $3.75, $4.00, $4.25, $4.75 and $5.25.

Thurman Portable Electric Vacuum Cleaners—Complete with eleven attachments for general housecleaning purposes and with two massage tools, at $125.00

Give Fine Table Ware

We have a most complete assortment of trusworthy ware. Whether you choose silverware or fine table cutlery, you should see what we are offering.

Carving Sets

Many different styles and at almost any price you wish to pay. The line must be seen to be appreciated. Our prices are from 98c to $25.00.

Table Silverware

We have the complete assortments of five different makes. We are confident therefore that we can suit your fancy, as well as your purse. We have Rogers' 1847, Wm. Rogers, Holine and Edwards, and the United Silverware.

Do not forget that we also carry the genuine Sterling silverware.

Crumb Tray and Scrapers from $1.25 to $2.75.

These Things Will Also Please Milady

Fine Sewing Sets, from	75c to $3.00
Scissor Sets, from	$2.25 to $6.25
Toilet Water, Ed. Pinaud's famous goods, from	75c to $1.00
Whist Sets at	$2.00 and $2.50
"500" Sets at	$5.00
Card Cases at	75c and $1.00
Cribbage Boards at	25c to $2.50
Handy Desk Clocks at	$2.50
Purses	75c to $1.50
Flash Lights	50c to $5.00
Pennants	75c to $1,25
Pillow Covers	$2.00 to $3.00
Reading Glasses	$1.50
Genuine Imported Syderol Vases at	$3.00 to $10.00
Book Racks, from	$1.25 to $4.00
Desk Sets, from	$1.50 to $3.25
Electric Toasters at	$3.50

Look at the Kelley HARDWARE CO. 118 & 120 WEST SUPERIOR ST. DULUTH, MINN. Window Display for Christmas Gift Suggestions for Women.

Fine Embroidery Scissors Sets at 50c to $1.50

HISTORICAL SOCIETY

TELLS NEEDS OF CURRENCY

Aldrich Leads Discussion of Reforms in Treasury Department.

Says National Bank Laws Are Badly in Need of Revision.

Philadelphia, Dec. 9.—"The need for currency reform," was discussed by Senator Aldrich, chairman of the national monetary commission, Senator Burton, a member of the commission, Assistant Secretary of Treasury Andrew and Director Roberts of the mint, at a special session of the American Academy of Political and Social Science held here last night.

Senator Aldrich said that in his opinion the reform of the present banking system was the most important of the work now before the monetary commission. The currency problem would adjust itself, he said, when the banking system was taken care of.

Up To Government.

He said that many methods prescribed by law for the management and control of national banks have become obsolete and that the "national government having assumed control of the organization of credit, it is manifestly incumbent upon it to enter at the earliest possible moment upon such a revision of our national banking legislation as will make our methods and practices more responsive to the demands of our modern business life.

"The structural weakness and practical defects of our national banking system are shown by the relative growth of national banks and state banks and trust companies in the last twenty-five years. Within this period the number of national banks has increased 4,268 while the number of state banks and trust companies has increased 11,085.

State Banks Growing.

"The capital and surplus of the state banks and trust companies have increased in the same time from $175,000,000 to $1,283,000,000. In many important communities practically all of the banking business is carried on by state trust companies.

"If we are to give the banks of the country and of every section an opportunity which can only be afforded by the general government, for association and co-operation, the result must be of such a nature as to be mutually beneficial to all banks and clearly in the interest of the people of the country as a whole. It must be an organization that will as far as possible insure reasonableness and steadiness of rates of discount throughout the country, that will prevent the possibility of bank suspensions in the future. It must provide against any possible disruption of domestic exchanges.

To Maintain Credit.

"It must be an organization which will have both the power and the purpose to maintain at all times, under all circumstances, the credit of the great people whose interests it is bound to serve."

Director Roberts of the mint said there is no pressing occasion to deal with United States notes and silver certificates, which, he said, are being rapidly absorbed by the retail trade and there is no probability that they will ever again embarrass the treasury.

"The total amount of United States notes and silver certificates now outstanding in denominations above $5, is only about $250,000,000," he said. "They are being reduced to the smaller denominations as fast as the treasury can lay hands on them, and at the present rate will be absorbed in the next five or six years, if the treasury can get them."

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Banks Break Trust Law.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 9.—The department of justice has held that the agreements in effect among the bankers in the principal cities of the country to charge a uniform rate of exchange on all out-of-town checks, is a violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, and that suits are to be brought against New Orleans bankers, is intimated here on reliable authority.

The federal grand jury now in session has been investigating the subject and it is said indictments have been prepared by the district attorney.

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A Dandy Christmas Present.

Get him one of the "3 Winner's" $10 suits or overcoats. They are worth $20. We will sell you a certificate and we will guarantee to fit him out properly at any time he is ready.

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GIRL TO EMULATE WESTON.

She Plans to Walk From Boston to Pacific Coast.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 9.—Miss Mildred Belknap, a 14-year-old sophomore in the Dorchester high school, has announced that she will attempt to walk across the continent.

She intends to take long tramps during the next few months so that by next spring she will be trained and accustomed to covering forty miles a day.

She tramped to Providence several days ago, making the forty-four-mile jaunt without apparent fatigue and covering a route over which she had walked once before. She was accompanied by her father, Charles F. Belknap, who is a postoffice employe.

With her father Miss Belknap made an extended trip on foot through the White mountains last spring.

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STARTED FROM JAPAN.

But Death Claimed Ohioan While Crossing the Pacific.

Kenton, Ohio, Dec. 9.—Charles J. Cooper, formerly of this city, critically ill, started a race with death across the Pacific. He lost.

A year ago Mr. Cooper, who for many years has been master mechanic at the Ohio Central shops here, went to Japan. There he became instructor in mechanical engineering at the government university at Kumamoto.

A week ago Charles Cooper, a son of the dead man, received a letter from his father saying that he was sick and would sail on Thanksgiving day for home. Then another message came, a wireless received at Honolulu, saying Mr. Cooper was dead.

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FORGOT; LOCKED UP BRIDE.

Gary, Ind., Dec. 9.—Can a man be so happy that he forgets he is married? Friends of Attorney Clyde Hunter are asking him this question because he locked his bride in their apartments by mistake.

Tuesday morning Mr. Hunter, who on Nov. 23 married Miss Daisy Atland, arose and rushed out of his rooms to catch a train for Crown Point. Following the custom of his bachelor days he locked the door and put the key in his pocket.

When the absent minded husband returned Tuesday evening he found his bride hungry and tearful after a twelve hour fast.

Mammoth Sale of Fashionable Clothes

The GLOBE 105 and 107 W. Superior St.

For Men and Women

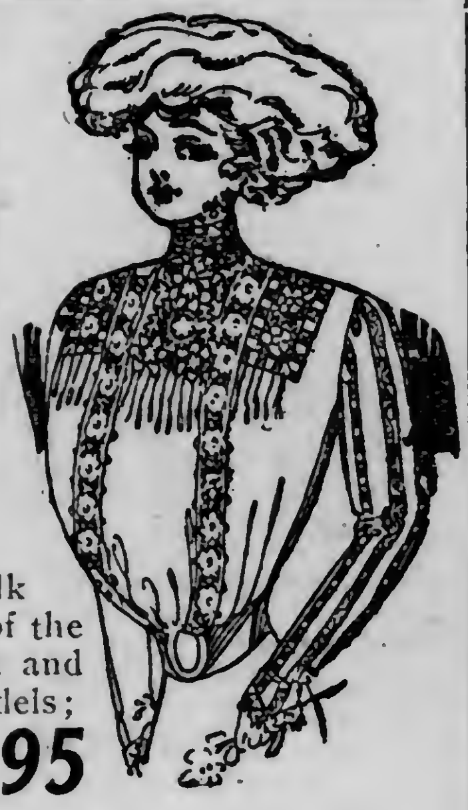
The GLOBE 105 and 107 W. Superior St.

Those Who Know Will Surely Go to The Globe Tomorrow—To Those Who Don't Know, We Say Don't Fail to Go to The Globe Tomorrow

The Globe, Duluth's most progressive store, has mapped out a list of bargains for tomorrow heretofore unknown in the retail history of Duluth. $150,000 worth of staple and novelty wearing apparel for women, men, young men, and boys, on sale at reductions greater than you could possibly expect—just when you are ready to buy. ALL EYES ON THE GLOBE BARGAINS TOMORROW.

Christmas Gifts in Our Ladies' Section at Unusual Savings...

Waist Special



50 dozen pure linen, Lingerie and Linen Waists, hand embroidered, perfectly tailored and very latest designs; values up to $3.50; your choice—

$1.65

Here Is a Snap!

Just received, 300 beautiful Silk Waists, all the newest shades of the season, including black taffeta and messaline, strictly tailored models; values up to $10; extra special............... **$3.95**

Here Is a Glove Sale That Is Different

Just received, 75 dozen Ladies' Dress and Street Gloves, in plain white and black kid—also the wanted tan and grays, chamois and buckskins; regular $1.75 and $1.50 values; on sale at.................. **95c**

Sale of Ladies' Handkerchiefs

Over 500 dozen Ladies' pure linen Swiss Handkerchiefs, fancy embroidered and plain hemstitched, regular 25c and 20c values; special.......................... **8c**

Silk Petticoats Worth up to $7.50 —on sale at........ $2.98

Just received, 250 fancy and plain Silk Petticoats—a maker's entire surplus stock—values up to $7.50; extra special........................ **$2.98**

Don't Overlook These Bargains:

Here is a worthy Christmas gift, at a ridiculously low price—a fortunate purchase of about 200 fancy Tinsel Belts—beautiful assortment—no two alike, packed one in a holiday box—values up to $2.50—extra special.............................. **59c**

Remarkable sale tomorrow of fine Ladies' Bags—100 extra fine Leather Bags, genuine seal and walrus, beautifully mounted—values up to $10.00—extra special.......................... **$4.50**

We have secured about 200 Solid Leather Shopping Bags, worth $2.00 and $1.75—on sale tomorrow, at................................ **95c**

McCallum guaranteed Ladies' Silk Hose—the $1.75 grade, on sale tomorrow at....... **$1.25**
All shades, including plain blacks.

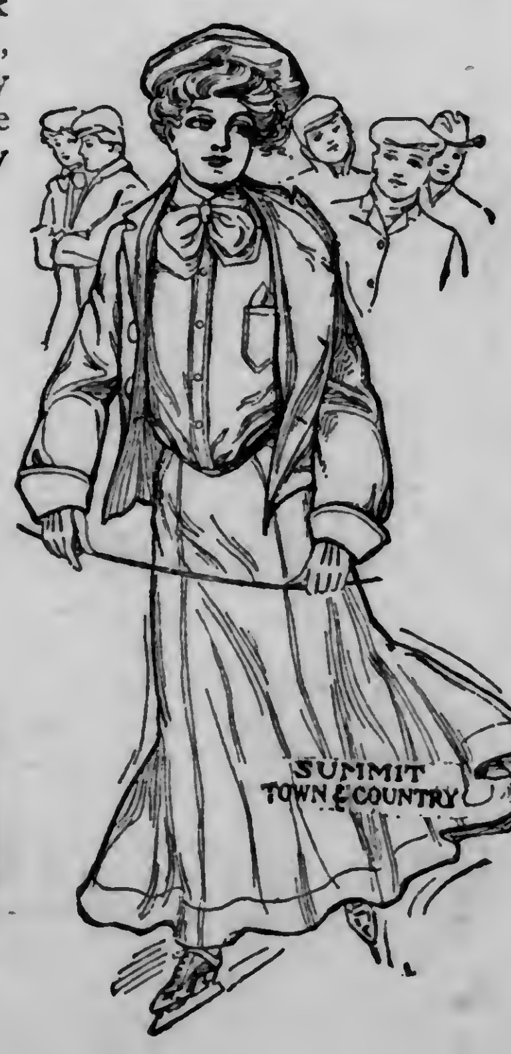
Here is another splendid Christmas gift, ridiculously priced—300 genuine Shell Back Combs, set with fine rhinestones and various beautiful mountings, put up in Christmas boxes up to $2.50 values—extra special.............................. **59c**

Have You Seen the Summit Flannel Shirts for Ladies?

We carry a complete stock of these shirts, in red, gray, blue, white and fancy stripes. They are all the rage, and will make a dandy Christmas present—

$3.50 to $1.79

Real Irish Crochet Jabots, $1.00 values; choice—
50c



THE Globe 105 AND 107 WEST SUPERIOR ST.

Astonishing Sale of Suits and Overcoats For Men and Young Men

An overcrowded maker was compelled to sacrifice his stock, owing to continuous warm weather, and our cash offer of 50 per cent was accepted. These Suits and Overcoats are new and snappy—made for this season by a high-class maker, every pattern and style shown this fall will be found in this big purchase.

Sophomore Clothes

Suits and Overcoats made to retail at $22.50, $20 and $18—take your pick for an even

$10

Other Suits and Overcoats at $18.75, $21.75 and $24.75

Worth $25, $27.50 and $30.

Extreme Bargains In Our Boys' Dept.

DESIGNED BY BECKER MAYER & CO CHICAGO

250 Boys' Knickerbocker Suits, every known shade of the season, sizes 6 to 17, values up to $6.50. Choice

$2.48

350 Boys' Overcoats, strictly all-wool garments, well tailored, all the newest cuts, sizes 6 to 17, values up to $10.00. While they last

$4.48

SPECIAL EXTRAORDINARY—Heavy ribbed wool stockings for boys and girls; all sizes; regular 25c values, a pair... **12c**

SPECIAL—Dr. Wright's Health Fleeced Underwear for the boys; special Saturday only........................ **39c**

Mocha Mittens for the boys—Heavily lined, with elastic wrists; good 50c values, special........................ **39c**

Boys' Blouses 29c

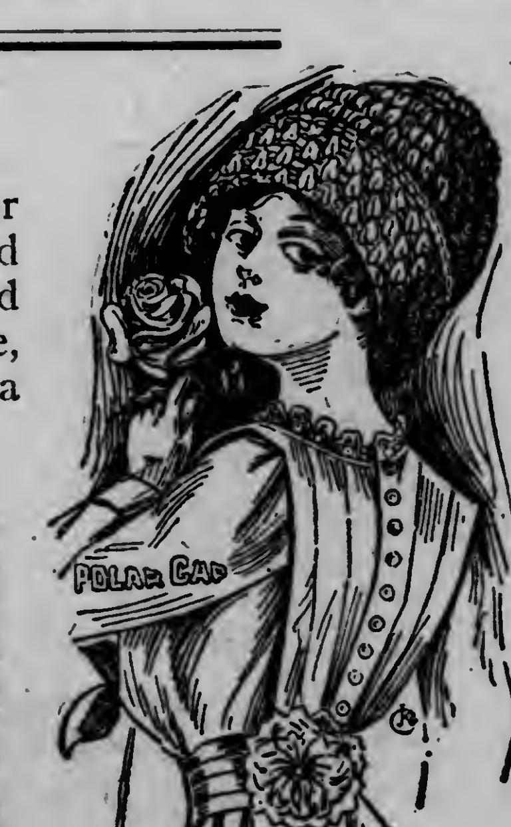
A limited stock of boys' Blouses—Regular 50c values, while they last.................. **29c**

Boys' Shoes 98c and up

Special lot of boys' Shoes—Worth $2.50, extra special.................. **$1.75**

Polar Caps

For automobiling, skating or skiing. The most popular and justly practical cap made, sold exclusively by us, in red, white, gray and navy. Will make a splendid Christmas Gift.



Do Your Christmas Shopping Early

Christmas Gifts in Our Men's Section at Enormous SAVINGS

200 dozen Men's Silk Web Suspenders, put up in single Christmas Boxes, including the famous President suspenders, regular 50c and 75c values. A splendid Christmas Gift. Extra special at **35c**

Men's Pure Silk Half Hose, twelve different shades, reinforced heel and toes—Extra special, the pair **35c**

Here's a Christmas Gift Worth While

250 Combination Sets, consisting of 1 pair Suspenders, 1 pair Arm Bands, and 1 pair Hose Supporters, put up in beautiful Christmas boxes—ten different shades. Your choice per set **75c**

Phoenix and Polar Mufflers, put up in Christmas Boxes, all colors and sizes for either men or women. Extra special **35c**

How Does This Appeal to You? 1 pair Silk Lisle Hose and Silk Tie to match, put up in beautiful Christmas Boxes—for the two **75c**

Don't Overlook This!

200 Fancy Vests—an uncommon Christmas gift. A large assortment of patterns. All sizes—values up to $6.00. Your choice for **$1.98**

Necessities at 50c on the Dollar and Less

Men's Fleece Lined Underwear, guaranteed first quality. Regular 50c values. Your choice only **25c**

Silk and Wool Mixed Underwear for men—medium heavy weight, regular $2.50 and $2.00 values. Extra special **98c**

Men's All-Wool Sweater Coats—regular $1.50 values, at................. **75c**

Men's Heavy Weight Pure Wool Worsted Sweater Coats. Regular $5.00 values. Extra special for **$3.24**

Unprecedented Sale of Men's Shoes

400 pair Goodyear welt men's shoes, in button and blucher, all leathers, regular $4.00 values, extra special

$2.98

EXTRA SPECIAL

Men's Fine Initial Handkerchiefs—Regular 25c values—choice while they last—

→ **12½c** ←

Sale of Men's Trousers

1,000 Pairs of Men's Pants—Exceptional $6 and $5 values; new up-to-date styles and pattern; extra special

$3.68

500 Men's Pants—$3 and $3.50 values, at.... **$1.98**

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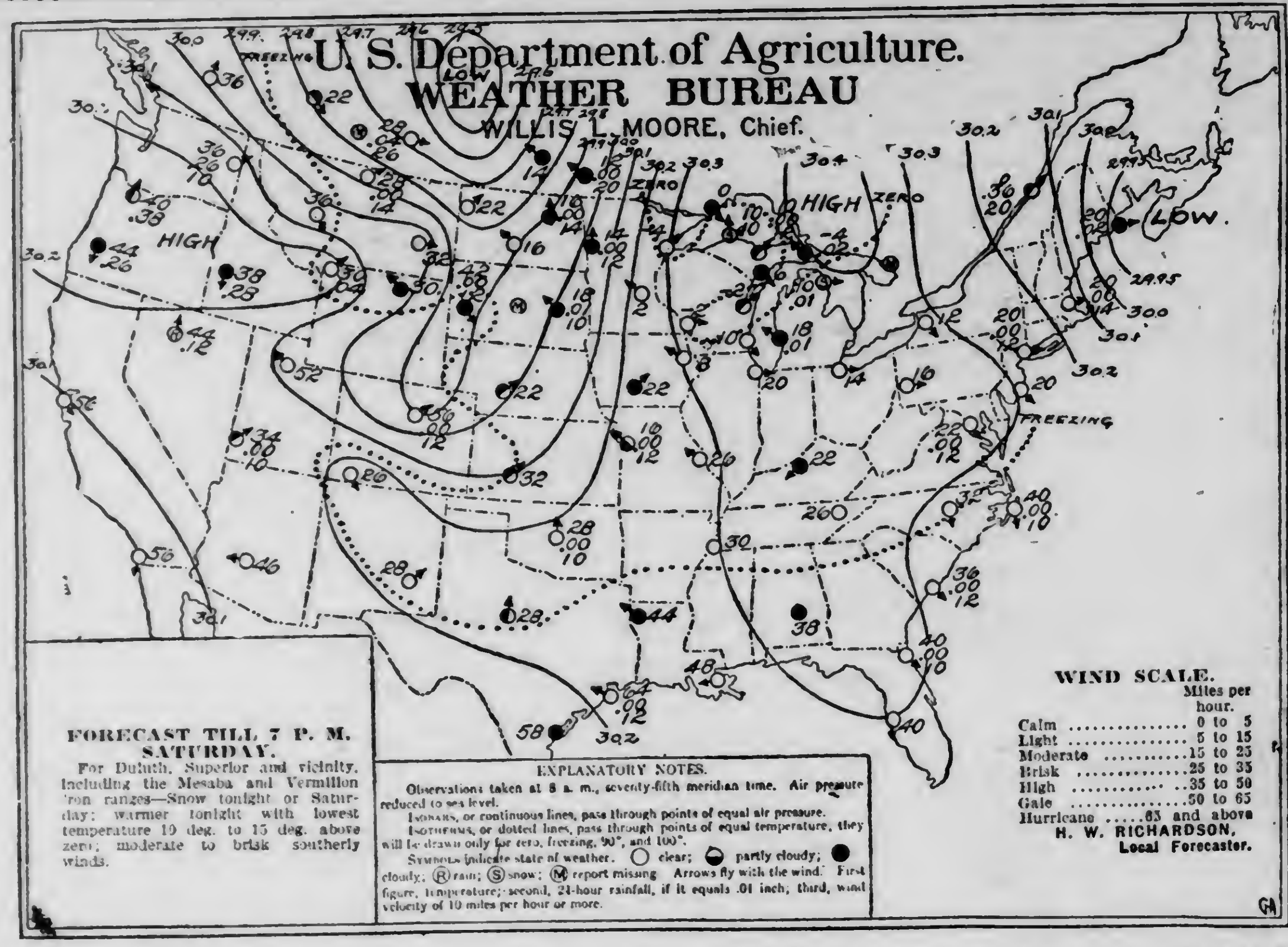
OFFICIAL MAP OF THE WEATHER



FORECAST TILL 7 P. M. SATURDAY.

For Duluth, Superior and vicinity, including the Mesaba and Vermilion iron ranges—Snow tonight or Saturday; warmer tonight with lowest temperature 10 deg. to 15 deg. above zero; moderate to brisk southerly winds.

EXPLANATORY NOTES.

Observations taken at 8 a. m., seventy-fifth meridian time. Air pressure reduced to sea level.

Isobars, or continuous lines, pass through points of equal air pressure. Isotherms, or dotted lines, pass through points of equal temperature, they will be drawn only for zero, freezing, 90°, and 100°.

Symbols indicate state of weather. ○ clear; ◓ partly cloudy; ● cloudy; Ⓡ rain; Ⓢ snow; Ⓜ report missing. Arrows fly with the wind. First figure, temperature; second, 24-hour rainfall, if it equals .01 inch; third, wind velocity of 10 miles per hour or more.

WIND SCALE.

	Miles per hour.
Calm	0 to 5
Light	5 to 15
Moderate	15 to 25
Brisk	25 to 35
High	35 to 50
Gale	50 to 65
Hurricane	65 and above

H. W. RICHARDSON, Local Forecaster.

SNOW

Who wants any better weather than this? The sky is clouded this morning, there is a snap to the air that brings color to the cheeks and there is more medicine out of doors than in all the drug stores in existence. December isn't the time for high temperatures in this Northern clime. Warmer weather is predicted for tonight.

A year ago today was clear, bright and cold.

The sun rose this morning at 7:42 and it will set at 4:19, giving eight hours and thirty-seven minutes of sunlight.

Mr. Richardson makes the following comment on weather conditions:

"The British Columbia disturbance has increased somewhat in tensity and has advanced its center to Saskatchewan since Tuesday morning. In the meantime warmer weather has resulted throughout the Rocky mountains and the Northwest, and rain or snow fell over Oregon, Washington, Nevada, Idaho and Western Montana. An area of high pressure that overlies Eastern Lake Superior has caused colder weather at Eastern Ontario, the St. Lawrence valley, Eastern Lake region, Pennsylvania and New York. Zero temperatures prevail near Lake Superior and Northern Lake Michigan, while the southern limit of freezing temperature includes New Mexico, Northern Texas, Arkansas, Tennessee and North Carolina. Indications favor snow again at the Head of the Lakes during the ensuing thirty-six hours."

General Forecasts.

Chicago, Dec. 9.—Forecasts for twenty-four hours ending at 7 p. m. Saturday:

Upper Michigan—Cloudy, with snow flurries tonight or Saturday; rising temperature.

Wisconsin — Increasing cloudiness, with snow late tonight or Saturday; warmer tonight and in the east portion Saturday.

Minnesota—Increased cloudiness, with snow tonight or Saturday; warmer tonight; colder in west portion Saturday.

Iowa—Increasing cloudiness, with rain or snow tonight or Saturday; warmer tonight.

North Dakota—Generally fair tonight and Saturday; colder in northwest portion tonight.

South Dakota—Cloudy tonight, with colder in west portion; Saturday generally fair.

Montana—Generally fair tonight and Saturday; colder tonight.

Shippers' forecast—Protect 36-hour shipments of perishables against temperatures of 10 to 20 deg. above zero in Minnesota, Wisconsin and the Dakotas.

The Temperatures.

Following were the highest temperatures for twenty-four hours and the lowest for twelve, ending at 7 a. m. today:

	High.	Low.		High.	Low.
Abilene	52	28	Miles City	36	26
Alpena	22	6	Milwaukee	16	8
Atlantic City	38	18	Minnedosa	4	—2
Battleford	8	14	Modena	58	31
Bismarck	22	16	Montgomery	72	36
Boise	46	36	Montreal	24	0
Boston	36	20	Moorhead	4	0
Buffalo	24	12	New Orleans	62	48
Calgary	30	18	New York	34	20
Charleston	54	36	North Platte	52	22
Chicago	24	16	Oklahoma	48	28
Corpus Christi	78	58	Parry Sound	18	..
Denver	52	34	Phoenix	76	42
Des Moines	26	20	Pittsburg	28	14
Devils Lake	6	0	Port Arthur	10	—6
Dodge	58	32	Portland, Or	52	40
Dubuque	24	8	Prince Albert	24	4
DULUTH	6	—6	Qu'Appelle	12	—2
Durango	50	26	Raleigh	59	32
Eastport	26	18	Rapid City	48	20
Edmonton	28	..	Roseburg	50	44
Escanaba	16	6	Roswell	66	28
Galveston	68	62	St. Louis	66	28
Grand Haven	22	18	St. Paul	14	0
Green Bay	16	—2	Salt Lake City	50	48
Hatteras	50	40	San Diego	72	56
Havre	20	16	San Francisco	62	52
Helena	36	28	Sault Ste. Marie	12	—8
Houghton		10	Sheridan	34	14
Huron	22	18	Shreveport	62	42
Jacksonville	58	38	Spokane	42	36
Kamloops	46	31	Swift Current	28	24
Kansas City	30	18	Tampa	62	40
Knoxville	44	26	Toledo	26	40
La Crosse		—4	Washington	38	14
Louisville	38	20	Williston	18	8
Madison	14	2	Winnemucca	54	41
Marquette	14	6	Winnipeg	6	—4
Memphis	44	30	Yellowstone	34	28

WEST END NEWS

"SWEDISH SANKEY" WILL PREACH IN THE WEST END

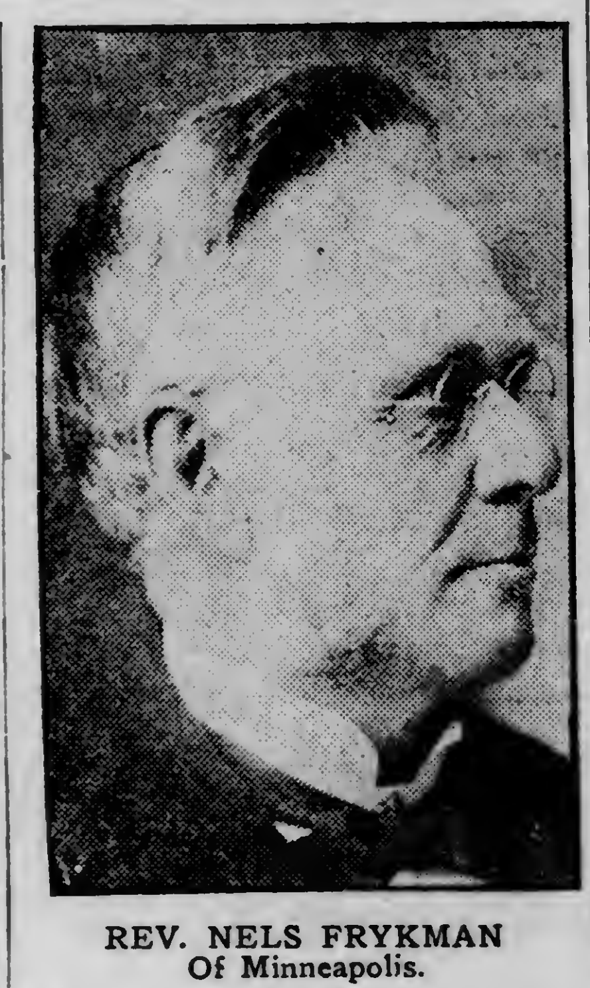
Swedish church people of the West end are much interested in the appearance Sunday at the Swedish Mission church, Twenty-first avenue west and Second street, of Rev. Nels. Frykman, who stands foremost among the Swedish people as a composer of hymns.

Rev. Mr. Frykman, whose home is in Minneapolis, has been in the West end for the past few days visiting friends. Wednesday evening he delivered a lecture at the Swedish Mission church at West Duluth.

Sunday morning he will preach at the Swedish Mission church at the West end and in the evening he will deliver a lecture on "The History of My Songs." He has written more sacred songs for Swedish Hymnals than anyother one man and is known among the Swedish churchmen as the "Swedish Sankey."

Rev. Mr. Frykman has passed his 70th birthday and is numbered among the superannuated preachers of the Swedish Mission church. For twenty years he was pastor of Salem church, Kandiyohi county, Minn., and prior to that was pastor of the Swedish Tabernacle church of Chicago.

For a number of years he was also vice president of the Swedish Mission covenant of America. At the services Sunday evening the choir will sing several of his hymns.



REV. NELS FRYKMAN
Of Minneapolis.

PORT WING PASTOR WILL PREACH HERE.

Rev. E. J. Nordeen of Port Wing, Wis., will preach Sunday morning at Bethany Swedish Lutheran church, Twenty-third avenue west and Third street. He is in the city to attend the conference of the Duluth branch of the Lake Superior district of the Swedish Lutheran churches, which will convene Sunday afternoon at Bethany church.

Erickson-Knight.

Miss Geneva Erickson of Clinton, Wis., and J. George Knight of the West end were married yesterday by Rev. Swaney Nelson, pastor of the First Swedish Baptist church. The wedding was a quiet affair and after the ceremony the couple left for Wisconsin points on a short wedding trip.

WATER MAIN EXTENSIONS WILL BE DISCUSSED.

The water question will again be brought up at the meeting of the West end Hillside Improvement club at the Ensign school, Twenty-third avenue west and Tenth street, this evening.

A committee will be appointed to appear before the water board and ascertain what guarantee, if any, will be required of the West end hillsiders, if the proposed extension of water mains is made as far as the Ensign school.

LINEMAN FALLS FROM TELEPHONE POLE.

Algot Lager, a lineman employed by the Zenith Telephone company, fell twenty-five feet from a pole while working at the West end yesterday and sustained only a fractured leg.

He was taken to his home, 2301 North Twenty-third street, Superior, where it is thought that he will soon recover, as it is not believed that he received any internal injuries.

Fellow workmen picked him up and carried him to the office of Dr. A. J. Braden, who dressed the injuries. An ambulance was summoned and he was removed to Superior.

Foresters' Election.

St. Louis court, Catholic Order of Foresters, held its annual election of officers last evening at St. Jean Baptiste hall, Twenty-fifth avenue west and Third street. The following were named to serve for 1911:

Chief ranger, Dr. Pare; vice ranger, A. Koyal; secretary, A. Zerllet; financial secretary, Leo Belanger; treasurer, Dr. Giroux; trustees, Messrs. Gauthier, Marchildon, Lamontagne; speaker, W. Poirier.

The state convention will be held at Mankato and the delegate named was Frank Robitaille with Peter Grignon, alternate.

Hibernians Elect.

Division No. 6, Ancient Order of Hibernians, elected the following officers last evening: P. A. Hughes, president; George Ryan, vice president; L. Drohan, recording secretary, John Simon, financial secretary; Frank Gallagher, treasurer; L. Flood, sergeant at arms; J. Garvey, sentry. The standing committee was chosen as follows: A. J. Beers, chairman, J. Devaney, P. O'Toole, J. D. Murphy and J. J. Hughes.

West End Shortrails.

The Ladies' Guild of St. Luke's Episcopal church will conduct a food sale tomorrow at J. J. Moe & Sons' company store, Twenty-first avenue west and Superior street.

Funeral services for the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Soberg of 1016 West Third street, who died Thursday, will be held tomorrow afternoon from the residence.

Rev. Swaney Nelson, pastor of the First Swedish Baptist church, returned yesterday from Two Harbors.

The Scandinavian Sisters of America, West end lodge, will hold its annual election of officers this evening at Columbia hall, Twentieth avenue west and Superior street.

Miss Soderberg, a missionary among the Finnish people of Seattle, Wash., lectured on her experiences last evening at Central Baptist church, Twentieth avenue west and First street.

A open meeting of the West End Commercial club will be held this evening at Sloan's hall, Twentieth avenue west and Superior street. Mayor M. B. Cullum and Alderman Wharton will speak on the commission form of government.

The United Temperance association will meet this evening at the home of L. A. Simonson of 2102 West Superior street. This will be the first meeting of the association since it was formed three weeks ago.

SOO FAST TRAIN KILLS MEEKER COUNTY FARMER.

St. Cloud, Minn., Dec. 9.—Michael Simonson, a wealthy and prominent farmer of Meeker county, was instantly killed Wednesday evening while driving home from the village of Kimball, Stearns county, by the Winnipeg flyer on the Soo railway. The train was going at full speed and in the dark Simonson misjudged its speed and thought he could cross the tracks first. The horses were safely on the other side of the track when the engine struck the heavy wagon, cutting it in two and instantly killing Simonson, who was alone in the wagon. It is probable that an inquest will be held.

WOULD WIN WOMAN BY FIRING HUSBAND'S BARN.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Dec. 9.—Charles Bagunola, who worked on an Edmunds county farm this year for H. H. Hanson, has been arrested, charged with arson. He is accused of setting fire to buildings on the Hanson farm because he was infatuated with Mrs. Hanson and thought that by ruining her husband he could cause a separation and thus have a better chance of winning her.

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Christmas Presents

FOR MEN

Visit our store and select a useful present, one that father, brother or friend will appreciate. What can be more useful than one or more in this list?

Neckwear, plain and fancy, up from	25¢
Sox, in plain and fancy colors, up from	25¢
Wilson Bros.' Shirts, up from	$1.00

Arrow Brand Collars, Suspenders, Gloves, plain and initial Handkerchiefs, Neck Scarfs and numerous other things dear to a man's heat.

CHAS. MORK & CO.,
MEN'S FURNISHER.
1930 West Superior Street.

ALL CARS TRANSFER TO MOE'S.

Moe's
John J. Moe & Sons Co
(Formerly Johnson & Moe)
The West End Big Department Store
21st Ave W. & Superior St., Duluth.

Ladies Will Want One of These
Long Sweater Coats

For Christmas. We have a large stock of these fine coats in many styles and at prices from— **$6.98 to $2.48**

We have one fine $6.50 number we are selling this week at **$5.00**

The Moe Store Abounds With Holiday Gift Ideas For Men, Women and Children.

Women Will Be Glad to Receive One of These Fine Coats For Christmas.

Winter has only started, and if you buy now at Moe's low prices you will be saving money at the same time.

This Seal Plush Coat is a Most Beautiful Model

And would make a most desirable Christmas gift. It is a magnificently rich looking coat; well tailored and lined with Skinner's guaranteed satin; has large shawl collar; crocheted frogs and plush covered buttons; sold elsewhere at $32.50 and $35, but Moe's price only

$25

$25.00 Ladies' Caracul Coat at $19.50.

This group of fine Coats are made of choice glossy pony or caracul cloth, lined with guaranteed satin. A regular leader at $25—but Moe's price—only

$19.50

Special Prices in Ladies' Beautiful

Broadcloth Coats

One beautiful new model is made of fine imported broadcloth, has military collar, trimmed with imitation fur band on the cuffs, collars and down the front, lined with guaranteed satin. This coat is easily worth $30, and at Moe's price it is an exceptional bargain, at only **$25**

We are also selling some fine $25 Plush-lined Broadcloth Coats this week at **$18.50**

Elegant Furs Are Ideal Christmas Gifts

When the recipient opens up the package on Christmas and finds as beautiful fur sets as we are selling, the lady will have good reason to go into ecstacy over them. Prices run as follows: A fine Mink Fur Set with large muff and collar—for complete set **$25**

A fine Imitation Lynx Set, large shawl collar and rug muff, tail trimmed—complete set **$15**

A beautiful White Thibet Fur Set, with large shawl collar and large muff set complete **$16.50**

Sale of Ladies' Silk Waists.

This is a most opportune sale, coming as it does just before Christmas. Every one likes to wear something new during this festal season and we have divided this assortment into two lots—

LOT 1

Ladies' Black Taffeta and Persian Silk Waists—Regular value $5, Moe's special price

$3.50

LOT 2

Ladies' Plain Colored Messaline Silk Waists, with Persian trimmings, also Persian designed silk waists—regular values up to $7, Moe's special price

$4.98

We have many fine net waists, taffetas and Persian silks, ranging in price from

$2.50 up to $7.50

Fine Handkerchiefs to Meet All Demands.

When you buy handkerchiefs you like to choose from a large, endless variety. Then come to Moe's. We have handkerchiefs galore. In cotton or linen, with scalloped edges, or plain hemstitched. Some with lace effects, others with initials embroidered on them. Here you can buy handkerchiefs for everybody, from

5c each up to $1.25.

Gloves Are Always Appreciated

But they must be of good quality. You are safe in buying gloves at Moe's. We have Ladies' Gloves in all sizes, colors; short and long lengths; in kid, mocha and silk—

50c up to $3.25.

If you wish to spend less, buy Moe's Voltaire Kid Gloves at **$1.00**—or Moe's Fine Virginia Kid Gloves at **$1.50.**

Final Clean-up Sale of High Class Millinery.

We have on hand about 100 beautiful, stylish hats that must be closed out before Christmas. Those who have delayed their hat buying can reap the saving benefit NOW. Our fine assortment divided as follows:

LOT 1

Every single hat worth up to $4.50—your choice now

$1.98

LOT 2

Every hat that sold at high as $12.50—your choice now at

$3.98

Remember, this includes our entire stock. Nothing reserved. Early buying is advised.

D. H., 12-9-'10.

It will make you open your eyes to see the style, quality, pattern and fit of a Columbia $30 Overcoat.

Last night we heard two gentlemen comparing notes about their overcoat experience in the St. Louis hotel lobby.

One wore a last season's $35 made-to-order coat that looked like 30 cents—lining torn, shape gone, neck out of place, ill-fitting—and it wasn't a Mitchell creation, either.

The other had a last season's Sincerity Coat. I think he paid us $30 for it. It looked as aristocratic as on the day he bought it.

Outcome—another Columbia Overcoat customer.

Columbia Clothing Co.

Foot-note:
Walk in Hanan Shoes.

Be Sure to Come Tomorrow

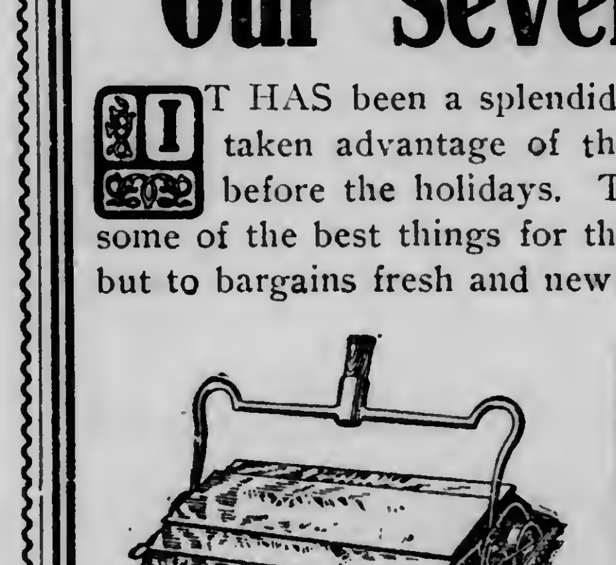
"Duluth's Greatest Stove Merchants"

ENGER & OLSON
THE BIG WEST END FURNITURE HOUSE
19th AVE. W. and SUPERIOR ST.

Biggest Bargains of the Sale

Saturday Sees the Finish of Our Seventh Anniversary Sale!

IT HAS been a splendid success all the way through! Great crowds have attended and taken advantage of the very timely offerings, saving handsomely on things needed, just before the holidays. Tomorrow is the final wind-up of the big sale. We have reserved some of the best things for the last day, and you who come will not be treated to "left-overs," but to bargains fresh and new! Below are a few of the good things. Come for them!



E. & O. Sweepers

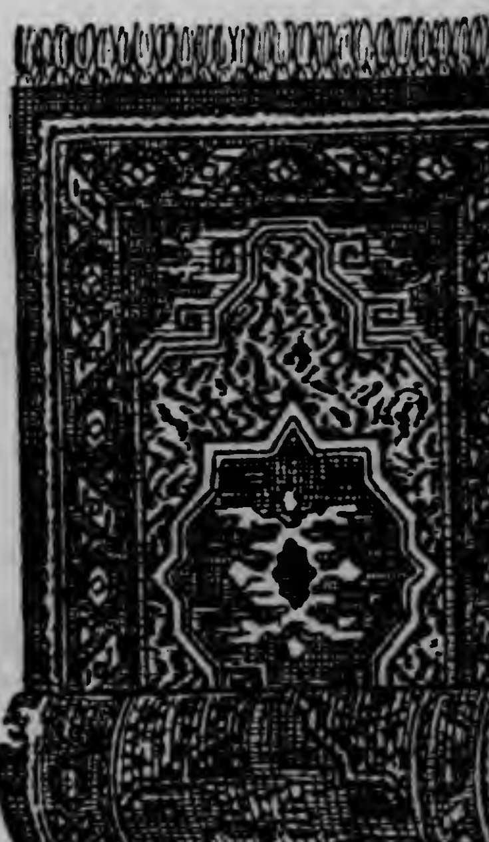
Steel construction, with fine quality brushes; will do the work as well as the $4.00 kind Saturday, very special **97c**

Music and Record Cabinets

Choice of several splendid styles in Music and Record Cabinets, mahogany and quarter-sawed oak, with handy arrangements of spaces and drawers; regular prices $8.25 to $10, at— **$4.97**

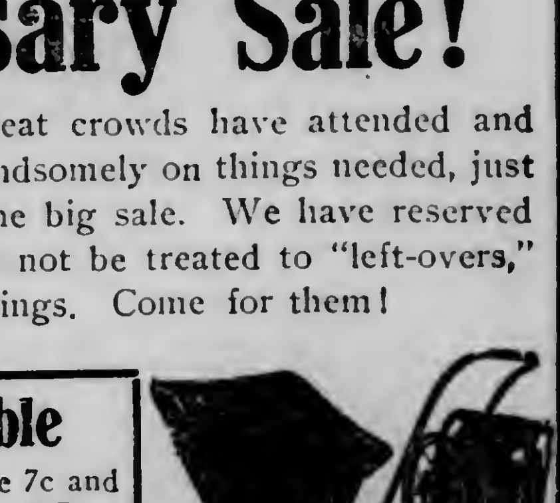
Choose From 17c Table

We want to make a clean sweep of the 7c and 17c Tables—Choice from both tables, articles worth up to 30c, while the lots last on Saturday, at only **7c**



27x54-inch Rugs

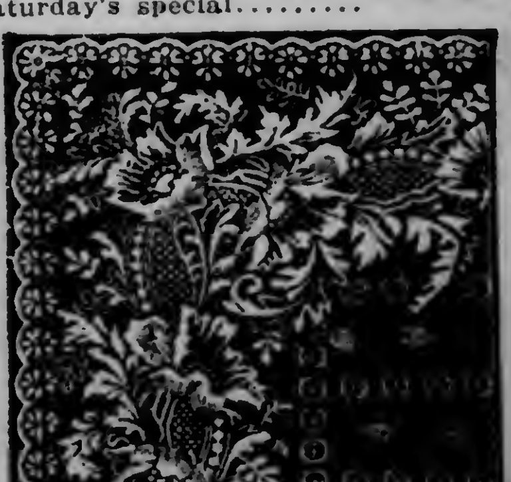
A lot of Axminsters, Brussels and Smyrnas, in good patterns; values to $1.75 each as regularly sold, for a flyer Saturday **77c**



Doll's Go-Carts in several sizes, in wire and regular folding styles, worth $1.25 each—on sale Saturday—only **77c**

$1.75 Lace Curtains

Nottingham Lace Curtains, in 42-inch width and full 3-yard length; easily worth $1.75 as regularly sold; Saturday's special **77c**



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A Gift Suggestion

For friend or relative; can you think of any thing that would please them more than a nice parlor or library table? The large assortment we show makes choosing easy because it gives you a wide range of styles and prices. Suppose you come into our store tomorrow and look over the stock for a particularly nice gift.

This store is the **Ideal Gift Store.**

COMPLETE HOUSEFURNISHERS
BAYHA & CO
Second Ave. W. and First St.

USE YOUR CREDIT DURING THE HOLIDAY SEASON.

SPECIAL SALE ON
200 Pair **Game Carvers**
65c

Regular Price $1.25
QUAYLE-LARSEN CO.
23 Second Ave. West.

D. H., Dec. 9, 1910.

Tomorrow's Extra Specials On the Columbia's Second Floor

Christmas shopping has started in for good and here are a few extra specials to attract wise seekers of real bargains.

Smoking Jackets at $3.85

A special lot of the famous R. & W. Smoking Jackets or House Coats. Worth up to $10.00. All sizes in the lot up to 46. About 125 coats.

Buy your presents early and get the pick.

Boys' Suits at $3.85

Every odd suit and every small lot will be put on sale. There are a hundred, and their original prices are $5 to $6.50. **Russian Suits** for the little fellows, and plain Two-piece Suits with knicker pants for boys up to 17 years of age. You'll save $1.15 on the poorest in the lot, and $2.65 on the best.

Buy your presents early and get the pick.

Boys' Coats and Reefers at $4.95

These are selected from the very finest stock, running in price up to $8.50. Most of them the famous Sampeck make. Chinchillas, cheviots, cassimeres and velours, in button-to-neck, box and ulsterette styles—ages 3 to 14.

Columbia Clothing Co.

A most cheerful place to dine, is at

The St. Louis Inn

—delightful music.
—interesting surroundings.
—and the Menu always filled most good things to eat.

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NEWS AND VIEWS OF LEGISLATORS AND POLITICIANS

Guy A. Eaton Commands Oil Inspection Army as Well as the Naval Militia—Samuel Lord Reappointed to Tax Commission and C. G. Schulze Remaines Superintendent of Education—Money Spent By the Republican State Central Committee.

Eaton Is Appointed State Oil Inspector.

Announcement that Guy A. Eaton has been appointed state oil inspector, which was made by the governor yesterday afternoon, did not come as a surprise, as it was generally known among St. Louis county politicians that Capt. Eaton was slated for something worth while. As secretary of the Republican county committee he bore the brunt of the office work of the campaign, and his genial personality contributed much to the harmony and good fellowship that pervaded headquarters in the St. Louis hotel.

Eaton managed J. Adam Bede's successful campaign for congress and in due time was appointed postmaster, from which office he retired at the expiration of his term to be succeeded by A. P. Cook, appointed on the recommendation of Congressman Miller. No love is lost between Miller and Eaton, so the story goes, but Eaton might have been reappointed postmaster had he cared to play the Miller game. But he wasn't reappointed.

There was talk of his getting the job of surveyor general of logs and lumber, but complications antedating his becoming a Barkis, precluded his landing that job, the value of which is problematic, and when the governor offered him the inspectorship, during the Brainerd meeting, he was urged to accept it.

M. Eaton will succeed E. J. Lynch, a Johnson appointee, high in the councils of the Democratic party of the state. Mr. Lynch was a member of the far-famed kitchen cabinet, the adjunct to the Johnson administrations which supplied almost as much material for newspaper "copy" as did the personality of the late governor himself. Mr. Lynch is a shrewd politician, thoroughly imbued with the spirit of the game, and may be expected to be heard from later in Minnesota politics, and when he is, there is every likelihood that most of the other kitchen cabineteers will be on the job with him.

The office of state oil inspector pays a straight salary of $2,500. He appoints two deputies each for Ramsey and Hennepin counties and one for St. Louis county, these five deputies being paid $100 a month each. Deputies are appointed for each of the other counties, but their pay is prescribed by the state inspector and limited to the amount of fees they collect, and in no case may go above $100. The inspector receives monthly reports from his deputies and makes an annual report to the governor. The state pays the mileage of the inspector and his deputies at the rate of 10 cents a mile.

With ninety odd deputies on his list, the state oil inspector is an important cog in the political machine. In fact, the oil inspection department has long been considered to all intents and purposes largely a political agency of the state administration, the chief duties of its personnel being to perpetuate the dominant power in control of the state government.

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Lord Kept On the State Tax Commission

Samuel Lord of Kasson remains a member of the state tax commission, according to an official announcement made by Governor Eberhart in St. Paul yesterday. This is another appointment that was expected. The place is one of importance and dignity and is monetarily desirable, paying $4,500 a year. Commissioner Lord is chairman of the body from which Commissioner Charles Halvorson is to retire at the end of his term. Carl J. Swendsen of St. James has been appointed to succeed him. Mr. Lord was a member of the state senate two terms, serving in the legislature from 1893 to 1907. He is an old line Republican, a native of Minnesota, is a lawyer and was county attorney of Dodge county twelve years. He was appointed by Governor Johnson a member of the first state tax commission.

Another reappointment announced is that of C. G. Schulze as superintendent of education, and he also is a Johnson appointee. County superintendents of schools throughout the state urged Governor Eberhart to keep him in the office, to which he succeeded upon the resignation of Supt. Olson.

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Duluthians Help Poverty Stricken G. O. P.

An examination of the campaign expense account turned in to the state authorities by the Republican state central committee is interesting to Duluthians, showing as it does that Zenith City men came to the front nobly when Chairman Ed Smith said "Come across." Senator E. B. Hawkins, for instance, contributed $1.750, in three lots—$1,000, $250, $500. C. A. Congdon put an even $1,000 into the G. O. P. jackpot; A. M. Chisholm and M. H. Alworth each $500; G. G. Hartley $400, and W. H. Cole $250. Guy A. Eaton and Odin Halden each put in $300, and Walter J. Smith of Eveleth, who was elected state treasurer, was permitted to swell his campaign expenses to the extent of $500, $300 in one ante and $200 in another.

Other contributions were:

Governor Eberhart	.$2,000	E. E. Smith.	400
J. A. Schmahl	500	A. D. Stephens	500
C. F. Staples	500	T. C. Collins.	200
I. A. Caswell	200	Dan Shell....	300
C L. Brown.	300	L. F. Dow...	250
P. E. Brown.	300	J. McAlpine..	25
D. F. Simpson	300	E. S. Pettijohn	25
E. A. Jaggard	200	A. C Clausen.	130
C. G. Bryant.	50	*J. A. O. Preus	112.50
A. C. Clausen	1,310	B. N. Anderson	5
S. G. Iverson	750	Eli S. Warner	250
George Welsh	50	C. H. McGill.	250
J. A. Duffy..	50	J. F. Calhoun	325
A. C. Clausen	570	A. O. Eberhart	1,000
Knute Nelson	200	G. J. Bradley	250
G. T. Simpson	250	Ed. Erickson.	.25
R. W. Wheelock	600	Sam Y. Gordon	100
J. A. O. Preus	200	I. A. Caswell .	100
H. W. Stone.	200	A. C. Clausen	610
A. C. Clausen	435	S. G. Iverson.	50
S. G. Iverson.	200	G T. Simpson	89.54

*Treasurer of former state committee.

The total amount contributed was $19,517.04. It doesn't appear from the figures where that four cents came from, but maybe it represents how some of the defeated candidates felt after the Republican state convention.

The committee must spend more than it received, the total liabilities being $21,152.73. In the treasury there is $68.07, which financial situation creates a deficit of $1,567.02. The statement of disbursements was filed:

Disbursements.

Headquarters rental.........$	807.22
Salaries of office employes..	1,251.78
Office supplies	675.15
Telephone service...........	489.30
Postage and express.........	1,404.95
Printing, advertising.........	11,378.76
Livery and transportation and hotels	1,285.77
Copying	445.61
Canvassing	734.24
Hall rent and meeting.......	976.97

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Senator Cheadle Talks To Lakesiders.

Harry W. Cheadle, state senator-elect from the Fifty-first district, will speak before the Lakeside club this evening, when legislative subjects of interest to Duluth will be given consideration. The meeting will be held in the hall at the corner of Forty-fifth avenue east and Robinson street. It will be the last meeting of the club before the legislative session opens and the members are taking a lively interest in projects that are to be presented to the legislature in behalf of Duluth.

Municipal affairs also will be discussed, of particular interest to Lakesiders, such as alleged inadequate street car service and the problem of combatting the dust nuisance. London road residents pay $1,200 annually for sprinkling that thoroughfare and they say automobiles from all parts of the city stir up the dust as soon as it has been laid. It is proposed to find some preparation that will do the work more effective than does water.

Other municipal subjects are expected to come up.

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Campaign Money Is Accounted For

Bert Fesler, as treasurer of the Democratic congressional campaign committee, filed the statement of that organization's expenses in its fight for the election of Judge Jaques yesterday, giving $1,264.41 as the total of such expenditures. Judge Jaques also filed his statement, the total of his expenses being $520.42, making a total set-back of $1,784.83 to the lost cause. John Saari, treasurer of the Miller campaign committee, has not filed a statement of expenses for that committee.

Senator Laybourn, who opposed the victorious ambition of Harry W. Cheadle to serve in the state senate from the Fifty-first, says in his statement that he spent $235, and J. H. Whitely, whose struggle to gain the Republican nomination for judge of probate was unavailing, sacrificed to the god of the ambitions a total of $277.67.

C. C. Bartholomew, a Prohibitionist who was willing to risk association with the members of the house as a representative from the Fifty-first, spent $24.50. Although in all probability the two facts have no relation to each other, it is true that Mr. Bartholomew was not given mandate to risk that association.

William McComber, Democratic candidate for county commissioner for the Second district, got rid of $96 in the campaign, which resulted in reelection of John Tischer.

J. A. McCuen, re-elected coroner, spent $44.25.

Heavy Blue Serge Suits $10

At the "3 Winner's" great suit sale, which starts tomorrow at 115 East Superior street.

PERHAM LATEST TO ADOPT "LID"

Saloons There Closed But Agents Found Very Little Liquor.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Dec. 9. — The eight saloons in Perham, which was the largest "wet" village in Otter Tail county, were closed Thursday by government agents. The reports indicate that there was but little liquor found when the deputy arrived to close them. It has been known for several days that the deputies would soon be on hand, and saloon patrons have been stocking up, it is said. The demand for jugs suddenly rose to enormous proportions, and every grocery and crockery store was soon cleared out. Bottles were utilized as far as they went, and a large part of the saloon stocks was soon transferred to private owners. Consequently, the deputies found little to ship out.

Hans O. Hagen, a summer resort proprietor at Pelican Rapids, was brought to this city yesterday and was bound over to the grand jury on the charge of selling liquor illegally. This is the sixth case from that locality.

THREE DISTRICTS IN NORTH DAKOTA

Increased Population to Add Additional Congressmen to the State.

Grand Forks, N. D., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—Assurance that North Dakota will be entitled to three members of congress under the new apportionment based on the increased population of the state, raises the question of congressional division for the coming legislative assembly to settle.

Politicians appear to be favorable to a division of the eastern section of the state into two districts, one for the north quarter and the other for the south quarer, while the third district would be made up of counties on the Missouri slope and those lying parallel to the north, going as far east as Ward, Sheridan and Burleigh. Such a division, it appears, can be made with a very fair distribution of population through the three districts.

How Districts Will be Made.

Under the plan proposed for two eastern and one western districts, the counties would be included in the different districts as follows:

Northeastern district—Pembina, Cavalier, Walsh, Grand Forks, Traill, Steele, Nelson, Ramsey, Pierce, Rolette, Bottineau, McHenry, Towner and Benson.

Southwestern district — Richland, Cass. Sargent, Ransom, McIntosh, Logan, Stutsman, Barnes, Griggs, Foster, Wells, Emmons, Kidder, La Moure, Dickey and Eddy.

Western district—Bowman, Billings, Mercer, Oliver, Stark, Adams, Hettinger, Morton, Dunn, McKenzie, McLean, Sheridan, Burleigh, Ward, Mountrail, Renville, Burke and Williams.

FAMOUS DEADWOOD COACH OUT OF GAME.

Lead, S. D., Dec. 9.—With the letting of a contract for the carrying of the United States mails over the Spearfish-Whitewood route, the postoffice department abandoned the famous old Deadwood coach. For twenty-seven years Harvey Fellows had been carrying the mails over the Spearfish-Deadwood route, and many an Eastern tourist took a delight in taking the trip with him.

WASHBURN SALOON MAN IS FOUND NOT GUILTY.

Madison, Wis., Dec. 9.—Louis Werner, a Washburn saloonkeeper, was found not guilty by a jury in federal court here, on a charge of selling liquor to an Indian. The trial of George E. Benedict, a bartender of Ashland, on a similar charge, is on.

Wesley Bartel, 22 years old, of Bayfield, pleaded guilty to introducing liquor on the reservation. Judge Sanborn withheld sentence until later.

The government recently indicted many saloon men on charges relating to the sale of liquor to Indians. For years it has arrested Indians, but now it proposes to make an example of the men who are responsible for the Indians' possession of firewater. The crusade against the liquor men was waged by W. E. Johnson and his deputies.

SHOE SALESMEN
WANTED TOMORROW
Gopher Shoe Works,
17 Second Avenue West

NOT REGISTERED.

Cavalier, N. D., Defeated Candidate Raises Pertinent Point.

Langdon, N. D., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—Conditions almost identical with those existing in Grand Forks are revealed in an action brought by Joseph Power against J. K. Hamilton contesting his election to the position of county auditor of Cavalier county. Power alleges that the fact that the voters of Langdon were not registered as provided by law, makes null the votes cast in the city.

The same question brought up here is found in the suit brought in Grand Forks county in which the office of county superintendent of schools is at stake, it being charged that the women of Grand Forks city were not registered.

Minors Barred From Pool Halls.

Minot, N. D., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—Laws regulating the admission of minors to pool and billiard halls will be strictly enforced, orders having been issued to that effect by the city commission. Already the campaign is in active progress and warnings have been given to both pool hall proprietors and to the minors in question that any violation of the law will result in arrest.

Advertise in The Herald.

French & Bassett
DULUTH, MINN.

Gift Choosing Is Easy Here

A Mammoth Storehouse Full of Christmas Cheer

The other day the "ad man," who was prowling around looking over the new arrivals in different departments heard some ladies say: "We would have saved nearly half a day in looking around if we had come here first." We think you'll find this true, because we have the largest, best selected, most reasonably priced stock of everything for the home—in the city. Our buyers are always on the alert for new, attractive, up-to-date things—that's why the business at this store is always on the increase. Every department contributes wonderfully to this season of the year. **Gifts from 25 cents up.** You'll find French & Bassett's the great Christmas store.

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Red Cross Christmas Seals on Sale

In the crockery department and on the main floor. Use them on your Christmas packages—in so doing you are making Christmas and the following months brighter and happier and the whole world better for some one not as fortunate as you.

Silver Plated Pie Plates *$2.85*

An ideal, artistic, heavily plated Silver Plate for serving the homely-looking pie—the tin pie plate fits inside this dish and makes a handsome table addition. Only one of a large number of such novelties you'll find here.

KARNAK BRASS

Smokers' Stands *$1.68*

Smokers' Sets in Brass

With tray, cigar holder, match safe and ash tray—all of solid brass. A splendid Christmas gift for any one who smokes.

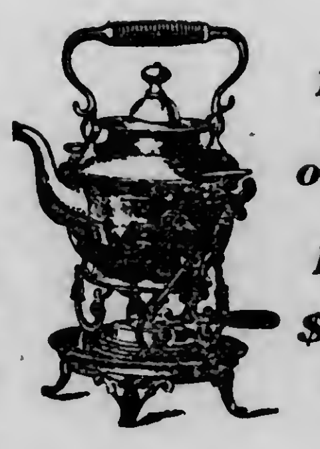
See the Christmas Display in Our Avenue Windows.

It will pay you to watch our avenue windows for helpful Christmas suggestions at most popular prices. Every few days new and tasty things will be shown. Note the pupular prices at which they are marked.

Copper or Nickel Plated Percolators

$4.75

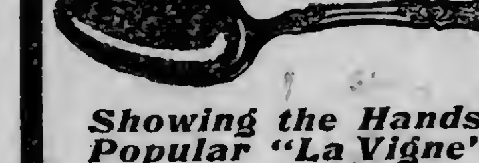
One of the greatest values ever offered in a high-grade Coffee percolator. These articles generally sell for $8 or $10. This one has a good alcohol lamp—makes ideal richly flavored coffee, right at the table.



Brass Five o'Clock Tea Kettle

$2.18

These Five O'Clock Tea Kettles are beauties; they have a good reliable alcohol lamp, are handsomely finished and come complete with standard as the cut shows—only $2.18.



Showing the Handsome and Popular "La Vigne" Pattern

William A. Rogers' high-grade plated silver in this beautiful pattern—for this week at special prices. Note these values:

6 Tea Spoons for........ 98c
6 Dessert Spoons for..... $1.75
3 Table Spoons for........ 98c
6 Knives and Forks to match, $3.98.

Casseroles or Baking Dishes

Silver Plated Frame—Like Cut— $3.88

These are splendid values—a heavily plated frame with Guernsey lining—a full size baking dish. One of these would make a handsome, useful present—very popular and acceptable. We have a large line to select from.

Mahogany Frame Clocks— Like Cut *$6.50*

A very handsomely figured mahogany cased clock, with fully guaranteed works—clear distinct figures on the face—keeps accurate time. This clock is a big bargain at our price—and will make an acceptable gift.

$4.98 Buys a large, iron cabinet clock—fitted with guaranteed works. A big value and a handsome ornament.

From $2.00 to $6.00

We have a fine stock of smaller clocks in all styles, mahogany, brass, china, gold, etc.

The Cut Glass Sale Continues Until Saturday

A sale of fine, deep cut, heavy glass—clear, brilliant and sparkling—at such prices as you little dreamed possible. We bought a big lot of fine Cut Glass—pitchers, bowls, spoon trays, tumblers, nappies, footed comports, fern dishes—salts and peppers—priced all the way from 58c up. Cut Glass always is acceptable, the dainty, beautiful sparkling crystal designs seem particularly suited for Christmas gifts.

Large 8-inch Cut Glass Bowls for $1.98
Salt and Pepper Shakers, sterling tops...58¢
Sugar and Cream Sets, per pair $1.98
Spoon Trays $1.10
5-inch Cut Glass Nappies ....68¢
6-inch Cut Glass Nappies ....98¢

Two Pretty Patterns in 8-4 Table Cloths

Special, While They Last *$1.65*

These handsome cloths you'll find on our Third floor in the drapery department. They are big values at $1.65. Come as early as you can to get one. When they are sold out we cannot furnish more at this price.

The Best Value-Giving Sale in Duluth Is
Clark's Big Purchase Shoe Sale

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ACTING IN GOOD FAITH

Homestead Entrants Now Complying Strictly With Letter of the Law.

Flood of Land Contests of Few Years Ago Is Receding.

The increasing demand for land for actual settlement and the decreasing supply of desirable tracts have brought about a strict compliance with the homestead laws that is resulting in a recession in the flood of land contests from the high tide of three or four years ago.

A few years ago the Duluth land office was flooded with contests. People desiring land were on the lookout and the least wavering of homesteaders from the letter of the homestead laws precipitated a contest and the homesteader was put to great expense and the vexations of prolonged litigation. Some of the cases filed three or four or five years ago have not yet been decided and the people who made the original entries are waiting for patents which may never be issued to them.

Time was not very many years ago when perjury was common in obtaining title to government land. People who lived in the cities entered on land under the homestead laws, lived on it a short time each year or just long enough to make the necessary improvements and then swore under oath that they had lived on the land for the required length of time to obtain title. The land office officials had no way of learning otherwise and took the statemetns under oath for their face value.

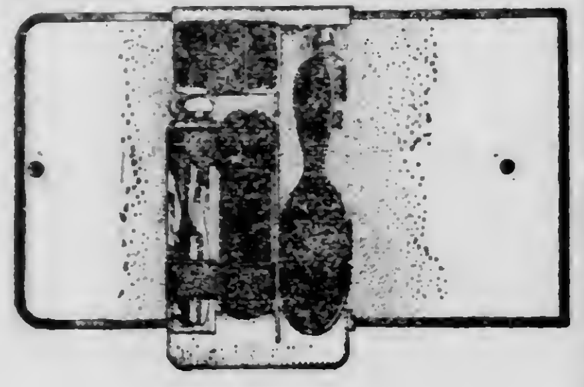
There was plenty of land for everybody at that time and there were few contests. Rather than "jump" a claim and start a contest, a person would make an original entry on another claim fully as desirable. Times have changed. Desirable tracts of land are so scarce that, if there is a chance of winning a contest, a person will readily "jump" another man's claim if the other man is not acting in good faith.

The law has always been "residence, settlement and improvement in good faith," but in the old days, there was no check on homesteaders. Now the people standing ready to "jump" claims are a check on the others and nobody would think of making a homestead entry unless he intended to act in good faith.

The flood of contests of three or four years ago has had a salutary effect on homesteaders. The requirements of the law are not regarded any more as so much red tape. People know that, when invoked, the letter of the law holds and the result is that people actually make homes on their claims and comply with the law as to residence and improvements.

In the days when the law, except in its general provisions, existed only in the statute books, much land in Northern Minnesota passed into the hands of those who never intended to cultivate it and the agricultural development of this section of the state was consequently retarded. The government land now remaining is in demand by actual settlers and people who enter on the land will assist in the agricultural development of Northern Minnesota and the land will thus go to those whom the homestead laws were intended to benefit.

D. H., Dec. 9, 1910.



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Even Dogs Are Developing the Motor Mania in New York

"MIME" MOTORING.

"Mime" is the latest evidence of motor-mania. "Mime" is a dog of the Papillon breed living in New York at the Hotel Walton. He has developed such a craze for motoring that it is hard to keep him out of the seat of any passing motor car. He prefers to ride on the front side and the faster the machine goes the better it suits him. He disappeared one day this week and the police are now looking for him in motor circles. As he weighs but nine pounds he will be hard to find in a big city like New York. It is thought that he has jumped into a passing automobile and gone on a joy ride. His mistress is very unhappy over his desertion.

"POLLY" IS AFTER HIM ALL THE TIME

Imaginary Foe Will Not Allow John Andrews a Peaceful Moment.

An evil spirit known as "Polly," keeps right after John Andrews, 65 years old, and won't allow him a peaceful minute.

So John, pursued by the imaginary influences, rushed into Poor Commissioner Shogan's office in the courthouse this morning and closed the door quickly behind him. He didn't want the door opened even for a moment for those who pursued him can slip through even the smallest epenings, he says.

He says that he does not even know who "Polly" is, but that "Polly" does cause a great deal of trouble. When "Polly" cannot come himself, he sends substitutes to bother John and the old man's life for the last few weeks has been almost unbearable.

The substitutes follow John wherever he goes. They followed him to the poor farm when he was sent there some time ago.

Thinking that he would give them the slip and outwit them, he went to Superior and secured a job washing dishes in a boarding house, but "Polly" "put them wise" and they were soon after him in Superior. He hurried back to Duluth and got a job in a Third stret boarding house. Te thought that he had shaken them, but he hadn't. They are with him all the time and he doesn't know what to do.

He visited the poor office this morning to ask advice of Mr. Shogran. The old man's mind wanders and he will probably be given an examination as to his sanity before the local probate court.

The Van Wagner bankrupt sale of men's and boys' clothing starts tomorrow at the Oak Hall.

AMUSEMENTS

TONIGHT'S ATTRACTIONS.

LYCEUM—James K. Hackett in "The King."
ORPHEUM—Vaudeville.
EMPRESS—Vaudeville.
ODEUM and LYRIC—Motion Pictures.

Green Room Gossip.

James K. Hackett will open a short engagement at the Lyceum this evening in a new comedy of advenure entitled, "The King." This play is from the pen of George Brackett Seitz, a Boston author, and promises to create a sensation inasmuch as it deals with a delicate subject, but is handled so deftly that it is considered one of the greatest plays of this season.

Mr. Hackett will use this play for the remainder of his road tour and will also be seen in it in New York later in the season.

William A. Brady, under whose direction Mr. Hackett is touring, has surrounded him with an excellent supporting company including Miss Beatrice Beckley, Arthur Hoops, Charles C. Brandt and Robert Lawler. Although the play is styled a comedy it carries a romantic story which is intensely interesting and in keeping with Mr. Hackett's reputation as a romantic actor.

Mr. Hackett will give a matinee performance tomorrow and the final presentation takes place on Saturday evening.

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Musical comedy will be the feature of next week's bill at the Orpheum. "The Top of the World Dancers" is the name of the feature act. The company is composed of seventoen people, presenting a tabloid musical comedy entitled "Kris Kringle's Dream." The famous collie ballet, introducing some Scotch collie dogs, will be a feature of the act. There will be three more performances of this week's show, tonight, tomorrow afternoon and tomorrow night.

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The bill at the Empress theater this week has aroused more favorable comment than any that Manager Maitland has presented for several months. The program contains several first-class comedy features, which are always popular with a vaudeville audience. There will be five more performances, two tonight, one tomorrow afternoon and two tomorrow night, the new bill opening with the Sunday matinee.

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Earle Mitchell, Jimmy Jinks in the farce which has made Margaret Mayo famous, "Baby Mine" and which comes to the Lyceum for four nights and two matiness starting next Thursday, is well known to readers of the Smart Set because of the delightful stories of adventures in high society with which he is able to force editors to draw checks in his favor.

Associated with him in the cast of "Baby Mine" is George Probert, who plays Alfred Hardy in the farce. Mr. Probert studied painting in Paris before going on the stage and Messrs. Mitchell and Probert are now at work on a series of articles descriptive of foreign travel. One of the largest monthly publications will bring the series out. Harry Davies, the stage manager of "Baby Mine" has written many vaudeville playlets, which have been successes, and he has completed a farce which is scheduled for presentation in the spring. Consuelo Bailey, another member of the "Baby Mine" company is collecting everything available pertaining to the life and work of O. Henry, and hopes to bring out the result of her collecting in a volume on that most fascinating of short story writers. Taken on the whole the artistic spirit is rampant in the "Baby Mine" company.

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The idea for the comedy sketch, "High Life In Jail," which is the feature of this week's Orpheum bill, was secured by the author during a visit to a county jail in the East, where the jailor was very lenient with the prisoners. The inmates of the jail were treated almost like guests, and allowed to purchase all kinds of luxuries. The jailor permitted them to assemble in the corridor of the jail and indulge in card games, and the 'trusties" were sent on errands to all parts of the city, without guards. The author of the sketch visited the jail, and seeing two men engaged in a game of pinochle in the jailor's office, asked who they were, and was informed that they were two of the "trusties." The situation appealed to the sense of humor of the visitor, and he built his vaudeville sketch upon it.

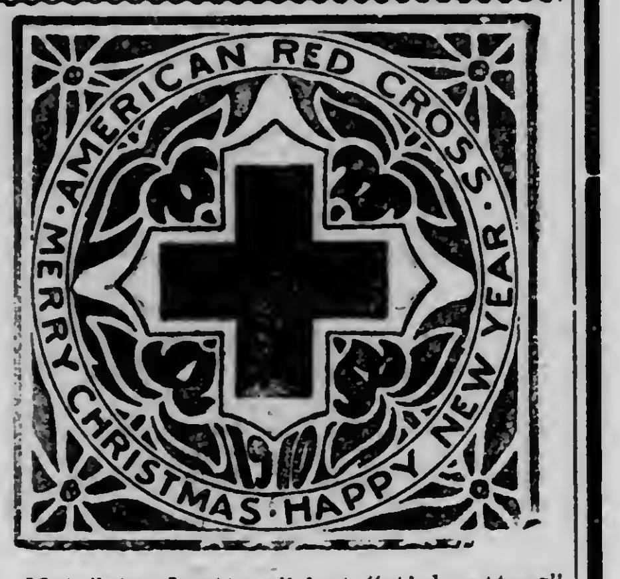
LONG TIME SUFFERER FINDS RELIEF IN HUMAN BAKE OVENS

MRS. JAMES HENDERSON.

Mrs. James Henderson, living at 2026 West First street, Duluth, has been a constant sufferer from rheumatism and nervousness for six years, and now, at the age of 57 years, is cured through the agency of Loughney & Loughney's Bake Ovens, that curious invention for mankind that has cured hundreds of the severest cases of rheumatism, lumbago, neuralgia, catarrh, nervousness, colds, la grippe, bronchitis, stomach, liver, kidney and bowel troubles, heard of in Duluth in years.

Mrs. Henderson did not have much confidence or hope that she could ever be cured, but now that the Bake Oven results have demonstrated that the claims of its owners are correct, she has nothing but praise for it. When one suffers from an ailment for six years and then in her declining years finds relief so quickly there is no wonder that praises will fall from her lips. Her case is only one of several hundred that have had a similar experience. As a result of their cures, many of them almost marvelous, Loughney & Loughney have come to be known as among the most successful specialists in Duluth. They have their offices in the Christie building, located on Fourth avenue west between First and Second streets. Their hours are 8 a. m. to 7 p. m.; Sundays, 9 to 12 only. They give free consultation to all who call at their offices.

SOME CHRISTMAS SEAL EPIGRAMS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The Belgian government is selling its regular postage stamps at slightly more than their face value, the additional revenue going for the building of a sanatorium for consumptive working women.

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SUPERIOR

WILL FEED POOR ON CHRISTMAS DAY

Salvation Army Plans to Distribute Baskets of Food Among Needy.

Christmas dinners will be furnished to 500 of the Superior poor this year by the Salvation Army. Capt. Gough and other members of the local corps are now making extensive preparations for the distribution of the dinners. About 100 baskets will be given out as the average family consists of five members.

Turkey, bread, celery, potatoes, canned goods, sugar, butter, tea, coffee and flour, besides other good things to eat, will be put in every basket, the army workers figuring that the expense will be between $300 and $350. About $125 has already been subscribed to the Christmas fund.

On Monday, Dec. 26, a Christmas dinner will be served from 12 to 3 in the army hall at 613 Tower avenue. Preparations are being made to feed about 100 at this dinner, the affair being intended for those who have no homes in the city.

OLD SETTLERS' BANQUET.

Head of the Lakes Pioneers Will Have Reunion Wednesday, Dec. 14.

The annual midwinter banquet of the Old Settlers' Association of the Head of the Lakes will be held Wednesday at the First M. E. church at the East end, and it is expected that about 200 will be in attendance.

President Delacey Wood of the Lake County Old Settlers' association, who lives at Two Harbors, was in Superior yesterday and stated that at least a dozen would come from Two Harbors to attend the banquet next week.

Last year the affair was held at the Spalding hotel in Duluth.

MINNEAPOLIS MAN INJURED IN FALL.

Charles Ysevich, who gave 3331 North Second street, Minneapolis, as his address, slipped and fell at the Omaha Tower avenue crossing last evening and fractured one of his legs. Being unable to walk, he was assisted to St. Mary's hospital by an officer. The injured man is 45 years old.

Attending Elks' Meet.

T. B. Mills left yesterday for Atlantic City, where he will meet with the national board of trustees of the Elks' lodge, of which he is a member. The trustees have jurisdiction over the national home at Bedford City, Va.

Transferred to Butte.

John J. Hesse, roadmaster for the Great Northern railway at Superior, has been transferred to the Butte division, and has already left for the Montana city. O. L. Holman of St. Paul succeeds him. Mr. Holman will have charge of the main lines of the Mesaba range, and E. Donley, assistant roadmaster, will be in charge of the Cass Lake and Superior main lines.

Revenue Man Resigns.

Merwyn Whipple has resigned as deputy collector of internal revenue, after two years of service, and will be associated with his father in the printing business. He is succeeded by H. W. Keller of Stevens Point, Wis. Mr. Keller took up his new duties at the federal building yesterday.

Teachers' Institute.

Douglas county school teachers will hold an institute at Brule tomorrow, with Prof. A. D. S. Gillett of the Superior normal school as institute conductor. Among the other speakers at the affair will be County Supt. A. N. Young.

First Trophy Event.

Superior curlers will begin play Monday evening on the first of the trophy events of the season, when the contest for the Bergeson Candy company prize will be played. The play will be in the squad style. There are eight squads, and all games in the first draw must be played before Christmas day.

Light Vote Cast.

A light vote is being cast today at the special election held in Superior, when it will be decided whether or not the city will expend $90,000 to $100,000 for a new steel bridge over the Nemadji river at the East end.

Indications are that the bond issue will be lost as there is much sentiment against it.

EJECTED WOMAN HAS NOT CALMED DOWN

MRS. MINOR MORRIS.

New York, Dec. 9.—Mrs. Minor Morris, who was ejected from the White House with some violence during the Roosevelt administration, is to be heard from again in the near future. Writing to the Bain news service under date of Dec. 1, she says:

"My affairs are by no means yet settled, and I am preparing to take subsequent outrages to the courts—a fraudulent incarceration among the insane; the debauchery of some members of my own family, attack on reputation, etc., and more which shall seem incredible until proved."

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CASSEROLE COOKERY.

The principle of casserole cooking is really old, but the present day equipment is vastly different from anything housewives have ever known before. The poor family in practically every country in the world for many centuries has observed the principle, but the utensils were always very crude.

The covered bean pot of the New England housewives is a fair example of the evolution of cooking utensils, says the Housekeeper. From that it is possible to trace very directly the present casserole dishes, though they are very artistic and made in such shapes and wares as to lend a real charm to the table.

Casseroles nowadays take on all shapes and sizes, from the individual dishes up to a size sufficient for serving a large number. The standards in which they are placed when removed from the oven and taken to the table are of silver, nickel, brass, copper and wrought iron, and are examples of real artistic merit.

One of the most commendable features of the casserole is that the food is always sure to come to the table hot, and it will keep hot for some length of time. It is a great aid in serving meals in courses, as the casserole course may be kept hot for some time without any special attention being given to it, and whatever is cooked in the casserole will not deteriorate if left for some little time. This is especially convenient when a meal is delayed or when some member of the family is not able to sit down with the rest.

When casserole cookery is thoroughly understood many combinations of food and many inexpensive foods will be put to use and very palatable results obtained. The process of cooking should be carried on at a comparatively low temperature.

When articles of food like fowl, meats, mushrooms, sweetbreads or game are to be cooked, they should be browned in butter or oil in a separate dish and then placed in a casserole and the pan carefully rinsed in order to secure all the juices for the earthen dish. Never forget that this cooking process should never be more than a simmer, and of course that takes considerable time.

A word here might be said about the care of the pottery. All casseroles and ramekins and dishes related to them have a polished interior surface, therefore no flavor is retained if the dishes are properly cleansed with hot water and soap.

There is one thing always to be remembered, however, and that is not to change the temperature from hot to cold or from cold to hot too suddenly, as that is a sure means of cracking the ware.

SURPRISED THE SULTAN.

London Globe: Recently a party of Americans visited Constantinople and were permitted to enter Yildiz Kiosk. The sultan, who was walking alone in the gardens, entered into conversation with the visitors and addressed himself to a bright-looking girl. His majesty said, "We speak here French, English, German and Russian, but our visitors seldom know our language. We pardon them, for it is very difficult. I suppose, miss, you do not know a word?"

"Pardon, sire," replied the girl, "I know two Turkish words."

"What are they, miss?" asked the sultan.

Assuming the whining tone of the mendicants, she replied:

"Baschich, effendi" (a sou, monsieur), pointing at the same time to the sultan's pocket. His majesty presented her with a gold coin, and then she answered sweetly, "Tachacouralum, ghazi!" (thank you, seigneur).

The sultan wondered, for he was ignorant of the little pocket dictionary, Turco-English.

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ON THE IRON RANGES

EVELETH GOING AFTER LIBRARY

Commercial Club Takes Steps to Lay Matter Before Andrew Carnegie.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—Miss Clara Baldwin, secretary of the state library commission, spoke at the Commercial club meeting last evening on the proposed Carnegie library. She recommended that a $25,000 structure, well situated, with experienced help, be maintained. Much interest was shown in her address and she answered several inquiries. The audience was told that about 3,000 books, that would cost about $3,000 be purchased, and that an appropriation of $4,000 by the council would amply maintain the library, each year. The mayor was requested to appoint a library board, to secure the donation from Mr. Carnegie, select a centrally located site, and complete all the arrangements.

Attorney Gillette of Duluth, representing Anthony, Tucker company, Boston, and W. Barney company, New York, informed the meeting of the plans of the Easterners on the proposed range electric railroad. He stated that capitalists believe that the range is a suitable field for an electric railway and that the new company has the support of the United States Steel company, also that prominent Duluth capitalists interested in the Great Northern Power company are also connected with the project. He stated that the company had secured a franchise from the county and was desirous of securing franchises at Hibbing, Virginia, Eveleth, Gilbert and Chisholm. The company will apply for franchises in the range cities.

A communication was read from the secretary of the Minnesota State Federation of Commercial clubs, requesting that the local club suggest topics and speakers for the annual meeting at St. Paul. Those present suggested that forest fire protection and taxation of state lands, for the benefit of better roads and schools, be suggested and the secretary of the club was instructed to send the same to the state federation.

SHOOTING VICTIM IS BORNE TO GRAVE

Joe Franze, Accidentally Killed By Companion, Buried at Virginia.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—The funeral of Joe Franze, who was accidentally shot by Leonard Curry while out hunting rabbits Tuesday afternoon, was held this afternoon from Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic church, Rev. Father Powers officiating, interment being made in Calvary cemetery.

Is Claimed By Pneumonia.

Frank Tonta, a former employe in the lumber camps of the Virginia & Rainy Lake company, died here yesterday of pneumonia. He was about 65 years of age, single, and has no known relatives in this country. His body is at the Gillespie morgue, from which place burial will probably be made tomorrow.

JOSEPH JUDNICK IS FOUND GUILTY

Facing Sentence of From One to Five Years in Penitentiary.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—The jury in the case of the state against Joseph Judnick, who has been on trial the past ten days on a charge of shooting James Martin, an Oliver Iron Mining company police officer, at Ely last June, reached a verdict at a little after 5 o'clock last evening. Judge Hughes had gone to the depot to take the 5:15 train for his home at Hibbing and the verdict was not announced until this morning. The jury found Judnick guilty of assault in the second degree. The punishment is from one to five years in the penitentiary.

The case of Weinen vs. Hareaja in which a cow was involved went to the jury just before noon today. Both parties reside at Eveleth and claimed ownership to a certain cow.

The case of Abbie L. Shea vs. W. P. Veatch et al, is now on trial. Mrs. Shea is suing to recover 22,000 feet of pine lumber alleged to be in possession of the defendants and which she claims belongs to her.

FIREMAN HAS QUEER IDEAS

Persists in Firing Engine When Not Needed and Is Arrested.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—Halver Halverson, a well known locomotive fireman, employed at the Commodore mine was arrested at Angora last night by Deputy Sheriff Sam Bowden and brought to this city this morning, his mind being in a deranged condition. Halverson jumped upon an engine of the Duluth Rainy Lake & Winnipeg railway last night and insisted upon firing it out of here. He was put off by the engine crew at Angora and an officer sent for. Halverson is well known in Virginia and owns considerable property. He will be taken to Duluth for examination tomorrow.

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MINE CAPTAINS MEET SATURDAY

Men in Charge of Mesaba Range Properties to Gather at Eveleth.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—A meeting of the Practical Mining Captains institute, will be held here tomorrow afternoon at the city hall. President T. J. Nicholas of the Mohawk mine, Aurora, will preside and Capt. Fayhle of Hibbing, secretary, will be preesnt. The other officers of the organization, are: Vice presidents, Capt. T J. Sincock of Virginia, T. A. Lien of Eveleth, Capt. W. A. Quayle of Virginia, treasurer; Capt. T. W. Hudson, Aurora, assistant secretary.

The meeting is for the purpose of formulating plans for the work of the organization next year. Mining subjects will also be discussed and better safety appliances in mining work considered.

A banquet will be held in the evening at the Glode hotel.

HIBBING NOT INCLUDED.

Range Village Said to Be Outside of Treaty Lines.

Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—As Indian Agent Brents and his aids after closing Bovey and Colcraine saloons yesterday, as told in The Duluth Herald, turned back instead of coming here and putting the local places out of business, the hopes of saloon men are raised considerably. It is claimed that after all Hibbing is outside the Indian treaty boundaries. A surveyor and cruiser say they have just followed the lines indicated in the treaty of 1855 and that the eastern boundary of the Indian territory extends four miles west of Hibbing, taking a course from the mouth of the east branch of the Swan river southwest of Hibbing to Carson lake, thence north to Powers lake.

IRON GIVEN FIVE YEARS.

Italian Who Cut Keewatin Man Goes to Penitentiary.

Grand Rapids, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—Mike Iron, who cut up B. B. Banning, timekeeper for the St. Paul mine at Keewatin, with a razor in an altercation over a time slip was sentenced, yesterday, to five years in Stillwater prison by Judge McClennehan.

Mike Iron is an alias, the man's real name being Virgilio Aiello. He stated that he was married and has a wife and two children in Italy. Judge McClennehan scored Aiello for carrying such a weapon as that with which he attacked Banning. Capt. Fisket of the Duluth police force, who speaks Italian fluently, acted as interpreter for Aiello.

BRUNT MINER IS CAVEIN VICTIM

Andrew Neimi Fatally Crushed But His Father Escapes That Fate.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—Andrew Neimi, an employe of the Brunt mine, near Mountain Iron, was killed by a cave-in there Wednesday night.

The body was brought here awaiting burial. He was about 21 years of age and single.

His father, who was working with him at the time of the accident, and who had a narrow escape, is the only relative living in this country.

VIRGINIA HIGH SENIORS ELECT

Alfred T. Logue Is Chosen President of the 1911 Class.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—The senior class of the high school held a meeting in the superintendent's office Wednesday evening and the following officers were elected: Alfred T. Logue, president; Celia E. Murphy, vice president; Vernon C. Johnson, secretary; Jennie C. Matheson, treasurer.

The class voted to give an entertainment and dance with refreshments, on Friday evening Dec. 23 at the close of the fall term, to which all high school students, teachers, parents of the class and alumni will be invited. Committees were appointed to look after refreshments, invitation, etc., also one to select a class pin. The general school entertainment will occur in the auditorium the evening before, that is Dec. 22.

The Chicago Operatic company will render a program in the Roosevelt auditorium Monday evening. As this is one of the best numbers in the high school entertainment course a large audience is anticipated.

TWO HARBORS MAN MARRIED IN WISCONSIN.

Two Harbors, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.) — Word comes from Chippewa Falls, Wis., announcing the marriage there of John McDermaid of this city and Miss Florence Connell of Chippewa Falls, which took place Tuesday at the home of the bride's parents. The couple left for the Twin Cities for a short wedding trip, after which they will be at home at Two Harbors.

HIBBING HOPES TO SELL MANY SEALS.

Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—A strong effort is being made to dispose of 10,000 Red Cross seals here between now and Christmas. Dr. C. E. Prudden, the health officer is in charge of the work here, and the stamps are on sale at the following stores: Congdon's drug store, Third avenue; Cox's drug store, Pine street and Third avenue; Palace pharmacy, Third avenue and Washington street; Khort's grocery, Third avenue; Itasca department store; Galloway's store, Third avenue; T. G. Godfrey's clothing store, Pine street, and Jefferson school.

MOOSE BANQUET AT TWO HARBORS

Annual Event of Knights of Pythias Is Fully Up to Standard.

Two Harbors, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—The fourth annual roll call banquet of Harbor Lodge, Knights of Pythias, was held in the large gymnasium of the Y. M. C. A. last night and about 100 members and visiting knights entertained.

This gathering is known throughout the state as the Two Harbors Moose banquet of the knights.

The banquet followed a very interesting session of the lodge at which the second and third ranks were conferred on a local man. F. E. Evans was master of ceremonies. "Greeting" was responded to by J. J. Lum of Duluth. B. F. Fowler told in an interesting way, "How I Got the Moose." Rev. T. Stanley Oadams who was present by invitation told of the "Sunny Side of Life." Supt. H. E. Flynn "moved tunefully along" in poetic "Reflections of a Newly Made Knight." Five minute talks by visiting brethren from Duluth and Superior were followed by Judge D. H. Lawrence who made an interesting speech. James A. Wharton of Duluth, grand chancellor of the order, who made a splendid speech upon "Knighthood." Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard of Two Harbors, rendered some very artistic selections on the banjo which greatly pleased the audience. Mrs. Ata Holden acted as accompanist. A most enjoyable evening was spent and the company adjourned about 2 a. m.

EXERCISES BY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Virginia Pupils Will Entertain Thursday Evening, Dec. 22.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—The pupils in the local schools will render the following closing exercises before the Christmas holidays Thursday evening, Dec. 22:

Medley of patriotic selections, Peterson's orchestra; school songs, 100 voices, Johnson school chorus; address of welcome, Supt. Lafayette Bliss; "Hoolahan on Education," Alfred T. Logue; "Dolls' Lullaby," twenty-seven girls, Miss Ellen H. Boer; "Christmas Visitors from Other Lands," twenty-five boys and girls, Miss Emma J. Duffala; "Bo-Peep's Party," twenty-one boys and girls, Miss Olga Fylpa; operatta, "A School Picnic," thirty-eight boys and girls, Miss Edna L. Cole; "Bird's Christmas Carol," twelve children, Miss Emilia V. Thompson; "Seeing Santa Claus," seventeen children, Miss Ada E. Foote; "Hurrah For the Higgins School," fifteen boys and girls, Miss Agnes H. Lundmark; drill, Sunflower march, thirty-four boys and girls, Miss Leta F. Winter, Miss Helen Purvis; monologue, "Mrs. Britzenhoeffer's Troubles," Charles W. Lundmark; "The Three Kittens," thirty kindergarten children, Miss Anna Olund, Miss Julia L. Stone; "A Labor Day Parade," thirty boys and girls, Miss Emma C. Mork; "School Songs," 100 voices, primary school chorus; "A New Year's Exercise," thirty-eight boys and girls, Miss Lucile Higgins; "A School in Alabama," thirty-five boys and girls, Miss Helen Fryberger; "Season Fairies," twenty-five boys and girls, Miss Edna L. Johnson, Miss Anna E. Swanson; "A Sailor Song," twenty-two boys and girls, Miss Anna M. Devany; "Historical Characters," thirty-two boys and girls, Miss Ida M. Flood; "America is the Land For Us," twenty boys and girls, Miss Hazel W. Babcock; "A College Yarn," George W. Munroe; "The Flags of All Nations," twenty-nine boys and girls, Miss Katherine F. Sheehan; "Closing Selections," Peterson's orchestra.

LAKE COUNTY RECOUNT.

Two Harbors, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—A recount of the votes cast for county attorney in Lake county in the recent election, which was contested by John Dwan against Kinsella gives Dwan, 213; Lawrence, 200; Jelle, 192; Kinsella, 163; no vote, 47; referred, 302.

The gerater part of the votes referred were for Kinsella, and bore the word "Independent," on which the contest is principally based. A decision is expected next week from the court.

TELEPHONE OFFICIAL LIKES HIBBING OUTLOOK.

Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—The district manager for the Mesaba Telephone company, A. C. Fredereckson of Duluth, inspected the operating department of the company's equipment on the range yesterday. Mr. Fredereckson was fully satisfied with the work and equipment of the local office, and pleased with the increased amount of business his company is getting in Hibbing. The work on the new section of the switchboard that is being cut in to serve additional subscribers in Hibbing is progressing well. The Western Electric company men are nearly through with the connection, which will be completed shortly.

SAVED FROM ALCOHOL
Eight Years a Slave, Now Free.

A report has just come to the White Ribbon Remedy Co., of Boston, from a lady in New York state, that her husband, practically a drunkard for eight years, has been entirely freed from the alcohol habit for over a year, due entirely, in her opinion, to the use of White Ribbon Remedy. White Ribbon Remedy is odorless and tasteless and may be given with or without the knowledge of the patient. Contains absolutely no habit-forming drugs. $1.00 per box, or $5.00 for six boxes. At all the Hegeman & Co. stores, New York city, or direct from the White Ribbon Remedy Co., Boston, Mass.

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GOOD ORE STRUCK.

Hibbing, Min., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Iron Mountain Mining company, having some thirty-eight stockholders in the city, and others in Chisholm, Buhl, other range towns and Duluth, has bored hole No. 2 down over 300 feet, just outside of Buhl.

Samples taken lately from drill holes show a god grade of bessemer ore. These samples vary in color, from dark red to dark blue, are remarkably fine and hard, and give good reason for thinking there is another good strike near Buhl

The first drill hole went down 341 feet and the second hole, close to the first, will reach the same depth.

CHISHOLM MAN WILL TAKE JOB IN HIBBING.

Chisholm, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—Frank Harris of the Tribune-Herald will enter the employ of the Hibbing Tribune as manager. Mr. Harris has been associated with the Chisholm local paper for a year and a half. He will take up his duties with the Hibbing Tribune about Dec. 15.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church met on Thursday at the home of Mrs. H. Tetzlaff of Chestnut street. Most all the members of the society were present and everyone is pleased with the good work being done in connection with raising of funds for the new church.

Rev. E. K. Cooper, the district superintendent of the Methodist church for the Duluth district, will be in Chisholm on Monday evening to hold the first quarterly conference. He will hold services in the Finnish church

VIRGINIA OFFICIAL RESIGNS TO GO WEST.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—Axel Lund has resigned from the police and fish commission, and his resignation has been accepted. Mr. Lund is making preparations to locate somewhere in the West. Mr. Lund was appointed on the commission last spring by Mayor Andrew Hawkinson, to succeed Edward C. A. Johnson, who was elected to the city council as alderman at large.

EVELETH AWAITS COMING OF GREAT HACKENSCHMIDT.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—Wrestling fans are planning for the athletic event of the season when Hackenschmidt will appear here next Wednesday evening at the Othello theater against local wrestlers.

HIBBING PERSONALS.

Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Brotherhood of American Yeomen gave a cap social and dance at the Erspamer hall last evening.

Ralph Korngold spoke on Socialism at the Workers' hall last evening.

Lawrence Barrett, of the Stone-Ordean-Wells company of Duluth, was in the city yesterday.

E. E. Crane of the Aetna Powder company is in the city.

A. J. Borgstrom of Duluth is here.

Frank A. Day and his brother E. H. Day were in the city yesterday. It is understood they were here in connection with mining matters, being engaged in looking over the work on the properties they are interested in.

Eveleth Eagles Elect.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Eagles have elected the following officers: J. P. N. Ward, worthy president; Timothy Shea, worthy vice president; Cass K. Jenkins, secretary; William Neilon, treasurer; Robert Mitten, inner guard; John Crane, outer guard; William Bush, Charles Wahlman and James Brazonovich, trustees.

Crescent Society to Entertain.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Crescent Literary society this evening will give a program at the high school auditorium. Della Stanaway will give a piano solo and Leslie Tobin a violin solo. The high school orchestra will also render selections.

Eveleth Christmas Plans.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—The boys of the Sunday school of the Methodist Episcopal church are practicing under the direction of Instructor Charles Rutty, for the Christmas exercises they will give at the church.

In all the local primary grades Christmas exercises will be held with Christmas trees. The girls' sewing club of the high school is making apparel for the dolls that will be distributed to the poor children. The trees will also be adorned with fruit, edibles and toys.

Hibbing Brotherhood Elects.

Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.) — The Modern Brotherhood has elected officers as follows: President, Edward C. Booth; vice president, Margaret Kenney; secretary, Estella V. Stevens; treasurer, Amelia Beudette; chaplain, Elizabeth Moyle; conductor, Mary St. Julian; watchman, Peter Moyle; local treasurer, Dr. Charles Morsman.

Hibbing Bazar Success.

Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—A very successful bazar and supper was held at the Episcopal church Wednesday afternoon and evening. About $150 was realized from the supper and sale. There was a large attendance.

Hibbing News Notes.

Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—The city band is practicing regularly, making good progress under its new director, Prof. Fitch, and holds a rehearsal weekly. The newest music, including orchestral selections, two steps, waltzes, marches—altogether some twenty-five pieces—have been received.

John Miller of Duluth was in Hibbing yesterday in connection with his new cafeteria, which is being installed in the front of the brick portion of the Hibbing hotel.

EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY

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body and a large gathering of employers, working men and others interested in the subject, including the newly elected representatives in the legislature, are expected to attend.

The commission to investigate the subject of employers' liability was appointed in 1909 by Governor Johnson in compliance with a bill passed at the session of the legislature in that year. George M. Gillett was chosen as the representative of the employers, being president of the Minnesota Employers' association. W. E. McEwen is state labor commissioner and secretary of the Minnesota Federation of Labor, and he was placed on the commission as the representative of the working men. H. V. Mercer, a St. Paul attorney, was chosen to represent the State Bar association. The commission has made an exhaustive study of the subject in the United States and abroad, visiting European countries in prosecuting their investigations.

Business Meeting.

The annual meeting of the State Association of Builders' Exchanges will open Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock in the rooms of the Duluth Builders' Exchange in the Lyceum building. Delegates are expected from Minneapolis, St. Paul, Stillwater, Faribault and other cities, as well as from the Duluth exchange.

The morning meeting will be given over to the appointment of committees and the reading of the president's report, which is the keynote of the annual meeting. President J. W. L. Corning of St. Paul will discuss in his report different subjects of interest to the builders, including legislation, employers' liability, industrial education, labor conditions, etc., it is expected. The report will be a complete resume of developments in the building line in the state during the year.

At the afternoon session, the resolutions will be adopted and officers for the coming year will be elected. The place for the next meeting will probably be selected also.

Legislative Matters.

The meeting in the year just before a session of the legislature is always an important one, as there are legislative matters of importance to the building trades to be considered. The resolutions which will be adopted Wednesday will probably cover the sentiment of the state exchanges on legislation which is likely to be brought up at the next session.

The visiting delegates will be entertained by the members of the Duluth Builders' Exchange at a luncheon at the Commercial club during the noon recess, but that will be the only social feature of the gathering, which is primarily for business purposes.

SHOW TRADE HAS DOUBLED

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now available, Jan. 1 to Oct. 31, all of which was under the new tariff law, with the corresponding months of the calendar year 1908, all of which was under the preceding law, the figures are:

Imports from the Philippines in the first ten months of the calendar year, 1908, $8,146,238; in the corresponding months of the calendar year, 1910, $15,366,893.

Exports to the Philippine islands in the first ten months of 1908, $8,432,104; in the corresponding period of 1910, $16,497,057, the 1910 figures being thus practically double of those in 1908 in imports and exports.

Records in Islands.

Philippine official reports for the first quarter of the calendar year show that merchandise from the United States formed 32.6 per cent of the total imports against 14.8 per cent in the corresponding quarter of last year, the figures in each case being exclusive of imports by supply officers of the army, navy and insular government and railway free entries.

WEDS NAN PATTERSON

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D. C. Prescott, formerly was at the head of lumber and sawmill interests, with offices at Duluth. He was regarded as one of the most powerful financiers in the Northwest.

Well Known Here.

Sumner Prescott was well known in West Duluth, where he lived for a number of years with his father, C. D. Prescott. He attended the common grade schools in West Duluth and later attended the Central high school. He was, when in West Duluth, an enthusiastic member of the militia, old Company G. He was very well known all over the city and was something of a "lion" in a social way.

His father, who started the Marinette Iron works, lost his property during the panic in 1893. The old factory is now used by the Union Match company. The family moved back to Marinette, Wis., about twelve years ago, and since going back have established one of the largest and most prosperous iron foundries in the state of Wisconsin.

TELL ABOUT MRS. GLOVER

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said, she had found her husband insulting Hattie Le Blanc, who then was working in their home.

Had Beaten the Girl.

The witness further said Mrs. Glover told her of having repeatedly beaten Hattie, and that once Mrs. Glover brought Hattie to the home of the witness and struck her under the chin in an attempt to make her confess that she had acted improperly with Glover.

This was but one of numerous sensations at the session. The state had concluded its direct case and A. Farley Brewer, junior counsel, outlined the case of the defense. He said Hattie Le Blanc was brought to Glover's designedly and was sent from there designedly on the night of the murder.

INDIAN AGENTS MEET WITH INJUNCTIONS IN "DRYING UP" BEMIDJI

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papers having been prepared by Attorney E. E. McDonald.

Twelve Saloons Opened.

Under cloak of the injunctions twelve saloons were opened—the only twelve in the entire territory—and at noon were doing business after having been shut for three hours.

Agents Brents and Coggeshall accepted service of the injunctions without protest and will proceed at once to St. Paul, arriving there Saturday morning for a conference with United States District Attorney Houpt.

The liquor dealers here have high hopes that the injunction, made returnable on Dec. 29, will permit them to continue to do business without molestation from the government. This would mean that all saloons would be reopened throughout the dry territory.

Agent Is Confident.

"That is where they are fooling themselves," said Agent Brents." This thing has been all gone through with before in Oklahoma and other places. It will give this dozen saloons a brief lease of life, but that is all. They die hard, but die they must."

The injunctions are addressed to W. E. Johnson, T. E. Brents, J. J. Matulys, N. J. Sero, N. A. Way, J. M. Quinn, J. T. Davis, Denton Patten, and Davis and Brannon, whose full names are unknown.

The injunctions were issued on a complaint which demands judgment herein adjudging and decreeing that said defendants and each of them, their agents, servants and employes be forever restrained and enjoined from at any time entering upon said premises, and from in any manner taking possession of, seizing or destroying or interfering with any of said personal porperty of this plaintiff, now situated within said building upon said premises, or any personal property that plaintiff may hereafter acquire and place or keep within said building," and for "such other further relief as may seem just and proper" together with plaintiff's costs, disbursements and attorneys' fees.

The plaintiff further prays that during the pendency of this action a temporary injunction be granted restraining the defendants and "each of them and their agents, servants and employes, from committing such acts until the decision of the court upon such application for a temporary injunction."

The injunctions were issued by United States Commissioner A. M. Crowell of this city.

Hauling Liquor Out.

Every available dray in town is busy hauling the liquor supply of the saloons not protected by the injunction to the depot. Each saloon keeper was instructed to ship his supply outside the restricted territory. It must go to St. Paul, Minneapolis, Superior or Ashland, according to Brents.

Since Tuesday morning Agent Brents has closed 115 saloons. In Brainerd, 26; Perham, 8; Klondike, 1; Nymore, 3; Grand Rapids, 16; Bovey, 22; Coleraine, 2; Taconite, 1; Holman, 5; Marble, 2; Cosack, 5; and Bemidji, 24.

"Every saloon in every town covered by the 1855 treaty is now closed," said Agent Brents. "Bemidji was the last to go and the first to bring the injunction blockade. I am glad to work in harmony with your men here. I expect the government to aid in a speedy untangling of the legal complications which have arisen here today."

Brents Soon to Quit.

With the closing at Bemidji, Agent Brents announced that he soon will retire from the subagency of the Indian bureau, of which he has been in charge for several weeks, returning to the Southwest to continue his work.

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$6.00 Shoes at	$4.98
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$4.00 Shoes at	$3.19
$3.50 Shoes at	$2.98
$3.00 Shoes at	$2.48
$2.50 Shoes at	$1.98
$2.50 Shoes at	$1.69
$2.00 Shoes at	$1.48
$1.75 Shoes at	$1.19
$1.50 Shoes at	98¢

Christmas Slippers

For every member of the family have their prices lowered in like manner.

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LATEST SPORTING NEWS OF THE DAY

DRAWING IS ANNOUNCED

Herald Event Will Be Played in Bonspiel Style This Year.

Rules Governing the Contest—Play Will Begin at Once.

The draw for The Duluth Herald event at the Curling club has been made.

The "Herald" will be played bonspiel style. Skips will arrange their own games to suit their convenience, but must not hold up the event.

Rules governing the play this winter will be about the same as last. New curlers will be allowed two points handicap and one-year players one point. No rink is allowed more than four points, and the games committee reserves the right to cut down the handicap of any curler at any time.

Rinks will be allowed two substitutes, to play lead and second, but any rink using substitutes gets no handicap for the substitutes.

In the draw which follows, each rink is paired with the one opposite it:

H. C. Gravatt, 1.	G. Barnum, Jr., 1.
Ed Furni, 2.	J. Plotnickey, 2.
Roy Deetz, 3.	H. H. Dinham, 3.
Ed Deetz, skip.	W. B. Dunlop, skip.
Ed Congdon, 1.	———, 1.
W. White, 2.	E. R. Anderson, 2.
C. H. McLennan, 3.	Bob Dunlop, 3.
J.A.M'Lennan, skip.	N. McDonald, skip.
Chas. Roulo, 1.	A. L. Agatin, 1.
J.F.MacGregor, 2.	L. B. Arnold, 2.
M. Allworth, 3.	R. H. Draper, 3.
E. N. Whyte, skip.	C.B.Woodruff, skip.
W. E. McLeod, 1.	A.P.Allensworth, 1.
R. S. Bowden, 2.	G. D. McCarthy, 2.
Alex Graham, 3.	J. E. Rockwell, 3.
L. Catterson, skip.	W. C. Getty, skip.
F. Kennedy, 1.	———, 1.
C. Graff, 2.	Gordon Wood, 2.
C. J. McBride, 3.	Ed Hazen, 3.
C. D. Brewer, skip.	S. L. Reichert, skip.
———, 1.	Art Sheridan, 1.
———, 2.	S. M. Blackmarr, 2.
———, 3.	H. S. Macgregor, 3.
J. D. Park, skip.	P. F. Helmick, skip.
R. W. Jones, 1.	———, 1.
J. A. Todd, 2.	R. Allworth, 2.
G. E. Warren, 3.	Al Cummings, 3.
E. R. Jacobs, skip.	Jno. Oldham, skip.
R. C. Chrudensky, 1.	———, 1.
Ben Petz, 2.	———, 2.
Austin Lathers, 3.	J. F. Peirce, 3.
W. Dinham, skip.	O. K. Seller, skip.
W. C. Poehler, 1.	J. McMillan, 1.
J. C. Treseise, 2.	W. L. Mackay, 2.
J. T. Pugh, 3.	W. Harris, 3.
Harry Hurdon, skip.	Jimmie Myron, skip.
———, 1.	M. A. Buchanan, 1.
W. T. Mishler, 2.	Artie Michaud, 2.
W. H. Kutchii, 3	M. A. McLennan, 3.
S. H. Jones, skip.	Alex. McRae, skip.
V. Rheinberger, 1.	G. P. Harbison, 1.
L. McDonald, 2.	R. C. Schiller, 2.
F. Fregeau, 3.	Sam Cleveland, 3.
S.W.Rich'dson,skip.	R.D. Bradley, skip.
G. A. Flynn, 1.	Al Taylor, 1.
V. Culbertson, 2.	H. C. Matzke, 2.
L. L. Culbertson, 3.	J. Bearhalter, 3
A.E.McManus,skip.	S. M. Stocker, skip.
———, 1.	Chardes Owen, 1.
Phil Seymour, 2.	F. Crasweller, 2.
C. G. Naughton, 3.	E. A. Forsyth, 3.
T. McGilvray, skip.	C. F. West, skip.
W. C. Sherwood, 1.	W. W. McMillan, 1.
Tom Gibson, 2.	H. W. Nichols, 2.
D. W. Stocking, 3.	Ed Field, 3.
Ron McLeod, skip.	G.P.Stillman, skip.
E. M. Tredway, 1.	———, 1.
W. N. Hart, 2.	A. C. Gillett, 2.
C. C. Staacke, 3.	C. Tweed, 3.
C.F.McDonald,skip.	Ron Smith, skip.
A.H. Cresweller, 1.	P. J. Chinnick, 1.
C. G. Dickerman 2.	N. H. Gillespie, 2.
E. G. Gridley, 3.	O. L. Mather, 3.
W. S. Telford, skip.	M. F. Jamar, skip.

CHICAGO WINS SECOND GAME

Duluth All Star Hockey Team Defeated By Score of 5 to 0.

Chicago, Dec. 9.—Special to The Herald.)—The crack hockey team of the Illinois Athletic association last night defeated the All Stars of Duluth, winning the second game of the series by the score of 5 to 0 The contest was spectacular, the all round work of the Chicago forwards and the brilliant goal defense of Fenton being the bright particular features of the play.

Time and time again the puck was rushed down the ice, right up to the Duluth goal. The playing of Fenton, the Duluth goal keeper, saved the visitors from receiving a very bad beating. His net work was nothing short of brilliant and he blocked shots that seemed sure of net placement.

Cummings of the visitors also played a strong game, making some good runs with the puck. However, the Duluth team work was not such that allowed Cummings to accomplish much.

For Chicago, Krellwitz, Campbell, Bogan and Rompf played a fast and aggressive game. The team work of the Chicago boys was much superior to the work of the visitors, and this accounted for the defeat. The Chicago team started off with a rush, putting the Duluth players on the defensive from the opening signal of play.

The Duluth boys are not in the least discouraged over the showing made in the two games. They believe that with more practice and more team work they have the material for a fast team. Both games showed some classy individual play upon the part of the visiting players.

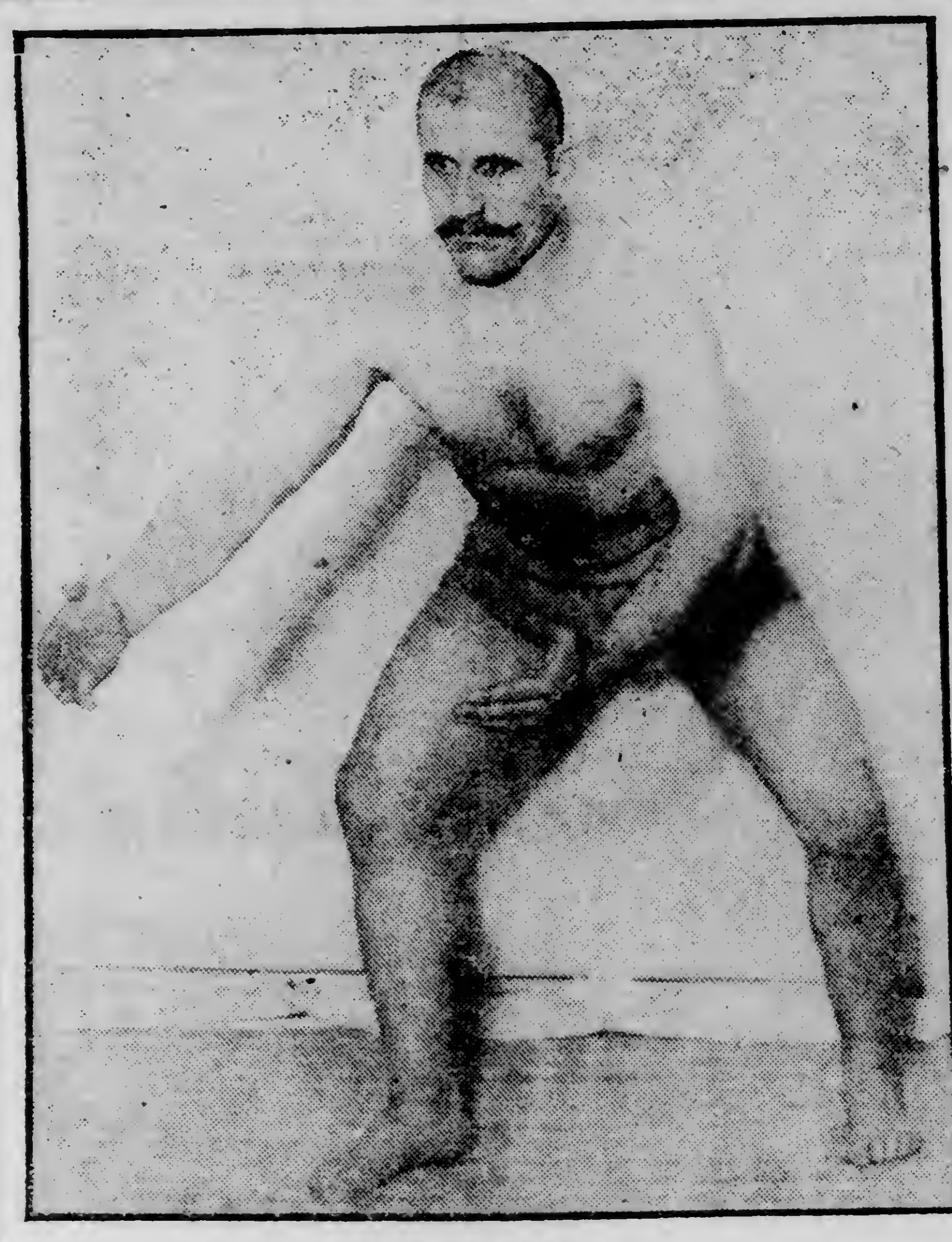
The Duluth players left for Cleveland this morning.

OPEN GOLF TOURNEY ON ATLANTA COURSE.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 9.—Medal play in the open golf tournament on the East Lake links of the Athletic club began at 10 o'clock this morning. More than usual interest attaches to the day's sport because all of the professionals present, except two or three never have played over the Atlanta course before. The morning round consisted of eighteen holes.

Among the players who started were Gilbert Nichols, Wilmington, Del.; W. C. Sherwood, Memphis; H. H. Barker, Garden City, N. J.; I. S. Mackie, Wilmington, N. C; Tom Mulgrew, Charleston, S C.; Cris Crosby, Macon, Ga., and Willie Robinson, Atlantic City.

YOUSIFF MAHMOUT CLAIMS TITLE RELINQUISHED BY FRANK GOTCH



YOUSIFF MAHMOUT.

Chicago, Dec. 9.—Yusiff Mahmout, the Bulgarian wrestler, through his manager, yesterday claimed the heavyweight catch-as-catch-can championship of the world, following the positive statement of Frank Gotch that he had retired from the mat for good and never would wresle again in public.

BATTLING NELSON DEAF; COULDN'T HEAR COUNT

Battling Nelson didn't hear himself counted out! News from San Francisco says that the Dane is so deaf that he is unable to hear ordinary conversation. The terrible beatings he has received around the head have impaired his hearing to such an extent that when Eyton counted the fatal ten, the first time the count has ever been taken for the iron man of Hedgewisch, the battler saw the motion of the hand but did not hear the count.

It was the proud boast of the Battler that he had never been counted out or was never even groggy. This boast has been taken away by the victory of Moran and the critics who witnessed the last fight of the Battler are of the opinion that he should retire before he is permanently injured in the ring.

The beating Gans gave Nelson at Goldfield will live long in the minds of the patrons of the ring. His kidneys were terribly pounded in that gruelling fight, and since that time Nelson has never possessed the remarkable vitality and recuperative powers of old, thought he defeated Gans twice after the Goldfield fight.

Just the other day the National Sporting club of London passing a resolution asking that the kidney punch be abolished in fights of the future. While there is nothing in the Marquis of Queensbury rules that prohibits the use of this punch, the more humane followers of the sport of boxing believe that it will be a good thing for the game if this blow was called a foul.

More fighters are permanently injured and made to retire from the ring by this blow than by any other. It has ended the ring days of Nelson and has started other fighters on the downward flight.

STAGG GREATLY PLEASED.

Conference Action Suits Fastidious Fancy of Midway Coach.

Chicago, Dec. 9.—Coach Stagg is much pleased with the results of the conference meeting of Saturday, and says it was the greatest meeting of big eight representatives since the famous reform session of 1906.

Chicago critics, however, are not impressed with the action in deciding to appoint a committee to investigate rugby football as it is played on the Pacific coast. Prof. Stagg is of the opinion that the American game is better than rugby, and he has no fears that the former will be supplanted by the variety imported from England.

The only basis for a change to the rugby game in the Middle West would be a conviction that the American game resulted in too many and too serious injuries. Coach Stagg holds with others that under the new rules the greater dangers of the American games have been eliminated.

The Maroon coach welcomes the clearer interpretation of the rules as to seven games in football schedules and as to the participation of special students. These rules are now new, but the form in which they now are expressed leaves no doubt of the intention of the conference.

RUSSIAN YELL PRACTICED.

Duluth Central high school students are practicing a war yell in Russian, which they will hurl at Hackenschmidt. The members of the entire squad will attend the theater on the night of the wrestling match as the guests of the Greater Duluth Athletic club. The football boys are planning to make a lot of noise, the Slav yell being the result of this determination.

CURLING CLUB TEAM MAY ENTER LEAGUE.

At the meeting of the city hockey league directors last evening, the resignation of the Hunter's park team was accepted and the Northerns were granted permission to change their name to the Kodaphas. The Big Duluths, the Adams, Fairmonts, Kodaphas and Park Pointers, which team was admitted to the league at the meeting last evening, now make up the city organization, which wants one more team.

It is possible that the Duluth Curling club team will enter the league, and in that event the city organization would be complete. The season will start about Dec. 30, though the schedule is not complete at the present time. The games will be played at the French club rink, Twenty-fifth avenue west and Second street.

FUND COMPLETED BEFORE EXPIRATION OF OPTION.

Asheville, N. C., Dec. 9.—A somewhat spectacular finish to a campaign for an eighteen-hole golf course in this city, was reached last evening when the sum of $500 was given to complete a $40,000 fund, five minutes before the option on the necessary lands, held by the Asheville Country club, expired.

REDMOND AND BROCK GO TWELVE ROUNDS TO DRAW.

Akron, Ohio, Dec. 9.—In a fast boxing bout here last night, Phil Brock of Cleveland and Jack Redmond of Milwaukee went twelve rounds to a draw. Redmond was the aggressor in nearly every round. He had the better of the earlier rounds, but Brock came on as the bout progressed and in the eleventh he sent Redmond to the floor twice. Redmond jumped up instantly each time and although for an instant dazed, fought gamely and finished strong.

"BATTLING" KELLY QUITS IN THE EIGHTH ROUND.

Joplin, Mo., Dec. 9.—Pete Shaughnessy of Oklahoma City, was given the decision over "Battling" Kelly of Buffalo in the eight round of a scheduled fifteen round bout here last night, when Kelly quit, claiming a foul. He was groggy as the result of a fearful beating. The men fought at 136 pounds.

Athletics Win in Cuba.

Havana, Dec. 9.—The baseball game between the Philadelphia Americans and the Almendares teams here yesterday resulted in a 2 to 1 victory for the Americans.

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GOSSIP PICKED UP ALONG THE SPORTING HIGHWAY

Owen Moran Is Picked to Beat Wolgast—Ordemann and the Other "Rasslers"—Is Johnson Going Back? Ehler Went Too Far.

(BY BRUCE.)

THOSE WHO HAVE FOLLOWED THE FIGHT GAME WITH CLOSE AND absorbing interest are of the firm opinion that Owen Moran will douse the glims of one Adolph Wolgast, Cadillac, Michigan's most prominent citizen, the first time the pair entwine for a delsarte debate on a subject that was near and dear to the heart of the late Marquis of Queensbury.

Had it not been for the defeat of Nelson at the hands of Moran, it is quite likely that the Wolgast person might have stalled along more monotonous months on the reputation he gathered and cashed in at the expense of fading Nelson. He might have refused to fight Nelson the second stanza of the fight rhapsody on the ground that the Dane was all in and rolling speedily down the hill of oblivion.

Then rudely butted in the little Britisher and has raised the issue in such large type that Wolgast will hardly dare to refuse to come to terms and still claim that he is the lightweight champion of the world.

There is another fighter on the trail of the white monopolizer, and he is no other than the curly headed product of the Chicago stockyards district. Packey McFarland has yelled from the top of one of the abbatoirs that he can accomplish the 133-pound deed at three bells in the warm sunshine of the afternoon and still be as strong as a limberger cheese in the state of perfect health. If the Packey party can do all this, and still retain that degree of exuberance so necessary in the strenuous passage of fists, he should be considered one of the dangerous rock points in the pugilistic sea.

There is Freddy Welsh, too. The man from Wales is one of the grandest boxers the game has produced since the halcyon days of the wonderful Griffo. He might dent an egg with dexterous and persistent use of his fists, but there are many who will doubt that he could actually break it. He is a fine and fancy boxer and that seems to let Freddy out. It is hardly possible that he could go the 45-round route with some of the rude boys who are hot after the title held by the German.

Knockout Brown of Noo York is another who wants his name on the investigating committee. He is a rough and rugged youngster who has been beating them fast in New York fight clubs. His record entitles him to that passing consideration that fight promoters are wont to give to boys who are coming up the pugilistic corridor; and yet, everything viewed from back and front, it would seem that the public is most clamorous in the wistful wish to have Moran and the Wolgast lad fall upon each other's necks and settle this question of pugilistic caste.

They are both strong boys, so let them go and may the best man win. On their showings against the passing Nelson it would seem that Moran was the better boxer and also possesses in a more decided degree that punch that rocks rudely to the land of sorrowful sleep. Wolgast is not as popular as the late king of England, and for that rather specific reason there may be a rough guffaw go up from persons seated near the ring, should Ad go to sleep during the festivities.

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Where Some One Calls for Action.

MISTER J. H. RICHIE, SPORTING editor of the Minneapolis Journal and dear and devoted friend of Henry Ordemann, the Minneapolis Norsk of large proportions, has loosed a loud yell because Karl Lehto has not seen fit to meet the Ordemann ox at the precise time agreeable to the aforementioned Mr. Richie.

One would imagine from the battle call of the Richie reviewer that Ordemann was the only "rassler" who has business or impending engagements in sight. Such is not the case, Johnathan. Lehto has his husky hands full the present season and he is getting along very nicely to date, though there is a dark shadow in the person of Hackenschmidt hovering along the progress path.

Mr. Ordemann may be served in due time, and so calm, we beseech thee, this rising peeve. As to Westergaard fearing the prowess of the Minneapolis "rassler," the records of the Westergaard boy would render doubtful the assertion or implication that there is any of the ochre stuff hidden in the carcass of the Des Moines grappler.

Because Henri has won the American championship, by virtue of his defeat of genial "Doc" Roller don't for one morose moment flaunt the idea that he is the unriddled cheese on the wrestling menu card. There are several others, so little Henri will have to wait his turn.

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Who Is There to Fight Johnson?

THOSE WHO HAVE CAREFULLY looked over the heavyweight division can see but little in this division of the game. There is no one in sight to give Jack Johnson a run for his money, and with no competition the game has been allowed to run out.

At the present time the smoke has a sparring partner whom he is making much noise about. Sam Langford could probably rock the ebony head off the shoulders of this man. But Johnson has a too cordial dislike for Stubby Sam to give him the least chance to work his way into the position of world's champion.

It may be said in credit to the fighting ability of Johnson that there is no man in sight at the present time who can give the champion an argument of sufficient interest to draw a house. It is believed that Bill Delaney, who has shrewdness and understanding of fighters such as is possessed by few other men in this country, is nursing Al Kaufmann until that time when the black title holder has come to feel more acutely the effects of dissipation and also the years that do not sit any too lightly on his athletic career. Few realize it, but even at the present time Johnson is at the age when champions before him have begun to deteriorate.

When he fought Jeffries Johnson was in the prime of his athletic life. It is a blooming shame that he was not made to fight that day as the old Jeffries would have driven the negro. The world will probably never know just how great a fighter this clever negro is, for since he has been forging to the front it may be truly said that he has never met a man who has given him a battle.

But at that, if boxing is going to flourish in this country, Johnson will either have to retire or some boxer will have to burst upon the public with the ability to beat a boxer of the class of Johnson.

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Little Ehler Seems To Have Gone Too Far.

THE WARM EXUBERANCE THAT came to Prof. Ehler on the floor of the conference and which excited him to that extent that he proposed the substitution of the Rugby game for the good old college game, seems to have taken the form of a roaring roorback. At the present time the posish of the Ehler purity promoter is about as comfortable as that of a floor walker at a silk bargain day sale.

Down at Madison the students are raising up and showing their teeth. The alumni have let this somewhat radical boy know just what they think of the plan to drive Wisconsin out of Western football, and it seems that some of the old grads are to take steps that will make the position of this opponent of the American game as embarassing as the position of the hired man who tried to play butler.

They want football at Wisconsin and the show of the students is the first spirited demonstration that has come from the Madison school for some time. Such moves as the recent spasm of Ehler may be a blessing in disguise, for it will at least let the students know whereat some of these learned instructors stand, and will also enable them to take the proper stand in the matter of saving the game.

WOLGAST CANNOT FIGHT BEFORE NEXT SPRING.

Cadillac, Mich., Dec. 9. — Tom Jones, Champion Ad Wolgast's manager, held a conference yesterday with the champion and a physician. Jones, with the physician's aid, carefully scrutinized an X-ray picture of Wolgast's injured arm.

The break, a few inches above the wrist, is knitting fast, but not as fast as the champion wants it to.

When Jones emerged from the office he said: "Ad is not going to fight anyone before the latter part of March. That much is certain. Ten chances to one he will not fight before May. His arm is healing nicely, but the danger of another break is to be feared. We have got to lay down now, but when Ad's arm is better we will meet them all."

LEADERS FAR BEHIND RECORD

Five Teams Still Tied in Six-Day Bicycle Race.

New York, Dec. 9.—The opening of the next to the last day of the six-day bicycle race at Madison Square Garden found eight teams left in the race, five of them tied for first place, two others a lap behind and one team in a lone trail in the rear. This last was the new combination of Rutt and Clarke, formed late yesterday after McFarland and Stol had retired. Cameron and Halstead had been displaced from their run with the leaders by losing a lap in a sprint.

The pace this morning was slow, the leaders contenting themselves with dragging along, preserving their places and keeping in as good condition as possible for the final struggle. They were eighty-three miles behind the record for the 104th hour at 8 o'clock this morning, when the score stood:

Root-Moran, 1,931 miles 1 lap; Mitten-Thomas, 1,931 miles 1 lap; Fogler-Hill, 1,931 miles 1 lap; Collins-Drobach, 1,931 miles 1 lap; Hehir-Goullet, 1,931 miles 1 lap; Cameron-Halstead, 1,931 miles; West-Demara, 1,931 miles; Rutt-Clarke, 1,930 miles 9 laps.

The record is 2,014 miles and 3 laps, made by Miller and Waller in 1899.

SOME KANGAROO FIGHTERS.

Bill Lang, heavyweight.
Peter Jackson, heavyweight.
Tom Leeds, heavyweight.
Bob Fitzsimmons, heavyweight.
Dan Creedon, heavyweight.
Jem Hall, heavyweight.
Joe Goddard, heavyweight.
Bill Squires, heavyweight.
Billy McCarthy, middleweight.
Billy Smith, middleweight.
George Dawson, middleweight.
Arthur Walker, welterweight.
Tim Williams, welterweight.
Jim Barren, welterweight.
Tim Haggerty, lightweight.
Otto Cripps, lightweight.
Hocky Keyes, lightweight.
Billy Murphy, featherweight.
Young Griffo, featherweight.

Proctor Defeats Duluth.

Last night at Proctor the basket ball team of that city defeated the Brocklehurst team of Duluth by the score of 39 to 18. Mumma of the Proctor team secured eleven field baskets, while Frank, center of the Duluth team, played the star game for the Brockelhurst bunch.

THIRD LEAGUE BUGABOO LAID

Big Baseball Magnates Do Not Fear Fletcher's Activities.

New York, Dec. 9.—The gathering of the big baseball magnates for their annual meetings here next week is believed likely to develop the status of the "third league" baseball movement. From what can be learned in advance there seems to be less worry among the club presidents than there was a few weeks ago regarding the moves of D. A. Fletcher, promoter of the proposed rival organization.

If the reports of ground lost by Fletcher in his efforts to corral star players and secure other suppot for the so-called outlaw circuit are confirmed when the magnates get together there is said to be little likelihood of official cognizance being taken of the third league proposition.

HARLEY DAVIDSON HERE.

World's Champion Will Meet Frank Bryant at Lincoln Park.

Harley Davidson, the champion roller skater of the world, arrived in Duluth last evening and will tonight skate the first of the series of races with Frank Bryant of this city, who has made a brilliant record on the rollers. In addition to the races with Bryant, Davidson will pull off some fancy skating and will give his wonderful backward leap over seven chairs.

The world's champion has only recently returned from England, where he won the $1,000 championship belt, which he has with him. In speaking of the foreign skaters, Harley said today that they were awfully fast but did not know all the angles of the game with which the American speed merchants are familiar.

Davidson will skate three races with Bryant. He is the fastest man that the local lad has ever met, for Davidson has scored victories over Munch, whom patrons of the Lincoln Park rink thought one of the fastest men in the world. Harley has been skating and riding bicycles for years, and though a veteran in the years he has been before the public, he is today looked upon as the fastest man who ever strapped on a pair of rollers.

Bryant is stacking up against very fast game and has trained hard for the contests. If he makes a great showing in the races he will believe that there is some chance for him in the Western skating championships.

HARVARD AND PENN RENEW RELATIONS.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 9.—The athletic committee of the University of Pennsylvania sanctioned the baseball game scheduled with Harvard, June 7. The game will be the first dual meeting between the teams representing the two universities in any sport since 1905 owing to a dispute over the eligibility of a Pennsylvania football player.

BOWLING SCORES

Massey and Lindgren played a fifteen-game match last evening at the Central alleys. Lindgren won the contest by the total score of 3,107 to 2,722. The games were played in a contest that the two men have started for 100 games. Some very good bowling was witnessed.

MODIFICATIONS TO NEW RULES EXPECTED.

New York, Dec. 9.—Football enthusiasts, particularly in the smaller colleges, are wondering what attitude toward the new game, in the light of the recent season's play, will be taken by the intercollegiate athletic association when it holds its annual meeting here on Dec. 29.

As a general proposition it is thought that the reformed game will be indorsed but modifications in some of the rules will undoubtedly be recommended.

Although the "Big Four" are not affiliated with the association, sixty-eight other colleges and universities owe allegiance to it.

Why This Peeve?

In a somewhat petulant peeve Frank Kendig writes from St. Paul regarding his abilities as a pool player and also a roller skater. All the things cannot be published—suffice it to say, that the pool professor is very, very angry.

With all the vocabulary at his command Mr. Kendig comes to his own defense and claims that he can not only beat all the "four flushing" pool players in this city, including the departed "Oklahoma Kid," but that he can also defeat Frank Bryant, the champion roller skater at the Head of the Lakes, and that he has money that speaks the American language.

NEW WRESTLER JOINS DULUTH MAT COLONY.

There is a new wrestler in town. His name has not been ascertained as yet. He hasn't sent in any challenges, but it is believed that in a few weeks he will be open to meet all comers. He is about four days old and is the son of Chris Person, known over the great reaches of the virgin West as a tough and enduring mat customer. The addition to the Person family arrived the present week and will begin taking his first lessons at the mat game when he becomes somewhat steadier on his legs. Chris Junior is welcomed to the local colony of wrestlers with all the courtesy of the profession.

PEORIA FIGHTER BREAKS HIS ARM AT TACOMA.

Tacoma, Wash., Dec. 9.—Jack Tippetts of Peoria, Ill., last night lost his match with Slick Merrill of Clealum, Wash., for the middleweight championship of the Northwest, when he broke his arm toward the end of the second round. Tippetts broke a bone in his forearm when Merrill blocked a swing with his elbow.

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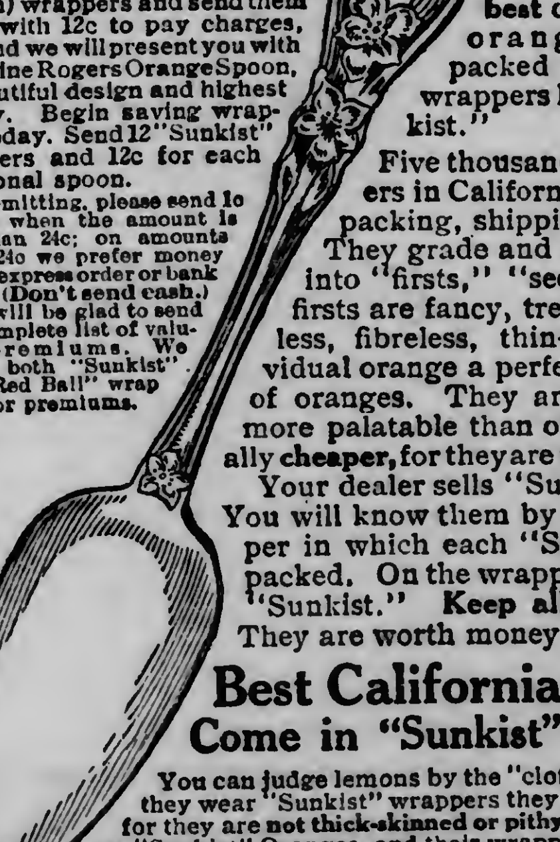

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MARINE

DUNELM'S CREW REACHES PORT

Port Arthur, Ont., Dec. 9.—Capt. Alvinstone and twenty-one members of the crew of the steamer Dunelm which stranded the day before yesterday on Blake's Point, Isle Royale, have just arrived here on the tug Whalen. They report the steamer resting easily on the rocks, but in an exposed and dangerous position should a heavy sea come up.

The hull is badly punctured forward. The lighter Empire is standing by ready to start work.

TOWING COMPANY CASE TO BE HEARD DEC. 16.

Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 9.—Taking of depositions in the suit brought by the government to oust the Great Lakes Towing company, charged with violating the Sherman anti-trust law, has been postponed. It was decided to resume the hearing at Detroit on Dec. 16, and in Cleveland, Dec. 19.

TWO NEW FREIGHTERS FOR PITTSBURG COMPANY.

The Pittsburg Steamship company, which is the marine department of the United States Steel corporation, has placed orders with the American Shipbuilding company for two 600-foot steel steamers that will cost more than $1,000,000, according to a dispatch to the Chicago Record-Herald. There are contracts pending for other lake freight boats and for lake passenger steamers.

AMERICAN CANAL WILL CLOSE MONDAY.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—There is seven inches of ice in Mud lake and in the Soo passage vessels require assistance of a tug in navigating the channel. The steamer Waheondah arriving up at Encampment yesterday was forced to turn round and take the West Neebish passage in order to reach the Soo, being unable to force a passage through the ice at the Encampment.

The Lakeland due here tomorrw is the last American boat on Lake Superior to come down. It is expected that the American canal will close Monday. Huronic is expected to be the last boat down.

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ST. PAUL YOUTH IN FATAL ACCIDENT

Woman Companion of B. C. Thompson Killed in Auto Wreck.

Stratford, Conn., Dec. 9.—An inquiry has been opened by the coroner into an automobile collision last night in which Jessica Saunders of Mystic was killed and Benjamin Casper Thompson of St. Paul, Minn., captain of the Yale Gun club, was injured.

The preliminary inquiry showed the automobile, which is owned and was driven at the time by Stuyvesant Peabody, Yale, '11, of Chicago, was run into by a trolley car, both vehicles having been headed in the same direction at the time. The statement has been made that the automobile was running close to the tracks to avoid the snow, and the trolley car, coming up behind, crashed into it.

Rear Lights Lighted.

The machine had its rear lights in use as required by law, according to a statement made by Peabody after the accident. When the trolley car struck the machine Miss Saunders was thrown out, and, falling across the tracks, was decapitated by the car. Thompson suffered a broken arm, and Peabody and Miss Lillian Foster of Milford were uninjured.

Miss Saunders wes a dressmaker in Mystic. She was divorced some years ago from Erastus Chezebro of that town, and resumed her maiden name.

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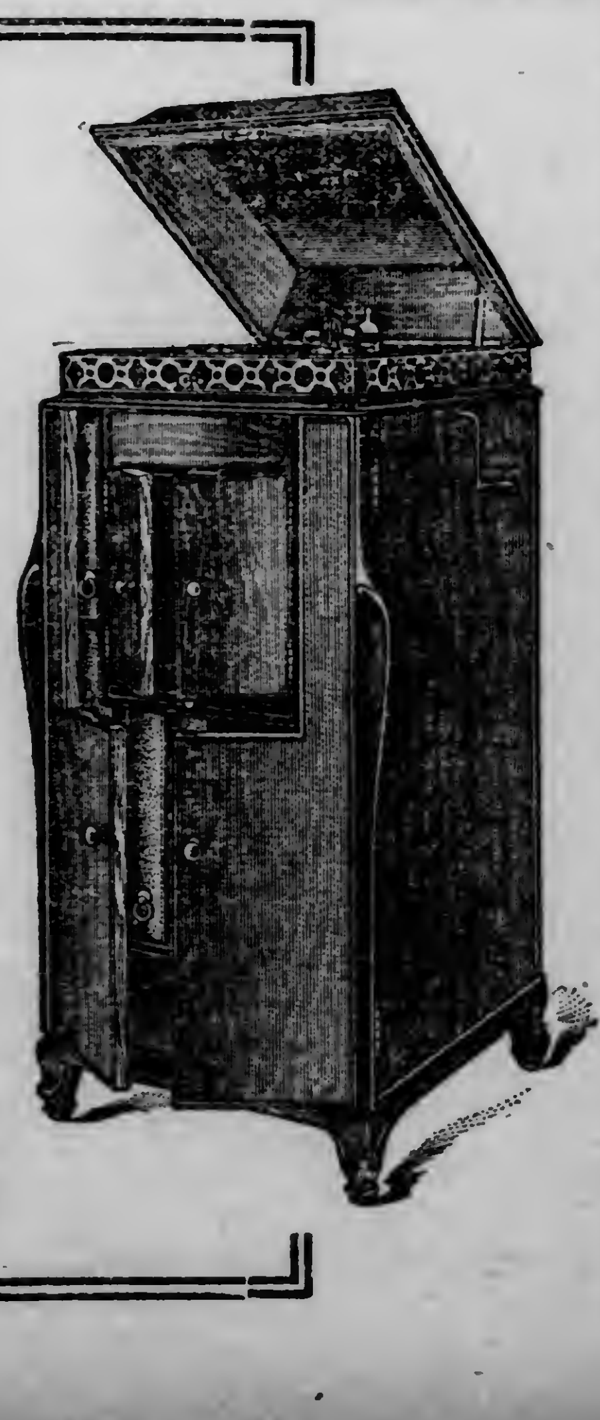

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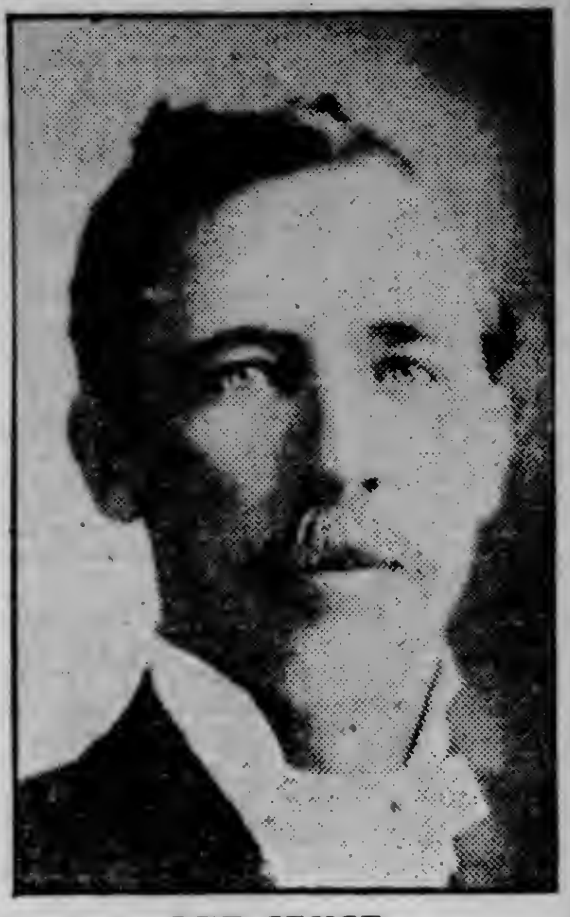

LEE CRUCE.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Dec. 9.—Lee Cruce is the new governor-elect of Oklahoma. It was reported during the campaign that Mr. Cruce would celebrate his election by marrying, but he says that he expects to keep bachelor's hall in the governor's mansion.

TREAT FOR MINOT.

Splendid Course of Entertainment Has Been Planned.

Minot, N. D., Dec. 9.—The lecture course of the Y. M. C. A. which has been arranged this year is the finest that the people of Minot have ever had.

The next number will be given Dec. 30, by the Central Grand Opera company.

On Jan. 16, the Castle Square entertainers will give a vocal and instrumental performance.

Judge Ben Lindsey of Denver, the juvenile judge, will lecture on the "Misfortunes of Mickey." The date has not been fixed.

The Chicago Operatic company, one of the strongest organizations of the kind on the road, will appear Jan. 30. The star of this number is Arthur Middleton, a famous basso, who will be assisted by four other artists.

DIES IN MONTANA.

Christopher Douglas, Former Minnesota Resident, Called in West.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 9.—Christopher F. Douglas died yesterday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Phil Gibson, Great Falls, Mont. The remains will be brought to Minneapolis for burial. Mr. Douglas was born in Stowe, Vt., Dec. 14, 1831. He came to Minneapolis in 1856, but went back to Vermont in 1857 to marry Miss Louisa E. Perkins. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas returned to Minneapolis to make it their home in 1873. About a year ago he went to Montana to live with his daughter. Two children survive, Mrs. Gibson and George P. Douglas of Minneapolis.

BEFORE JUDGE REID.

Impartial and Broad-Minded Jurist to Try John Dietz.

Hayward, Wis., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—Judge Reid of Merrill, who will try John Dietz, is declared to be a broad-minded and impartial judge, who will hold the scales of justice evenly balanced between the state and the famous defender of Cameron Dam, when the latter faces the jury.

Dietz takes very little stock in the message received from the defense committee to the effect that Clarence Darrow has been secured for the defense. His opinion is based on the fact that the message was not signed by any individual. Dietz does not appear to be very well posted on his attorney's actions, this being the principal reason for the break with Rubin.

Up to the time of Rubin's appearance in Hayward Monday noon Dietz had not heard a word for a week, and since then has appeared very much dissatisfied, and even now expresses himself as being willing to plead his own case.

The St. Joseph's hospital of Ashland has tendered a bill against Sawyer county of $1,000 for the care of Almyra Dietz during her nine weeks' stay at Ashland.

WARD COUNTY BANKS ARE ASSESSED MORE.

Minot, N. D., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—Because the board of commissioners of Ward county made a comparison between the assessed valuations of the banks in the county with the official statements of those banks supplied in accordance with the call of the state banking department, the institution in question will contribute approximately $2,000 more per year toward the operating expenses of the county. In every instance but three increases were made in the assessments against the banks as a result of the comparison, it being shown that the valuation of the banks was generally higher than reported in the assessment books.

The assessed valuation of all banks prior to the raise was $131,196, and when the change was made, the new valuation was fixed at $172,002, making an increase of $40,806. This will make an actual difference in the payment of taxes of $2,316.

FARMERS SUE AGAINST DRAINAGE ASSESSMENT.

Devils Lake, N. D., Dec. 9.—Another drainage suit in which farmers against whom assessments for benefits derived by reason of the construction of county drains appear as plaintiffs, was heard in the district court of Ramsey county before Judge Templeton, involving a drain running from Irvine to Dry Lake. William Lemke et all., vs. the drainage board of Ramsey county is the title of the action, and the plaintiffs seek to show that the board was without power in causing the cammencement of construction work and the levying of assessments. In support of this contention it is claimed that the board failed to advertise for bids in the proper manner, and that the names of those against whom assessments would be levied were not published in accordance with law.

Record Inheritance Tax.

Eau Claire, Wis., Dec. 9.—The inheritance tax derived from the estate of Sigbald Qvale, who died at the age of 19, leaving $200,000, has been fixed by Judge Blum at $3,919.07, the record amount ever paid here.

The deceased left no will, and the entire fortune is left to his mother, Mrs. Anna Qvale.

Just before his death Sigbald Qvale donated $30,000 to the Luther hospital in this city.

Ardoch, N. D., Hotel Burns.

Grand Forks, N. D., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—One of the pioneer Red River valley hotels was destroyed at Ardoch when the Park hotel burned. An explosion of a lamp left in an upstairs room caused the conflagration. This hotel was constructed in 1882 by Mose Abbott who operated it for a great many years under the name of the Union hotel.

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No attempt is made to get retail prices—we sell at wholesale prices and you save the profit. That's a big item and is a saving that comes in pretty nice in times like these.

Hundreds of New Suits & Overcoats Came This Week

We place them all on sale tomorrow at prices that do not seem possible. Do you wonder that the high-priced stores are mad at us and fighting among themselves like Killkenney cats.

$8.75 for Overcoats that the High-Priced Stores sell for $18.00.
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$12.75 for Overcoats that the High-Priced Stores sell for $22.00.
$14.75 ofr Overcoats that the High-Priced Stores sell for $25.00.

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Why pay $10 for a Suit we sell for **$6.75** Why pay $18 for a Suit we sell for **$10.65**
Why pay $15 for a Suit we sell for **$8.75** Why pay $22 for a Suit we sell for **$11.65**

COLD WEATHER NEEDS FOR MEN AND BOYS AT BIG SAVINGS

MEN'S UNDERWEAR.

50c and 75c kind, Men's Underwear	39c
Lamb's Down Men's Underwear, 75c kind	50c
$1.00 Men's Wool Underwear, for only	69c
$1.25 Men's Wool Underwear, for only	89c

MEN'S UNION SUITS.

$2.00 kind, Men's Union Suits, for only	$1.39
$3.00 kind, Men's Union Suits, for only	$1.98

MEN'S FLANNEL SHIRTS.

$2.00 Flannel Shirts, for	$1.29

MEN'S MITTENS & GLOVES.

$1.00 and $1.25 kind, for	79c
$1.50 kind, Leather Mittens or $1.00 and $1.25 kind, for	79c
75c kind for	45c
Gloves, for	95c
75c kind, Lined Mitts, for	39c

MEN'S FUR AND FLANNEL LINED GLOVES.

$1.25 kind, Men's Gloves, for	75c
$1.50 kind, Men's Gloves, for	85c

MEN'S DRESS PANTS.

$2.00 kind, Men's Dress Pants, for only	$1.45
$2.50 kind, Men's Dress Pants, for only	$1.79
$3.50 kind, Men's Dress Pants, for only	$2.29

MEN'S WINTER CAPS.

50c kind, Winter Caps, for	29c
75c kind, Winter Caps, for	50c
$1.00 kind, Winter Caps, for	65c

MEN'S SWEATERS.

75c and $1.00 Sweaters, for	59c
$1.50 Sweaters, for	89c
$2.50 Sweaters, for	$1.45
$3.00 Sweaters, for	$1.75

Ask to see the $5 and $6 ones.

LADIES' PETTICOATS.

75c kind, Ladies' Petticoats, for	25c
$1.00 kind, Ladies' Petticoats, for	48c

MEN'S ARCTICS.

$1.00 Alaskas, for	79c
$1.50 1-buckle Arctics, for	95c
$2.00 1-buckle Arctics, for	$1.45
$3.00 4-buckle Arctics, for	$2.45

BOYS' SWEATERS.

75c kind for	48c
$1.00 kind, for	69c
$1.25 kind, for	73c
$1.50 kind, for	95c

MEN'S HEAVY WOOL SOX.

15c Men's Cotton Sox, for	7c
25c kind, Cotton Sox, for	15c
50c kind, for	37c
25c Cashmere or Lisle Sox, for	15c
50c Lisle and Silk Sox, for	25c

MEN'S HEAVY ALL-WOOL WORKING PANTS.

$3 kind, Heavy All-wool Working Pants, for	$1.98
$3.50 kind, Heavy All-wool Working Pants, for	$2.20

BOYS' MITTS AND CAPS.

25c Wool Gloves, manufacturer's outlet sale	17c
25c Lined Mitts, manufacturer's outlet sale	17c
50c kind at	29c
75c to $1.00 kind, at this sale	45c
75c Stocking Caps, at this sale	33c

MEN'S HATS.

$3.00 and $3.50 Men's Hats, for	$1.85
$2.50 Men's Hats, for	$1.50
$2.00 Men's Hats, for	$1.25

MEN'S DRESS SHOES.

Ox-blood, $5 and $6, for	$2.85
Patent Colt, $5.00, for	$3.25
Patent Colt, $4.00, for	$2.45

MEN'S FELT SHOES.

$2.00 kind, for	$1.35
$2.50 kind, for	$1.69
75c Ship Sox, for	55c
$1.25 Men's Slippers, for	85c

LADIES' GLOVES & MITTENS

25c kind for	12c
35c kind for	15c

LADIES' SHOES.

$3.50 kind for	$2.25
$4.00 kind for	$2.50

LADIES' HOSE.

20c and 25c kind, for	10c
35c kind, all-wool, for	20c

BOYS' AND MISSES' SHOES.

$1.50 kind, for	95c
$2.00 kind, for	$1.25

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TRAVELNG MEN FREE.

Pair Alleged to Have Voted Illegally Are Discharged.

Calumet, Mich., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—Peter Fitzgerald and Harry Rose of Cleveland and Minneapolis respectively, traveling men, charged in Justice Jackola's court with illegally voting at a recent special election held in the village of Red Jacket for the purpose of eecting a clerk to succeed N. F. Kaiser, were discharged from custody on the motion of Prosecuting Attorney W. J. MacDonald.

Both the defendants were reprimanded by the court and prosecuting attorney previous to being dismissed.

In asking that the proceedings be quashed, the prosecuting attorney stated that he failed to find anything in the statutes, after careful perusal, to hold the men any longer on the charge of illegal voting.

DIES IN PENITENTIARY.

George Smith, Committed From St. Louis County, Passes Away.

Stillwater, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—George Smith died in the state prison Wednesday, aged 35 years. He was reduced by the ravages of tuberculosis to a mere skeleton. He was very weak when received at the prison Oct. 3 last from St. Louis county under a sentence of a year for grand larceny in the first degree. His relatives at Buffalo, N. Y., have been notified.

D. H., 12-9-'10.

Your satisfaction is our strong suit.

We've another strong suit for $18, the new brownish shade.

And at $22.50 a fancy blue that's a trump.

Our leading card is a $25 suit that should be priced at thirty dollars, it belongs in the XXX family, and your $35 merchant tailor's work does not compare with it in real value.

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Foot-note:
Wear the Columbia $3.50 Shoes.

MINNESOTA DELEGATE TO TARIFF COMMISSION.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—Governor Eberhart has appointed Prof. E. V. Robinson of the state university as delegate from Minnesota to the meeting of the National Tariff Commission association in Washington, Jan. 11 and 12.

MINNEAPOLIS MAGAZINE PURCHASED BY COLLIERS.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Housekeeper corporation, 801 Fourth street south, has sold its capital stock, valued, at par, $90,000, to Robert J. Collier, publisher of Collier's Weekly, and Conde Nast of New York city.

The offices of the company will be removed to New York in a month and a large number of the present 200 employes will be retained in the new New York office.

Lucian S. Kirtland, editor, Frederick Fayram, general manager, and F. J. Splitstone, circulation manager, will take up their respective duties in the New York office.

LUMBER MEN HEARD IN TAP LINE CASES.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 9.—The continuation of the hearing here today by Interstate Commerce Commissioner Harlan in the matter of the tap line cases was marked by an elimination of detailed and technical evidence.

Division of traffic on the tap lines as between the lumber controlling interests and other shippers constituted today, as yesterday, one of the main subjects of consideration.

Woman Suicide Left Nothing.

Marinette, Wis., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—The claims filed against the estate of Jennie Moore, the mining stock promoter, who committed suicide last spring by throwing herself in front of a Chicago & Northwestern passenger train in Marinette, are worthless. The two policies carried by the dead woman amounted to $6,000. They both contained a suicide clause, so only the money paid on premiums could be collected. Claims amounting to $2,327.50 were filed against the estate.

ANOTHER MICHIGAN HUNTER GUN VICTIM.

Norway, Mich., Dec. 9.—Julius Hannabalk, 30 years old, was so seriously wounded that he died a few hours later, in an accident which occurred while he was deer hunting. While climbing over a log both barrels of his shotgun were discharged, filling his chest with shot. He was taken to the Penn Dragon hospital, where he died.

Menominee Fishermen Pleased.

Menominee, Mich., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—The local fishermen are pleased with the results of their season's work. It is said that 48,000 packages of fish were secured off the shore of Menominee county The fishermen received $3.50 for the fish, which is considered a fair price. Most of the nets were drawn before the storms of the winter set in and very little twine was lost this season.

GREAT SACRIFICE SALE!

Backward season forces us to reduce our stocks to cash.

THESE PRICES WILL SAVE YOU MONEY

Ladies' Shoes, Queen Quality, and other makes of $3.50 shoes. Sale price, per pair only	48c
Bannister Shoes for men—regular $6.00 values—at per pair	$3.69
Ladies' $2.50 and $3.00 Shoes at	$1.98
Bargain Table of Boys' and Children's Shoes, values from $1.50 to $2.00—sale price, per pair	98c
Women's Felt Juliets per pair	98c

Complete lines of Holiday Slippers at reduced prices.

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Indigestion, Gas, Heartburn or Dyspepsia Go in Five Minutes.

You can eat anything your stomach craves without fear of Indigestion or Dyspepsia, or that your food will ferment or sour on your stomach, if you will take a little Diapepsin occasionally.

Your meals will taste good, and anything you eat will be digested; nothing can ferment or turn into acid or poison or stomach gas, which causes Belching, Dizziness, a feeling of fullness after eating, Nausea, Indigestion (like a lump of lead in stomach), Biliousness, Heartburn, Water Brash, Pain in stomach and intestines or other symptoms.

Headaches from the stomach are absolutely unknown where this effective remedy is used. Diapepsin really does all the work of a healthy stomach. It digests your meals when your stomach can't. A single dose will digest all the food you eat and leave nothing to ferment or sour and upset the stomach.

Get a large 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from your druggist and start taking now, and in a little while you will actually brag about your healthy, strong Stomach, for you then can eat anything and everything you want without the slightest discomfort or misery, and every particle of impurity and Gas that is in your stomach and intestines is going to be carried away without the use of laxatives or any other assistance.

Should you at this moment be suffering from Indigestion or any stomach disorder, you can get relief within five minutes.

D. H., Dec. 9, 1910.

Gloves at 79c

Tomorrow another day of retailing lined gloves and mittens at a great deal less than the wholesale prices.

It's the Columbia's periodical feast of disposing of thousands of sample gloves in two days.

The Columbia Clothing Co.

At Third Ave. West.

FOR THE NEXT TEN DAYS

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Off regular prices on our stock of Libby's Cut Glass, Jewelry, Watches, Silverware, etc.

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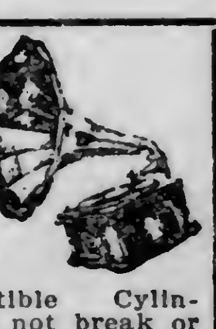

All the Late Song Hits

In Columbia Double Disc Records at 65c Columbia Indestructible Cylinder Records, 35c, will not break or wear out. Be sure and hear the Columbia Grafonola. Graphophones from $25 to $225.

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Ask your druggist for it. If he cannot supply the MARVEL, accept no other, but send stamp for illustrated book—sealed. It gives full particulars and directions invaluable to ladies. MARVEL CO., 44 E. 23d ST., NEW YORK.

For Sale by Max Wirth, Druggist.

HEIRESS TO MILLIONS

Miss Barker, Who Is Fourteen, Is Richest Girl in America.

Bequeathed $30,000,000 By Her Father, His Entire Fortune.

Chicago, Dec. 9.—Young Miss Catherine Barker must be added to the galaxy of American heiresses, if, indeed, she is not the brightest gem in that array of beauty and wealth.

Her father, John H. Barker, who died Saturday, bequeathed $30,000,000, his entire fortune, to Miss Catherine, 14 years old. She is the richest girl or unmarried woman in the country probably and one of the wealthiest in the world.

Thirty million dollars is at least double the fortune of Miss Helen Gould of New York, three times that of Miss Jennie Crocker of San Francisco and fifteen times that of Miss Dorothy Whitney of New York.

A "Home Girl."

By the time Miss Barker comes of age, even of marriageable age, her wealth will have increased vastly. Her father's will made the First Trust & Savings bank her guardian and manager of her estate, and that institution is noted for its conservative administration. However, those who know Miss Barker best say money cannot "spoil her." One called her a "home girl" and added:

"She will remain Catherine; never will she become Katherine."

John H. Barker was a son of John Barker, who started the Haskell-Barker Car company at Michigan City, Ind. Dying, John Barker left the business to his sons, John H. and Wallace Barker. When his brother died, John H. Barker became sole owner of the concern, which builds everything on wheels, from a palace car to a narrow gauge dump car. While expanding the profitable business to the limit of its production, John H. Barker invested heavily in bank stocks and his wealth increased rapidly. He was charitable and generous, but left a Titanic fortune.

In Charge of Duenna.

Miss Catherine's mother died last June. Up to that time the girl attended a private school in Detroit. Since then a trusted friend of the Barker family has been Miss Catherine's guide, philosopher and duenna. Her education is being completed under governesses.

Her father, accustomed to having his own way, was always willing to pay to have it. His favorite niece, Anna Ogden Barker, Wallace Barker's daughter, was married to Nelson Ludington Barnes, a young broker of New York.

Mr. Barnes smoked cigarettes incessantly. Mr. Barker, who acquired an affection for him, despised cigarettes. Vainly he urged Mr. Barnes to give them up. At last he said:

"If you will throw away that cigarette and pledge me your word never to smoke another I will give you $50,000."

Mr. Barnes has never smoked another cigarette.

HELEN HAD HER "SNIFTERS"

And Carried a Bottle in Her Stocking, Says Sister.

New York, Dec. 9.—That she has seen her sister drink as much as a pint of whisky at one time, just as if it were so much water, was the amazing statement of Anna M. Sinclair, upon whose testimony a sheriff's jury filed a verdict with the county clerk, adjudging to be incompetent Mrs. Helen L. Gryson, a handsome young woman, who owns much valuable real estate at Flushing, L. I.

Miss Sinclair declared her sister eloped and was married when she was only 16 years old. Soon afterward, she said, Mrs. Gryson acquired the drinking habit and frequently came to Miss Sinclair's home, in Flushing, in an intoxicated condition. She added that Mrs. Gryson used to carry a bottle of whisky in her stocking.

One of the immediate causes that prompted the inquiry into Mrs. Gryson's mental condition was the discovery recently that she had borrowed $700 from money lenders, and had made two deeds to property she owned worth $50,000.

Don't Rub the Life Out of Your Clothes

Sprinkle a little GOLD DUST in the water, and let the GOLD DUST Twins do all the hard part of the task. GOLD DUST starts to dissolve and lather the moment it strikes the water; it starts to cleanse the moment it comes in contact with the garment. It instantly softens the hardest water, saves rubbing, saves wear and tear on clothes, and does most of the work without your assistance.

Use GOLD DUST next wash day, and have whiter, sweeter, cleaner clothes, with half the effort and in half the time.

Do not use Soap, Naphtha, Borax, Soda, Ammonia or Kerosene with Gold Dust. Gold Dust has all desirable cleansing qualities in a perfectly harmless and lasting form.

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Friday, Saturday, Sunday and Sunday Evening, Dec. 9, 10 and 11. Saturday and Sunday matinees.

Admission (including skates) 25c.

WOULD STOP SALE OF FRENCH RELICS

MAURICE FAURE.

Paris, Dec. 9.—Maurice Faure, minister of public instruction in the new French cabinet, has proposed a law making communes responsible for the safety of altar screens, reliquaries and other such articles in their jurisdiction, prohibiting their sales to individuals and abolishing the three-year limit on the time for their recovery.

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Packed for shipment. One piece or house full. Estimates Free.

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RECOVERS CHILD SHE GAVE AWAY

Mother Takes Baby She Lent to Carry Out Hoax.

New York, Dec. 9.—Supreme Court Justice Davis has dismissed a writ of habeas corpus obtained by Arthur W. Warren to get possession of Walter Wellington Warren, the 10-months-old son of Mrs. Maude M. Campbell, on the basis that the child's mother had agreed to permit Warren and his wife Dora to claim the child as their own by blood and did permit them to assert such claim to their friends and relatives for eight monahs, when she took the child away from them.

Warren said in his petition, upon which he got an order directing Mrs. Campbell to produce the child in court, that prior to Feb. 15 last Mrs. Campbell resided with himself and his wife. They greatly desired a child, he said, and Mrs. Campbell was about to become the mother of one.

Deceived Outsiders.

Accordingly they made an agreement, Warren said, by which Mrs. Warren was to claim the child as her own, and as soon as it was born and had been placed in her custody she was to appear to become ill and a physician was to be called to treat her. This was to be done for the purpose of making outsiders believe that the child was Mrs. Warren's.

Warren says the child was born on Feb. 15 and that all the details of the plan were carried out, even to the extent of calling a physician to attend Mrs. Warren for six days, although she was not ill and the physician did nothing. The boy was named Walter Wellington Warren for the petitioner's uncle, he said, and all their friends and relatives congratulated them. The child was treated as their own, Warren said, and Mrs. Campbell acknowledged it to be the child of Mr. and Mrs. Warren and disclaimed all relationship.

Showed Sudden Affection.

The petitioner declares that he supplied all the child's wants and bought it necessaries until Oct. 28, when Mrs. Campbell came to their home on Staten Island and took the child away with her. Previously she had shown no affection for the child and didn't even want to carry it in her arms when she was in the Warren's home.

After she took the child she put it in the charge of a person who knew so little about the care of an infant that this person fed the baby crackers and it became so ill it had to be sent to a hospital. While in the care of himself and wife the child was never ill, Warren said.

Mrs. Campbell did not bring the child into court, but she filed an answer to the writ of habeas corpus, in which she said that the child's real name was Campbell and said she was detaining it "through the natural and legal right of a mother." She admits all the allegations of the petition, but says:

"They constitute a fraud and render the entire transaction as specified, illegal and against public policy."

The court upheld Mrs. Campbell's contention.

HILL WRITES OF CANADIAN TRADE

Declares the Two Countries Have Missed Golden Opportunities.

New York, Dec. 9.—"The political platform of the party which represents the protective principle in this country, the doctrine announced by President Taft and accepted by Republican leaders today, if literally acted upon would dismantle every custom house along the inetrnational border," said James J. Hill in a speech read at the Canadian society's dinner last night by Dr. George D. Stewart, Mr. Hill's physician. Mr. Hill himself was unable to attend.

"If we are to levy only such imposts," the address continued, "as will equalize the cost of production here and elsewhere—and that is now the universal slogan—then there would be free trade between the United States and Canada immediately."

In support of this statement Mr. Hill contended that there was practically no difference in wages or cost of raw materials, with few exceptions, in the two countries.

Have Lost Opportunities.

"Canada and the United States have failed to improve the opportunity plainly awaiting them," he said. "It is possible that should the countries fail again, as they have failed so many times in the past since 1866, to listen to real statesmanship as embodied in the reciprocity policy, the voice of opportunity may be silenced forever by the changing circumstances that alter permanently the outlook of nations as well as the fortunes of man. In both nations today a thousand interests are calling for a closer and more definite commercial compact."

POULTRY SHOW TO BE BEST EVER

Members Are Already Making Plans for Exhibition in February.

At a meeting held last night by the members of the Duluth Poultry association, plans were discussed for the coming annual event There were thirty-two members of the association present, showing that there is a keen interest in the show and the affairs of the association.

The show will be held during the first week of February, it was planned. A site has not as yet been secured but it will be somewhere in the central part of the city.

It was decided to engage the services of Judge Holden of Owatonna, Minn., as judge. He has acted in that capacity before at local shows and his work has been above reproach.

It is planned to make the 1911 show the best ever held in the city. It will be the largest as many are going to enter a larger number of birds this year. The premium list will be the best yet offered.

The committee on attractions has planned to secure a display of pheasants as an extra attraction.

About 5,000 birds will be on exhibition at the show.

W. R. BENNETT TO SPEAK AT Y. M. C. A.

"Singing Orator" Will Talk to Men on "Fight With Octopus."

William Rainey Bennett of Marion, Ind., has been secured by the Y. M. C. A. as speaker for the regular weekly men's meeting, which will take place in the gymnasium at 3 p. m., next Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Bennett is another of the attractions sent out by the Redpath Lyceum bureau. He is said to be an entertaining speaker and the Y. M. C. A. officials are congratulating themselves on being able to secure him. He will speak on "The Fight With the Octopus."

Mr. Bennett possesses a rich tenor voice and he will sing during the course of the afternoon. He is called by some "the great singing orator."

One enthusiast speaks of him as follows:

"In his combination work of singing and speaking, he has no peer on the platform of today. He has the happy faculty of mingling music with word pictures, so that one embellishes the other, and in many instances producing very dramatic effects.

"But Mr. Bennett is not a reed shaken by the wind. He strikes a note of no uncertain sound. He feels the 'Spirit in the Air' and believes in the larger morals of clean citizenship. He has the Folk-La Follette-Hughes fibre, and is not afraid.

"Mingled with all his enthusiasm for a higher social and civic life, Mr. Bennett is the embodiment of a splendid optimism. He is so full of health and happiness that his very personality inspires an audience. His entertainment is a series of song, story and solid substance, woven together with the touch of a master."

Fourth Debator From One Family.

Charles Evans, formerly a member of the Central high school debating team, has been chosen on the freshman team at the University of Minnesota. Charles is the fourth member of the Evans family, who has debated on local high school teams and later on the teams at the state university. The four brothers are: John, Albert, Clarence and Charles.

"To Them That Hath"

A SHORT SERMON TO FAT FOLKS

"To them that hath shall be given" is a sentence that applies to fat people very neatly. It is common knowledge that once a human being begins to fatten up, to what they have already is added more than they want until finally a stage is reached where reduction must be made or decided disadvantage results.

Then comes forward the ages-old query: "Reduce — but how?" To the uninformed nothing suggests itself but the (to them) twin evils—less eating—more activity. They contemplate a more or less lengthy siege of dieting and exercising. So it may be said safely that every man or woman in the land now undergoing the fattening-up process has his or her mental eye fixed dubiously on that not far distant day when he or she will have to don the "ashes and sackcloth of reduction."

This is not an enlivening prospect, and so it is with considerable satisfaction that we announce the emancipation of the fat. Nowadays one may reduce much or little, a pound a day if desired, or hold their fat in check, absolutely stationary, without doing a tap of exercise, missing a single meal, doing a particle of harm or causing a solitary wrinkle. All that's required, as hundreds testify, is the taking after meals and at bedtime of one Marmola Prescription Tablet, which tablets are sold by the Marmola Co., 491 Farmer Bldg., Detroit, Mich., or any good druggist, at the uniform price of 75 cents, this sum being accepted for a case of tablets so well and generously filled that even one produces desirable results.

THE LIVE FURNITURE HOUSE.

R. R. Forward & Co

COMPLETE HOME FURNISHERS.

SECOND AVENUE EAST AND SUPERIOR ST., DULUTH.

We were very fortunate in the purchase of several dozen of these

Oak Rockers,

Solid Golden Oak Rockers, with real quartered oak back and seat; this is a strictly high-grade chair and comes from first-class factory; these chairs were built to sell from $5 to $6.50, as they are hand polished, No. 670, and good enough for any home—for Saturday special they go at only—

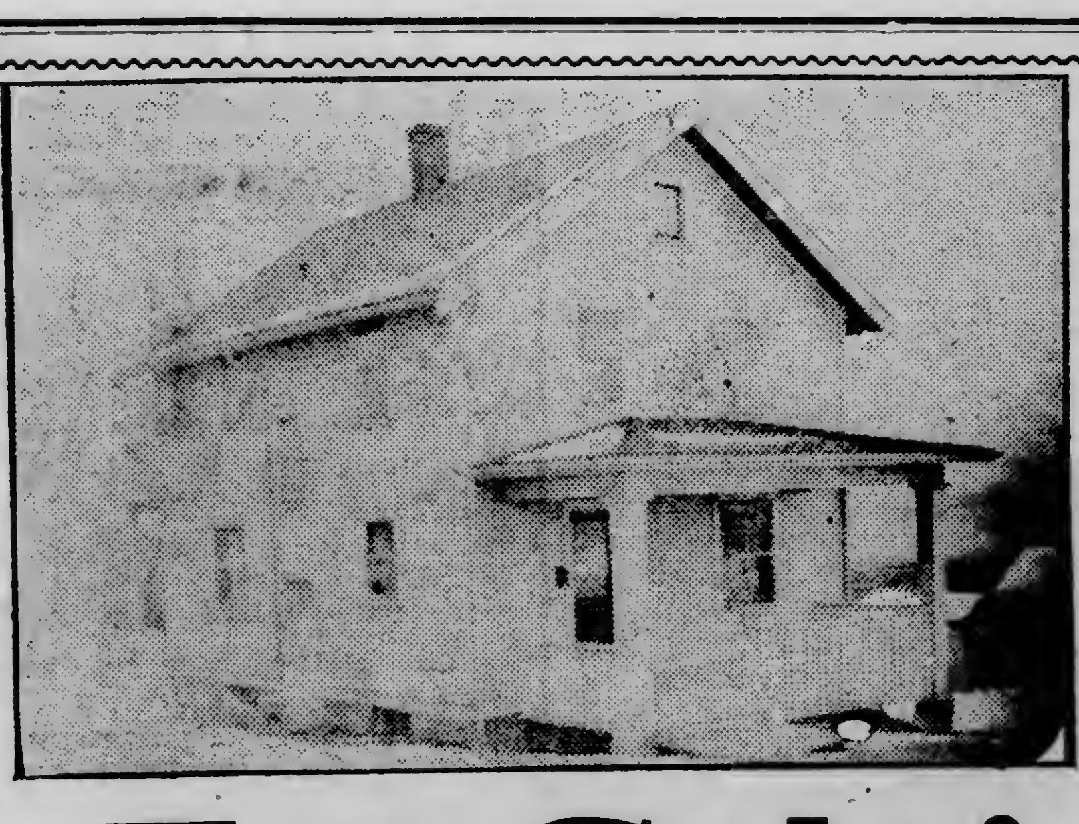
$2.65

(No 'phone orders.)

To Out-of-Town Customers:

We will accept mail orders. This is certainly a BARGAIN Rocker.

Don't purchase your Christmas gifts until you visit our store—it will mean big savings to you.



For Sale!

New house, 622 Eighth avenue east — hot water heat, laundry in basement, three rooms on first floor, four rooms and bath and toilet on second floor; equipped with gas, electric fixtures and window shades. Possession January 1st. Will sell for $4,200; $500 cash, balance on easy payments to suit. Call at 525 East Fourth street for particulars.

SHOE REPAIRING

—BY—

NEALLY, THE SHOE SURGEON

10 FIRST AVENUE WEST

DETACHABLE RUBBER HEELS 50 CENTS.

THE LEADER

131 West Superior Street.

Specials for Saturday

1/3 OFF ON ALL FURS!

Just received a new shipment of Seal Plush Coats—all sizes.

Misses' Coat Special

$12.50 values for $6.50
$18.50 values for $10.50

Children's Bear Skin Coats

Ages 1 to 4—colors gray and brown $2.98
Children's Bonnets, 50c and 75c value .... 12½¢

New Shipment of Underwear

All-wool Union Suits .... 75¢
Two-piece Suits for $1.25
Flannel Night Gowns .... 49¢
Panama Skirts for $1.98
Ladies' and Misses' Sweater Coats $1.00

Special reductions on all Coats and Suits.

1/2 Off On All Millinery

Jewelry Department Specials

Special Bagains for Saturday and Monday. Jewelry for Men, Women and Children, at lower prices than any dealer at the Head of the Lakes can buy for. Look our line over and convince yourself.

Gent's Rings.

Solid gold $7.00 Rings only— $3.50

That's the price of a filled ring.

Ladies' Rings

Ladies' Solid Gold Rings — $6.00 and $7.00 values $3.00

Baby Rings

Baby Solid Gold Rings — $1.75 and $2.50 values 75c

Toilet Sets.

$7.00 Sets, at $3.50
$6.00 Sets, at $2.75
$5.00 Sets, at $2.00
$2.50 Sets, at $1.00
Military Brushes— $5.00 Sets, at $2.25

Bracelets.

$2.00 value .... 70¢
$4.00 value $2.00

Brooches.

50c values, choice .... 15¢
$1.50 value, choice .... 65¢
$2.00 value, choice .... 85¢

Baby Braclets.

Always sold for no less than $1.50—at 65c

Hand Bags

Sample line of fine Leather Handbags, worth from $2.50 to $6.00—for Saturday and Monday, your choice for

$1.00

Rhinestone Hat Pins.

$1.00 value, for .... 35¢
$1.50 value, for .... 65¢
$2.00 value, for .... 85¢
$2.50 value, for $1.00

Belt Pins.

$1.00 value, choice .... 35¢
$1.50 value, choice .... 65¢
$2.00 value, choice $1.00

Combs.

50c value .... 5¢
75c value .... 25¢
$1.00 value .... 35¢
$1.50 value .... 65¢
$2.00 value $1.00
$3.00 value $1.25
$4.00 value $1.75

Barrettes.

50c value .... 5¢
75c value .... 15¢
$1.00 value .... 50¢
$1.75 value .... 75¢

Cuff Links and Tie Sets.

Values $1.25, choice .... 25¢

WALDORF

$2.50

SHOES

We save you $1.00 or more on Work Shoes, Dress Shoes, Felt Shoes or Street Shoes.

Come in and let us prove it. Welt sewed Shoes with sole leather counters, toe caps, and steel shanks, for men and women, $2.50; boys, $1.75.

SENSIBLE CHRISTMAS PRESENTS

WALDORF SHOE STORE,

313 West Superior Street

SLIPPER

season again, and we have Slippers galore.

Just pick them out from our **grand display,** or name the Slipper you want and see how quickly we'll produce them.

Slippers for men, women and children.

Slippers for everybody.

Bed room Slippers.

Bath Slippers.

House Slippers, great variety.

Romeos, Nullifiers, Juliets, Felt Slippers, etc.

Slippers as low as **49¢,** and as high as **$3.00.**

No better time to make selections than right now. Bear in mind that we're the Slipper Store.

WIELAND'S

115 WEST SUPERIOR ST.

D. H., Dec. 9, 1910.

A THING OF USE IS A JOY FOREVER

Our store has assumed its annual holiday appearance, and lady shoppers are growing numerous.

As usual, even more so, we show enormous special assortments of rich stuff in everything for men's and boys' wear. But there is not an unnecessary article in our whole list.

Our "Gift Record" is out and can be had for the asking. We'll mail you one if you send a postal or telephone.

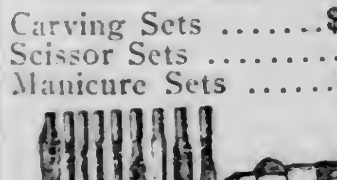
Neckwear from 25c to $2.50.
Umbrellas, $1.50 to $12.
Canes, 50c to $10.
Shirts for dress, business or work, 50c to $5.
Pajamas, Underwear, Gloves Handkerchiefs, Hose, Fancy Vests, Mufflers.

No time like the present time for your Christmas shopping.

The Columbia Clothing Co

FOOT NOTE: We sell Kozy Slippers.

Gillette Safety Razors	$5 to $8.50
Ever Ready Safety Razors	$1.00
Auto Strop Safety Razors	$5.00
Gibford Stropping Machine for Gillette blades	$1.00
Carving Sets	$1.00 to $12.00
Scissor Sets	$1.00 to $7.00
Manicure Sets	$1.25 to $8.00



Tools of all kinds for the Boy or Father.

QUAYLE-LARSEN CO.

23 Second Ave. West.

N. J. UPHAM CO.,

STORES AND HOUSES FOR RENT.
Property for sale in all parts of the city.

18 THIRD AVENUE WEST.

Advertise in The Herald

WHEEL TAX MUST BE PAID

First Arrest Is Made for Violation of the Ordinance.

Others Will Be Arrested Unless the Tax Is Paid.

The first arrest in the campaign to enforce the wheelage tax ordinance was made this morning when the proprietor of the West Duluth & Duluth Transfer company was arraigned in police court. He entered a plea of guilty and sentence was suspended when it was stated that he had taken out the required tags at the office of the city clerk. Police Prosecutor Walter F. Dacey stated, however, that he will ask heavy penalties in the future upon convictions for non-payment of the license fee.

The authorities mean business and will continue to make arrests until every vehicle in the city has been paid for. The money has been coming in altogether too slowly, only about $414 being paid in last month, bringing the total paid to approximately $3,500, whereas five times that amount should be credited to that fund by this time.

The order to make arrests was given to Chief Troyer by Mayor Cullum several days ago and Detective Frank Schulte is busy gathering the evidence. Several other warrants have been sworn out and will be served as soon as possible.

You Can Save $10

By buying your suit at the "3 Winners's" great $10 suit sale.

RAILROADS

SUPERINTENDENT ONCE BRAKEMAN

Twelve Years After F. D. Kelsey Began "Braking" He Gets Nice Promotion.

Grand Forks, N. D., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—F. D. Kelsey, superintendent of the Dakota division of the Great Northern railroad, who twelve years ago commenced at the bottom as freight brakeman, has been promoted to the position of superintendent of the Montana division with headquarters in Havre. T. F. Lowry, formerly superintendent of the northern division at Crookston, has resigned and it is understood that he is slated for a good berth with the Southern Pacific railroad.

Sept. Kelsey has always been on the Dakota division since he took a position with the company twelve years ago, and step by step was raised until, a year and a half ago, he became superintendent of the division.

Further changes of an important nature are slated to be made in the local offices shortly. Mr. Kelsey's successor has not been named.

GREAT NORTHERN SILK TRAIN MADE A RECORD.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—A new record for hauling a silk train across the continent has been established by the Great Northern, in conjunction with the Burlington and the Erie roads.

Five big cars containing 1,616 packages of raw silk, valued at more than $1,000,000 made the journey from Seattle to New York in 102 hours and five minutes, actual running time.

Changes in B. & O.

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 9.—Important changes in the operating department of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad were announced after the meeting yesterday of the board of directors in this city. George L. Potter, third vice president, at his own request, tl was stated, was not re-elected. A. W. Thompson, chief engineer of the system, was appointed general manager of the company's lines.

BUYS TWAIN MANUSCRIPTS.

J. Pierpont Morgan Secures Originals of Two of Humorist's Works.

New York, Dec. 9.—Announcement has been made that a large number of manuscripts of Mark Twain, who died on April 21 last, are to be sold at public auction next January. It also became known that the originals of some of his famous works are missing. The pages on which he penned "Innocence Abroad," "Tom Sawyer," and "Roughing It," the books of his earlier fame, can not be found.

J. Pierpont Morgan has quietly purchased the manuscripts of two books of the great humorist, and it is believed that a representative of the financier's will seek to bid in all the others that are offered at public sale. The two already in Mr. Morgan's possession are those of 'Pudd'n' Head Wilson" and "Life on the Mississippi."

A friend of the banker said that Mr. Morgan felt that it would be a "national sacrilege to permit the originals of Mark Twain's works to be scattered to the winds."

TIRED OF PAROLE.

Aged Prisoner Wants to Be Taken Back to "Pen."

East Chicago, Ind., Dec. 9.—To be permitted to end his days within the grim walls of the state prison at Michigan City is the one ambition of James Rollo, aged 63, paroled two months ago, after having served two years of a three-year sentence.

Patrol Officer Lorimer, of that institution, came to East Chicago this week and took the paroled prisoner back to Michigan City, with the promise that his wish was to be gratified. Rollo has been following his old occupation of stationary engineer.

The loss of a part of one of his feet made the work irksome, however, and he wished for the comforts he had enjoyed during his prison life at Michigan City.

Rollo was sentenced to a term of three years for stealing a farmer's scythe. He received employment at his trade, looking after the engine in the electric plant that supplies light and power for the prison. He proved an excellent engineer and a model prisoner, and was paroled by the pardon board at the expiration of two years of his term.

GIRLS OF PASADENA

Refuse to Meet Officers of Visiting Japanese Fleet.

Pasadena, Cal., Dec. 9.—The leading society girls of this city decline to mingle with Japanese naval men of high rank, even to meeting them on the ballroom floor, and as a result the Nipponese-American relations in Southern California are severely strained. The Japanese training squadron, Admiral Yashiro and all his officers are apparently insulted and resent the indignity.

Upon the arrival of the Japanese squadron at San Pedro, a few days ago, the Hotel Maryland management arranged to give a swell ball in honor of the commander and his officers. The hotel people learned that society girls would have nothing to do with the function. It was found necessary to call off the ball on short notice to the admiral.

In the meantime he had sent out exquisitely engraved invitations for a return dance on his flagship yesterday. These were not delivered, but were left in the key boxes. Wherefore it seems nobody showed up for the admiral's ball. When the school children of Long Beach were all ready to take cars for San Pedro, a telegram from Admiral Yashiro informed them they could not be accommodated.

"JAPAN MUST PREPARE FOR WAR WITH AMERICA."

Victoria, B. C., Dec. 9.—That Japan must prepare for war with the United States is the text of an article published by the Tokio Nippon received by the steamer Namba Maru.

"Japan must ask herself," says the Nippon, "what object an element of United States citizens have in view when they advocate the expenditure of enormous sums in furnishing the Pacific with a big fleet; of creating a powerful army on the Pacific slope; of building a huge coal depot and naval station in Hawaii and of fortifying the Philippines, Hawaii and Panama."

MURDERS FATHER TO PROTECT HIS MOTHER.

Omaha, Dec. 9.—Henry Walther, Jr., 16 years old, last night shot and killed his father, Henry Walther, Sr., following an attempt by the latter, according to the boy, to assault Mrs. Walther. According to the young man, Walther came home intoxicated and after abusing his wife, struck her. The young man fired five shots at his father, four of which entered his body and death was almost instantaneous.

Women's and Girls' Coats on Sale.

J. M. Gidding & Co., are holding a sale on their entire line of women's cloth coats at one-fourth and one-third reductions; also children's coats at one third off.

WEALTH HID IN STOVEPIPE.

Securities Worth $80,000 Found in New Jersey Woman's Home.

New York, Dec. 9.—Bank books and bonds representing a total value of $80,000 and beonging to Miss Emily Williams, whose body was found in her home near Milford, N. J., Sunday, several days after her death, were discovered yesterday hid in a stovpipe. Miss William's will was also found in the same hiding place.

In other rooms where Miss Williams, who was past 70 years of age, lived alone was found a bridal trousseau of fine quality. The gowns and lingerie puzzled the searching party until it was learned that they belonged to Mrs. Hubbell, a widowed sister of Miss Williams, who died six years ago and who had been engaged to be married a second time. Medical Examiner F. E. King found yesterday that Miss Williams had died of heart disease.

Beauty Causes Divorce.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 9.—Mrs. Lizzie Boswell on Tuesday filed suit for divorce from Z. F. Boswell because, she aleges, that he praised her beauty too much. Besides, she says, her beauty was the cause of arousing her husband's jealousy, and she alleges he accused her of "making eyes" at other men.

The coffee that is all coffee—Caldwells' Electric Cut. Demonstration at the pure food show.

DONALD A. McKENZIE ARRESTED IN WASHINGTON.

Washington, Dec. 9.—Donald A. McKenzie, who was indicted by a federal grand jury at Spokane, Wash., with four other men on charges of conspiracy to defraud the government of more than 20,000 acres of Alaskan coal lands, was arrested here last night. He was admitted to bail.

Mr. McKenzie figured prominently in the Ballinger-Pinchot inquiry. Louis R. Glavis said McKenzie informed him that the reason James R. Garfield was not retained in the cabinet was because of his antagonism to Alaskan coal claimants.

CLAIMS HE GAVE THE STOLEN FUNDS AWAY.

Jacksonville, Ill., Dec. 9.—William M. Morrissey, former attorney for the city of Jacksonville, under indictment for alleged shortages of $48,000 has arrived here from McCook, Neb. He will ask a continuance on the ground of inability to properly present his case at this term of court and because of ill health. Morrissey acknowledges he is short, but will claim he took the money and turned it over to others.

Whistles For the Blind.

Cleveland, Dec. 9.—Blind people in Cleveland are to be supplied with whistles to summon policemen at street crossings. The whistles will be especially constructed so as to be easily recognized by the police.

Better Than Charcoal.

A new process has been devised called the Lowo process, that will convert any carbonaceous material, particularly crude oils, bituminous coals and woods, into two most essential products, a definite fixed combustible gas and a hard carbon or coke. People with weak stomachs should drink Golden Grain Belt beer. It rebuilds the worn-out cells, and is easily and quickly assimilated by the entire system—making rich, red blood and giving new life to one's vital organs. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by the Duluth branch Minneapolis Brewing company.

MILWAUKEE PAPER IS BARRED FROM GERMANY.

Berlin, Dec. 9.—Chancellor Bethmann-Hollweg has issued an order forbidding the sale or circulation in Germany of the Kuryer Polski, a Polish paper, published in Milwaukee. The order, which is based on a decree of the provincial court of Posen, is presumably connected with the recent efforts for the suppression of the Polish agitation in East Prussia.

La Crosse Robbers Confess.

La Crosse, Wis., Dec. 9.—The police have captured the gang which has been robbing schoolhouses and churches the past week. The prisoners were captured attempting to rob the state normal school, and confessed to ten church and school robberies. The prisoners are students, who say they are trying to get money for their education in this way.

Highest class union tailoring at lowest prices in the city. L. Nelson, Hayes block, 32 East Superior street.

Christmas Suggestions

In Handkerchiefs, Mufflers, Leather Goods, Art Needle Work, Fancy Pillow Tops, Battenburg and drawn Linen Pieces of exquisite designs, and Ladies' Neckwear and Jewelry.

"WHERE VALUES REIGN SUPREME"

STACK & CO.

21-23 WEST SUPERIOR STREET.

Christmas Suggestions

In Ladies' Handbags, Silver Mesh Bags, Silver Mounted Military Sets, Hair Receivers, Jewel Cases, Fancy Combs, Beautiful Hat Pins, Toilet Sets, Cigar Cases, Traveling Cases, Fancy Hose Supporters, and a bewildering and beautiful line of Stationery.

Our Holiday Display Complete in Every Detail

In our efforts we take some pardonable pride for it presents for your inspection a magnificent exposition of Holiday gifts at unequaled prices.

Grand Holiday Offerings in the Ready-to-Wear Dept.

It is teeming over with beautiful and useful Christmas gifts.

Tailored Suits in Clever Styles

The materials are heavy cheviots, rough mixtures, Scotch and English tweeds, basket weaves and serge, black and colors—suits that sold at $27.50, $29.50 and $32.50, for............... **$19.50**
Every one a choice and classy costume.

Extra Special Coat Values

Salt's Sealette Coats, full length, several styles, in misses and women's sizes—rich brocade or Skinner satin lined, and flannel inter-lined and desirable—genuine extraordinary values for...... **$29.50**

FULL LENGTH COATS—new, fashionable and desirable—a great variety, in black colors and mixtures—the most unusual values we ever offered at $15, $12.50, $10.50 and...................... **$8.50**

BEAUTIFUL NEW BROADCLOTH COATS—52 and 56 inches long, satin lined throughout, handsome distinctive high-class coats, perfect in every detail. See these beautiful garments, on sale at $25, $21.50 and..................... **$17.50**

All Misses' and Children's Coats at greatly reduced prices.

Great Values in Rich Furs--Handsome Gifts

Made up in the latest styles—handsome Sable and Black Fox Sets— very special at $42.50, $39 and.... **$35**

Sable and Black Opossum Sets—extra special—at........... **$17.50**

Persian Paw Sets—very handsome, for, per set, $22.50, $17.50 and..... **$15**

Australian Opossum Sets — natural color — extra special tomorrow, for........ **$39.50**

Russian Lynx Sets — black silky furs—extra special values tomorrow, at $17.50, $15.00 and....... **$12.50**

Black French Coney Sets — most unusual values, at per set, $12.50, $10.50 and.... **$7.50**

A Pre-Holiday Clean-Up of All Trimmed Hats

Every trimmed hat in our house sacrificed to the limit!

All trimmed Hats at $3.50, $3.00, $2.50 and $2.00--choice for only	All trimmed hats at $5.50, $5.00, $4.50 and $4.00--choice for only	All trimmed hats at $12.00, $10.00, $8.50 and $7.50--choice for only
$1.00	**$1.69**	**$3.50**

Extra Special Values in Underwear, Furnishings and Hosiery Tomorrow

Women's $1.00 Wool Vests and Pants—Fine ribbed; sizes 4 to 9; choice here tomorrow	**75c**
Men's $1.50 Fine Wool Ribbed Shirts and Drawers—Good heavy quality, here for	**$1.00**
Men's $2.50 Union Suits—Heavy wool ribbed; 75 per cent wool; special, per garment	**$1.39**

Buy Your Christmas Present Here!

A list of much wanted articles, packed separate in Christmas boxes.

Men's Ties—The greatest asortment ever shown in the city; 320 dozen; regular 50c quality; packed in Christmas box, at	**25c**
Men's Suspenders and Combination Sets, $2.00 to	**25c**
Men's Mufflers—Knitted, in all shades, at 58¢ and	**25c**
Women's 75c Ribbon Hose—In a variety of neat patterns, at	**50c**
Children's Mocha and Kid Mitts—75c value, here at	**50c**

There are here some grand values in fine Sample Sweaters. Come tomorrow, take your pick at ONE-HALF PRICE.

Holiday Linens and White Goods

18x50-inch elaborately lace trimmed Bureau Scarfts—These are linen finished goods and big values at each	**50c**
30x30-inch Pillow Shams — These should go quick, as they are our regular 75c values; a leader for tomorrow at	**50c**
22x22-inch All-linen Napkins—Exceptional good values at $1.75, special for Saturday, per dozen	**$1.25**
72-inch All-linen Table Damask — Scrolls and dots; regular $1.00 value, special, the yard only	**75c**
69c Silver Bleached Damask in beautiful floral patterns; real Irish linen; a special offering for Saturday at only, the yard...	**50c**
18x50-inch Embroidered Bureau Scarfs—Exceptional good values for	**50c**
Fifty Large Size Crochet Bedspreads — Regular $2.19 Spreads, for tomorrow, each only	**$1.50**

Dress Goods and Silk Leaders for Tomorrow

36-inch Storm Serge — All colors, cream, white and black, at per yard...	**49c**
36-inch Popular Wool Suiting for children's wear—In all the new fall colors, also cream, white and black; 39c value, special, per yard	**29c**
42-inch All-wool Imported Batiste—Goods you can wash; colors in brown, medium and light; old rose, Alice blue, navy blue, helitrope; values 85c, at per yard	**69c**
42-inch All-wool French Serge—In all the new fall shades, also black and white, at per yard	**75c**
Imported German Bath Robing for Holiday trade; all new designs; a large assortment to choose from; 50c values, at per yard	**33c**
Fifty pieces, all new designs, in Imported Velours for kimonos and dressing sacques, at 15¢, 12¢ and	**10c**
27-inch Scarfing Silk and Muffler Silk—With Persian border; guaranteed to wash; regular value 50c, tomorrow at, per yard	**39c**
36-inch black Peau de Cashmere — All pure silk; wear guaranteed; regular $1.50 quality, at per yard	**$1.00**

LAST DAY OF THE

SAMPLE SHOE SALE

We have been working at high pressure all this week selling traveller's high-grade shoe samples

AT $1.00 A PAIR LESS THAN MANUFACTURERER'S COST

The manufacturer's price is marked plainly on every pair---we sell them to YOU the way WE buy them. SATURDAY WILL BE YOUR LAST CHANCE TO PARTICIPATE IN THESE EXCELLENT SHOE BARGAINS. Come!

LAST DAY SPECIALS

$5.00 Men's and Women's high-grade shoes in a variety of styles, shapes and sizes, Saturday, your choice **$2.40**

$4 and $3.50 Women's fine shoes—as our big special for Saturday we offer you your choice at............ **95c**

THE GOPHER

17 SECOND AVENUE WEST.

We Have the Only Complete Repair Shop in the City.

LAST DAY OF SALE INCLUDES

Last Day of Sale Includes:
FELT SHOES,
OVERSHOES,
SHOE PACKS,
SLIPPERS,
RUBBERS,
PUMPS,
GAITERS,
LEGGINGS,
HUNTING BOOTS,
LACE SHOES,
BUTTON SHOES,
CHILDREN'S SHOES,
INFANTS' SHOES,
MEN'S SHOES,
WOMEN'S SHOES, and

EVERYTHING IN OUR BIG STOCK.

SAN DIEGO MAYOR PRAISES THE COMMISSION PLAN

Says It Has Proved Unqualified Success in California City.

Explains the Benefits That Have Resulted From the Change.

Grant Conrad, mayor of San Diego, Cal., is an ardent and forceful advocate of the commission form of government for cities.

The plan has been in operation in San Diego since January, 1909, and has proved an unqualified success there. The commission has five members, who are heads of departments, and a mayor, not a member of the commission, but possessing the veto power and exercising general supervision over all the departments. The San Diego charter is framed on the Des Moines model.

San Diego has a population of about 50,000 and the fact that it is a thriving town is shown by the value of building permits issued from Jan. 1 to date this year, the total being $3,678,405.

Realizing the inefficiency of the old form of government, which in that city was controlled by a political boss, the citizens of San Diego sought to cure the defects, most obviously manifested in the slowness of the municipal rulers to act and the expensiveness of the system.

Discussing San Diego's experience in this new municipal enterprise, Mayor Conrad said:

"The results that have been attained here are important and well worth while. Members of the council are now paid a salary of $2,000 each, per year and they attend to business. The result is that the city has a more economical government, the laws are better enforced and public business is more efficiently transacted. The council meets at least once a week and frequently several times a week, and business is promptly attended to. Under the old system the council met once a month and at night. All meetings now are held in the light of day. Members of the council under the old system were unpaid, but our government was expensive none the less.

"There is some sentiment in favor of a return to the old system, but it comes from the public service corporations, which are opposed to the present system.

"The chief merits of the commission plan as I have observed it are these:

"First: The nominations of all candidates for council are made at nonpartisan primaries and they are finally selected at a non-partisan election at large, thus putting the political bosses out of business.

"Second: Responsibility is fixed by placing each member of the council at the head of a department and holding him responsible for that department.

"Third: The abolition of the ward system makes each member of the council a representative of the entire city instead of a part of the city only.

"Fourth: The initiative, referendum and recall keeps the power in the hands of the people."

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"I have always believed that the government of a city is a business proposition and that the most business-like government is by commission," said P. E. Dowling, real estate agent, this morning. Mr. Dowling was mayor of the city of Eveleth for one term and, with a council of substantial business men, his administration proved the success of his theories by wiping out a deficit and leaving the city with a surplus after accomplishing much during the term.

"There are a number of matters to consider in adopting the commission form of government and one of the most important, to my mind, is the salary of the commissioners," Mr. Dowling said. "The position of mayor will be the most important, of course, but what applies to the salary of the mayor applies to that of the other commissioners also. In order to get men who will devote all of their time and attention to the offices and who have the welfare of the city at heart, there will have to be salary attached commensurate with the services and sufficient to attract the right kind of men.

"If Duluth is to have a commission form of government—which it certainly should have—it should provide most cautiously to insure the competency of the officers and the absolute segregation of all other interests and offices from that of commissioner.

"As commissioners, Duluth should have men who are progressive, intelligent men with advanced ideas — men who have the interest of the city really and truly at heart. They should have backbone to do what they think best for the city regardless of outside interests. I do not mean that the commission should be entirely radical. It should be well balanced, with one or two conservative members to act as a balance wheel for the progressive whole.

"Above all, the commissioners should be men who have made a success in the business world, not men who are going to try to make a success or to experiment at the expense of the city. I have always believed that politics is business—be it municipal, county, state or national — and should be in the hands of men who have been successful in the business world in order to get the best results.

"I am opposed to party designations of any kind in municipal elections and we cannot have true commission government, of course, without the initiative, referendum and recall."

The Van Wagner bankrupt sale of men's and boys' clothing starts tomorrow at the Oak Hall.

FIRE IN WASHINGTON CAUSES $100,000 LOSS.

Washington, Dec. 9.—By one of the most stubborn blazes in the annals of the District fire department, the furniture establishment of Jackson Brothers was entirely wiped out early this morning and the People's drug store, in an adjoining building, was damaged to the extent of $20,000. The loss will aggregate $100,000. The origin of the fire is unknown.

COPPERS ADVANCE; TREND ERRATIC

The copper market opened fairly strong, declined, rallied and advanced to higher levels than yesterday's close, then lost most of the ground at the close which was slightly above yesterday's final quotations.

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The output of the Phelps, Dodge & Co. properties during November was 200,000 pounds more than in October, or 10,867,950 pounds. The output for the eleven months of the calendar year was 128,272,872 pounds.

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Henry Crumb, consulting engineer of the Inspiration Copper company, has made a favorable report on the condition of the property. He estimates the ore reserves on Oct. 20 at 12,396,000 tons of developed ore assaying 2.03 per cent, and 5,604,100 tons partially developed, the total of about 18,000,000 tons averaging 2 per cent copper. According to dispatches received from the property, the developed tonnage had been increased to 14,983,000 tons Dec. 1, and partially developed ore is now estimated at 3,502,000, making a total of 18,485,000 tons.

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Closing quotations on the Duluth Stock Exchange today follow:

LISTED STOCKS—	Bid.	Asked.
American Saginaw	1½	2
Butte-Coalition	17¾	18½
Butte-Alex Scott pt pd		2
Butte-Alex Scott fl pd		4½
Butte-Ballaklava	7¼	8
Calumet & Arizona	47¾	48
Cactus Development		25c
Copper Queen		20c
Cordova pt pd		40c
Cordova fl pd		50c
Denn-Arizona	3½	3⅞
Giroux Consolidated	6⅝	6⅞
Greene-Cananea	7	7¼
Keweenaw	3⅛	3¼
Live Oak Development	22½	24
North Butte	29½	30
Ojibway	6½	6¾
Red Warrior	1 11-16	1⅞
Savanna fl pd	4 1-16	
Shatuck-Arizona	22½	23½
Superior & Pittsburg	13¼	13½
Warren Development		1⅝
Warrior Development		6
UNLISTED STOCKS—		
Amazon Montana	1½	
Black Mountain		15c
Butte & Superior	7	7⅝
Calumet & Montana		90c
Calumet & Corbin		35c
Calumet & Sonora	8⅝	8⅞
Carman Consolidated		80c
Chief Consolidated	1½	1¾
Cliff	1½	1⅝
Duluth Toroda		75c
Elenita Development		4⅛
Keating Gold		95c
Mowitza		65c
Summit	62c	70c
San Antonio		5¼
St. Mary's		15c
Sierra		2¼
Tuolumne	4⅝	4⅞
Vermilion Steel & Iron		2¼

Total number shares, 988.

TOLD BY COURT TO MAKE GOOD

Paul Tredo Given a Chance to Quit Drink and Reform.

Because his parents refused to take him and his family under their roof Paul Tredo proceeded to get drunk yesterday and went to their home last night in a frenzy. He smashed windows and made a great deal of noise. It seems that he has been in the habit of drinking and it appeared that his wife has had to work in order to meet living expenses.

"You can't hit the booze and be a sport drinking whiskey under the circumstances in which you are placed," said Judge Windom to him after he had pleaded guilty in police court this morning to being drunk. "Your salary is too small and you have a big responsibility upon your shoulders. I don't think that it would be the best thing to send you to jail, or impose a fine, so I will continue your case thirty days to give you a chance to show that you can do what is right."

Tredo hasn't been working for some time, it is stated. His relatives said that he doesn't want to work and that his parents didn't want to keep him.

FARMERS' INSTITUTE AT WINTER TO BE DEC. 15.

Couderay, Wis., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—A farmers' institute, conducted by the state, will be held at Winter, Wis., this year on Dec. 15 and 16. This will be the only farmers' institute held in Southern Sawyer county this season, and the Winter people are making extensive preparations for the success of the institute.

NORTHERN PACIFIC LOSES

In Its Effort to Reduce Superior Switching Charged.

Madison, Wis., Dec. 9.—The Wisconsin rate commission yesterday denied a petition by the Northern Pacific railroad asking for the nolling of the commission's order that switching charges at Superior be reduced from $5 to $2.50.

The railroad pleaded that the switching is interstate commerce. This was denied by the commission.

PAYS $200 FINE FOR SELLING LIQUOR IN CAR.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 9.—In the first case of its kind in Illinois, the Chicago, Cincinnati, Cleveland & St. Louis railroad at Shelbyville has submitted to a judgment for $200 and costs on account of the sale of intoxicating liquors by a porter of a Pullman car as the car stood on the tracks of the defendant railroad in Shelbyville, while that city was anti-saloon territory. A similar suit filed against the Pullman company was dismissed.

HARMON LIKES LOOKS OF THE WHITE HOUSE.

Washington, Dec. 9.—Governor Judson Harmon of Ohio called at the White House yesterday to pay his respects to President Taft. He stopped only a few moments, but he and the president seemed to enjoy the visit. Governor Harmon was greeted most cordially.

When Governor Harmon visited the White House during the last year he was asked if he liked the looks of the place. His reply at that time was that a man should always consult his wife before taking a lease on any place of abode. The governor said yesterday the nice white paint and the subdued green walls of the executive office were quite attractive.

"I never saw the president looking finer or in better spirits," he said. "It is always a pleasure to have a chat with him."

Had a Bad Fall.

Andrew Anderson, a woodsman who was intoxicated, climbed on the iron fence of the Soo road on Michigan street yesterday afternoon, and fell over, a distance of nearly twenty feet. He was badly bruised, but no bones were broken.

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COMMISSION FORM OF MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT

Greatest Advance Made in Modern Civics—What New Plan Has Accomplished for Des Moines, Houston, Dallas and Galveston. ∴ ∴ ∴ ∴

Montgomery, Ala., Dec. 9.—In an address which aroused unbounded enthusiasm, J. R. Hornaday of Birmingham, associate editor of the Brimingham News, developed before the All-Alabama Business conference the advantages of the commission form of municipal government.

He treated the problem of good government, as a cold-blooded business problem. A municipality, said he, in its last analysis is a big corporation, in which the citizens and tax payers are stockholders.

The average citizen is much more vitally interested in the doings of the mayor and council of his home city than in either the state or national government, he said.

Having recently completed a tour of the country, in which he visited the various cities which have adopted the commission idea, Mr. Hornaday assured his hearers that everywhere it had met with success. Graft had been eliminated; in several promising municipalities an overwhelming burden of debt had been lifted and the city placed on the road to funding its debt advantageously. Birmingham has recently adopted the commission plan.

Taxpayers Entitled to Dividends.

The people who pay their money into the city treasury for fire and police protection, health protection, schools, streets and waterworks, are entitled to have that money as judiciously expended as if they invested in any other corporation.

In discussing the present erroneous attitude of the people in many cities toward municipal government, he said:

"If the people of the United States invested all their money with the same careless disregard for results that characterized their investments in municipal government, we would be a nation of bankrupts.

"The national attitude is to look upon the cash we are forced to dump into the municipal treasury as so much tribute money, rather than as an investment upon which we are entitled to a fair return."

The campaign of education has changed this attitude of mind in many communities, he said, and congratulated the gathering of Alabama business men on giving serious consideration to the subject.

Bad Government Retards Growth.

"Good government is not the least of the attractions to be set before the prospective investor and homeseeker," he said, amid applause. He continued:

"We know that moral cowardice is largely responsible for bad government. What we have to learn is that minimum growth is the penalty. We must get hold of the fact that the efficiency of the scheme of government in operation in a community is intimately related to its growth.

"Putting money into a community is a cold-blooded business proposition with the investor, and it should be a cold-blooded business proposition with us when we come to invest in the municipal government whose efficiency or inefficiency is going to attract or repel those who must come among us if our population is to grow and values are to increase.

"The commission plan of government has solved the problem of efficiency in scores of progressive American cities, and its amazing popularity is founded upon the fact that it gets results.

What the People Pay For.

In discussing what the people have a right to expect in exchange for their tax payments, he said:

"Good streets, adequate fire protection, efficient schools, wise provisions for the protection of the public health, minimum taxes and the prompt and efficient discharge of public duties are some of the things the people pay for, and community growth is going to be retarded or accelerated as they receive or are denied these things.

"The lands in your community may be as rich as those in the valley of the Nile and your hills may be bursting with coal and iron and marble, but you will find it difficult to induce men to locate among you or invest their money if your streets are full of holes, your schoolhouses are antiquated, your public debt is excessive and your tax rate is unreasonably high.

"Yet, the lowest tax rate does not always prove the highest bid for new enterprises. There is an ever-growing disposition upon the part of investors to ask what they get for the money and to be guided by the size of the returns rather than by the amount invested."

Municipality Closest to People.

Insisting that the average citizen is in more immediate vital contact with his city government than with that of state or nation, he said:

"In its importance to the individual, municipal government overshadows that of the state and nation as the man overshadows the child. It has to do with questions and issues that protect themselves not only into the place of business, but into that holy of holies we call the home.

"It is to our municipal government that we look for protection from the burglar and the assassin; from disease and the ravages of fire. It is upon it that we depend for the education of our children, and it is to it that we look for the streets, the sewers and the other public improvements that add to our comfort and convenience, and make or unmake values as they relate to property and enterprises in which our money is invested. Far more vital are these issues than the open door in the Far East or the attitude of our nation toward Nicaragua."

He spoke of the opposition the commission plan of government had encountered from professional politicians and those who had a personal interest in retaining the old form style, and said it was not unnatural that a movement so revolutionary should have encountered opposition, but that the greatest tribute to the worth of the movement was the progress made, despite the opposition of selfish interests.

More Privileges for People.

Answering the charge that the new system is "undemocratic," he said that not only did it possess all the advantages of the aldermanic plan, but reserved to the people additional privileges, which he discussed as follows:

"In addition to giving you all that the aldermanic plan affords, the commission plan, in its highest state of development, gives you the right to legislate, to repeal, to veto and to discharge. In brief, it restores to the people all the rights they have been led to surrender under the theory that they are too busy to attend to their own affairs.

"The initiative, the referendum and the recall—these are the salient features of the commission plan. Through the initiative the people have the right to adopt any ordinance which seems wise to them. Through the referendum they have the right to reject any ordinance passed by the commissioners when its wisdom or expediency is not clear. Through the recall they are vested with authority to discharge public servants who prove unworthy of public trust.

"I submit to you that in the matter of pure democracy there can be no comparison between the two systems. Under one, the servants are supreme; under the other the people are supreme.

"Thus, to my mind, the gravest indictment brought against the commission system proves one of the best arguments in its favor when the subject is analyzed.

Why Old System Fails.

"Where the people elect all of their officials, occupants of subordinate positions are responsible only to the people, and this fact accounts in a measure for the failure of the ancient system. The commissioners have the authority to enforce their orders, and thus insubordination and friction disappear. The administration becomes a business machine, the sole purpose of which is to get results for the stockholders in the municipal corporation.

"Again, it is not difficult for the people to locate trouble if it arises. The committee, that scape-goat of the aldermanic system—is conspicuous by its absence. Each commissioner is solely and entirely responsible for his department, and if he goes wrong he cannot evade exposure or the penalty of conviction if the people are disposed to impose it."

In conclusion, he showed how the new system had restored Galveston, Tex., put bankrupt Houston on its feet financially, created a sinking fund for Dallas and wiped out its municipal deficit; did the same for Des Moines, Iowa, and revived a building boom as though by magic, making it a "City of Certainties," and giving it a municipal government that is an asset instead of a liability. In conclusion, he said:

"Our duty is to keep the fires of civic pride burning, and if we do this it will not be difficult to smoke out the incompetents or to maintain a system of government that will shine in no uncertain manner among the assets of the community."

Don't fail to try a cup of Caldwell's Electric Cut coffee at the pure food show.

TRICKS OF THE SMUGGLERS.

Ingenuity Used to Avoid Paying Duty on Imports at New York.

Tricks in all trades, but the trickiest of all trades is that of smuggling, say the customs men. A correspondent of The Sun recently described some of the ingenious contrivances confiscated by the French customs. American customs officers have seen all these and a whole lot more.

Among them are tobacco ropes on sailing craft, demijohns with oil inside but brandy in compartments just surrounding it; jewels, liquors, teas and laces stuffed in copies of Mrs. Jarley's Wax Works; pearls in bicycle tires, diamonds in pieces of soap, in the sawdust stuffing of a child's doll, between a lady's toes, and many times when suspicion has been strong customs officers have, as employers do at the Kimberley mines, detained persons in hospitals till it has been proved that they have not swallowed gems.

Special information from spies abroad last year caused the bestowal of particular attention upon an incoming Austrian, says a writer in Everybody's. He would have rubies. A dozen red stones hidden in his cravat gave the inspectors visions of high "moiety." On test it was found that they were not real rubies. Sadly the inspectors let him go.

Excited news came by cable. Searching him once more at his hotel signs were seen that he had lately worn a porous plaster. An intricate pattern of pink dents indicated where things with sharp corners recently had been snugly concealed between the plaster and the smuggler.

Jewelers have pretended to be breeders of fancy fowl and have declared the fowls as tools of trade, but when the crops of their fancy fowls were made to yield their contents they were found to be full of diamonds instead of corn.

Huge profits are made through the ignorance of the inspectors in regard to paintings. Bogus Corots are sent over by a dealer just to have them passed and assessed as genuine. The customs officers went merely by the signature "Corot," which helped the dealer far beyond the duty levied. Reversing the process—give a good work an unknown signature—and the dealer would still win.

For instance, a painting is consigned to an American dealer. It is by an artist who commands great prices. Over the real signature is placed an indistinguishable label with another and less valuable name. Over that is placed one of no consequence.

Comes a mysterious letter to New York customs: "Rub off the signature on these and you will find the painter's name." The top signature is rubbed off; the canvases are entered at the ruling rate for the name disclosed. Underneath that and not discovered at all is the name that gives the picture a value a hundredfold higher.

Mails, too, have to be closely watched. The New York postoffice yearly collects about $250,000 in duty assessed. Books conceal much contraband. One postal examiner from experience determined that he would specialize on two titles: Every "Book of Common Prayer" and every "Imitation of Christ" he scrupulously turned the leaves of. Edward VI. always stood for him as the patron of glove smugglers, and Thomas a Kempis became to him the patron of lace smugglers.

"But nowadays," an inspector declared, "we who serve at the port of New York don't see the great smuggling. That goes on along the Canadian border. Think of that long line from the St. Croix river to the Strait of Juan de Fuca, and no patrol—3,000 miles and customs stations a day's journey apart.

"Canada's border indeed is the last remaining smugglers' paradise. Customs agents could not hope to cover it. Only 7 per cent of all duties are collected there.

"A man may be out shooting prairie chickens, yet have in his game bag several pounds of opium which he can leave on the American side of the line at an inn where he stops for a drink. Many inns straddle the line. If an inspector appears, he has simply to hand the contraband to a confederate over the threshold of the next room, and instantly it is not contraband, for the holder of it is in Canada. Owing to that facility, the customs service is urging an understanding with Canada that the line, for customs purposes, shall be fifty feet wide.

"Have you perhaps heard of the woman who went back and forth between Buffalo and Montreal so frequently that she was thought to be subject to some mania for motion? She was a motherly sort—always carried, in fact, an infant. A model babe! Never hungry, never felt pains, never cried.

"Its invariable stillness and quiet induced suspicion. Examination revealed that it was made of tin and filled with—whisky! Quiet, indeed, yet full of spirit.

"Then there was the man fishing in the St. Lawrence one summer day who broke two lines on some unknown obstacle off Prescott, Ont. Diving down he discovered his hooks fast to a barnacle on a slim lead tube. That tube had been conveying contraband liquors under the river from a Canadian distillery to the American side eighteen months."

It takes serious labor and steady patience to get the evidence which will convict. "We have had to shadow many a professional smuggler for months, even years," a secret agent said. "I remember a man we followed from Paris to Geneva, Geneva to Milan, Milan to Naples and back home again several trips.

"He used to jest about it with us in great assurance and good nature. He reminded me of the banditti in Italy who with a price on their capture dead or alive would amuse themselves by appearing at masked balls, dance with noble ladies, and then at dawn be back at their rendezvous to hold up some sleepy guest on his way home.

"One night we surrounded a little old cottage on Washington Heights and captured a trunkload of merchandise, but the smuggler escaped. At last we began to trail the official customs trailers we sent after him. By that means we got him, but had to make the charge bribery and collusion."

THE BIG GAME COUNTRY.

In the big game country out West everything is big, the game, the mountains, the valleys and the people. The deer country of Colorado or the big sheep country is from 9,000 to 13,000 feet above sea level. The air is clear and crisp, with immense stretches of wild open country lying like a picture at your feet.

A reconnoitering point will sometimes reveal a view of almost 100 miles. Across a gulch of twenty miles or so the distant buttresses of red sandstone rock are painted with slashes of golden copper. The sombre pines straggle almost to the top, interwoven with the delicate tracery of the quaking asps. At our feet nestles a park (as the valleys are called), and possibly a silvery thread of water winds in and out.

The Rocky mountain sheep are by far the most majestic and dignified of the animals of this locality, says a writer in St. Nicholas. They are fond of the rock studded mountain sides, and often a huge sentinel ram silhouetted against the sky will reveal the feeding place of a group of ewes and lambs. The task now, if you are fortunate enough to be to the windward of him, is after tethering your horse to work slowly and carefully to within range, usually from 200 to 400 yards. Distances out there are most deceptive owing to the clear, rarefied air, and an object that seems to be a few hundred yards distant may prove to be almost a mile.

Antelope surpass both sheep and elk for timidity. They are extremely wary and possibly the most difficult of all game to get within range. They are found in the lower and open country.

Underlying all the hopes and expectations in the hunter's mind is the thought of bear, and of course first of these stands the grizzly. These are getting scarcer every year.

There is no special country for them. As a rule in the summer and fall they come down in the low parks to feast on the berries. Toward winter they are more likely to be found higher up the slopes. After the first snow an occasional raid on the highest and loneliest ranches is looked upon by bruin as the thing.

At one of the ranches nestling at the foot of Mount Evans in Colorado miles away from any other habitation a rancher put a cow bell on each of his horses when turned loose, thinking to frighten the bears. Bruin had a penchant for the frisky little colts gamboling about the mountainside and thought it quite neighborly to chase the whole herd down to the ranch. It was quite common for the rancher to be arousing at night by the clanging of bells and the clatter of hoofs as the horses scampered into the corral.

Sheep, elk and bear all go above the timber line. The height of this line varies in different sections, 10,000 to 10,500 feet is an average.

LONE SKIPPERS.

Captains Who Have Been All Hands and the Cook.

Capt. Parker J. Hall of Duxbury, Mass., generally recognized as the king of lone navigators, will tell you that a crew is only a nuisance aboard his 93-ton schooner Angler and that he has no use whatever for such an encumerance of his decks.

Year in and year out he has coasted single handed from Calais to New York, rarely with an accident worth recording, but with his trim schooner always deeply laden with lumber, coal, brick, oyster shells, or any other freight which business may offer. Capt. Hall has worn out one vessel, the Robert P. King, of 119 tons, and bids fair to outlast the Angler, which, although some fifty-seven years old, is as sound as a nut.

He himself is a marvel of physical development, as might be inferred from the fact that he habitually hoists sails and anchors without help. Having followed the sea since the age of 19, says the Youth's Companion, Capt. Hall also has the distinction of never having sailed other than as master of his own vessel.

He comes naturally enough by his distrust of crews, for some years ago a murderous trio of negroes treacherously attacked him as his vessel lay at anchor in a Long Island harbor. They took his freight money, which he had just received, and left him for dead.

The lone navigator has had his troubles, however. Some time ago, when coming to the westward with a load of lumber, he got caught off the coast in a furious norther, and tried to make Portland harbor. The gale, however, blew the Angler offshore repeatedly, and foiled attempts to make it, as well as Portsmouth and Salem harbors. She finally reached Vineyard Haven, Capt Hall having stood a trick at the wheel which would have knocked out three ordinary men.

The forty-three ton schooner Myrtle Camp might be supposed to carry two two or three men at least, but Capt. Daniel Davis of Mount Sinai, L. I., is a kingdom of his own and has only to obey his own orders. He also has the art of making money in the coasting trade at his finger tips. Finding much to be desired in the Long Island sound trade he took his vessel to Chesapeake bay, where she has been engaged for several years past. In order to avoid pilot dues in the bay he has caused the Myrtle Camp to hail from Baltimore, and she is now as much at home there as a myriad other white painted pungies, bugeyes and coasters of various sorts.

The fact that he has reached his three-score years and does not deter Capt. Candage of the sixty-ton schooner New Boxer of Southwest Harbor from navigating his vessel alone. The New Boxer was originally the Boxer, and was built at Wells, Me., in 1845 and rebuilt at Ellsworth in 1883. In spite of her age she is tight as a cup, so her skipper is spared the labor of working the pumps. The New Boxer is engaged in carrying lumber from Bangor to ports in Penobscot bay.

A short time ago the schooner Hiram of Calais, built in 1819 at Biddeford, and of sixty-seven tons register, was sailed alone by her captain, Charles Greenlaw, for a number of trips. What is more she was taken round dreaded Cape Cod with lumber to Providence. She is one of the oldest coasters afloat.

Capt. William Nutter of the Sarah, hailing from Mount Desert Ferry, is another skipper who finds a crew superfluous. His craft is only a forty-four tonner, but that is forty-four tons more than many would care to navigate alone.

Two other brothers have also achieved renown in the same direction. Capt. Leander Nutter has sailed the Monticello, of seventy-one tons, single-handed, and Capt. Fred Nutter comprised the entire ship's company of the Abby Morse of thirty-four tons. Capt. Fred accumulated enough to buy another schooner, but had the hard luck to lose them both in the same storm two years ago near Steuben, their home port. Capt. Nutter arirved once in Portland Harbor having stood at the wheel continuously for fifty-eight hours. Several other Nutter brothers are shipmasters, all being engaged in the Eastern coasting trade.

The old schooner Loella of sixty-six tons, a former West India trader and with a record of seventy-seven hours from Deer Isle to Bermuda to her credit, was sailed for some time single-handed and for a long period with only his wife as company, by Capt. Thomas R. Amee of Kittery Point. For years she was engaged in carrying lumber from Bangor to Boston and Portsmouth, but is now lying hopelessly out of repair in a creek near her owner's house.

Capt. Amee commanded the Loella for over forty years and has been to sea in subordinate capacities for twenty more. Twice only in his career has he been ship wrecked and that strangely enough, in his own harbor each time, in 1845 as a boy in the schooner Paragon, and in 1856 in the Frances, of which he was master. Both vessels dragged ashore during gales in precisely the same spot.

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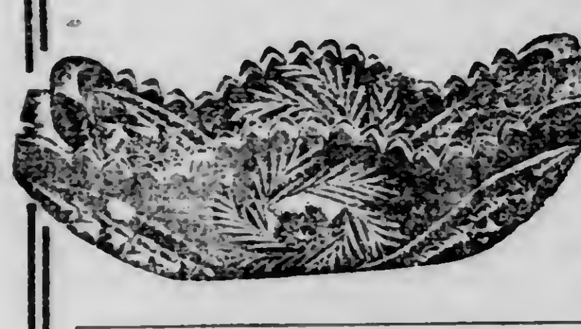

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SNOWFALL IN UNITED STATES

Nearly One-Half of Area of Country Is Under Cover.

According to the snow and ice bulletin published by authority of the secretary of agriculture, nearly one-half of the area of the United States at the present time is covered by snow.

The snow is from 6 inches to 19 inches deep. In the Copper country they had the heaviest fall of snow, there being 19 inches. Down within a few miles of the south boundary line of Arkansas there is 6 inches. The area from the Atlantic seaboard to the Rocky Mountains as far south as Little Rock to the Canadian boundary with the exception of a part of Colorado, is under snow.

In the Lake Superior district, which includes all the northern part of Minnesota, there is 15 inches of "the beautiful." In Winnipeg there is 9 inches.

The report says that:

"More than the usual amounts of snow have occured over the Northern Rocky Mountain region, and there has been a considerable fall in the mountain regions of Arizona, but in the Middle Rocky mountain and plateau districts there has been less snow than usual.

"Compared with the same date last year there are large areas in the Ohio valley and Middle Atlantic states now covered, which were then bare, but over the central valleys and Middle Rocky mountain and plateau districts there is now decidedly less snow than at the same period in 1909.

"The general cold wave that overspread the districts east of the Rocky mountains during the past week caused the formation of considerable ice in the Upper Missouri river and its tributaries, in the Red river of the North, and in the Upper Mississippi river. The greatest thickness reported was 5.5 inches at Bismarck, 10 inches at Moorhead, and 4 inches at St. Paul.

"In the extreme western end of Lake Superior ice 6 inches in thickness was reported, but elsewhere in the lake region the harbors are generally free of any appreciable amount of ice."

PLAN TO TEST THE DRY ORDER

Case Will Be Taken Up at St. Paul at an Early Date.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—Negotiations will be opened tomorrow in the office of United States District Attorney C. C. Houpt looking toward the submission at an early date of a test case to determine the question of the applicability of the Indian treaties under which Secretary Ballinger, through his aides and agents, in clapping the liquor "lid" on all that territory covered by the treaties made with the Sioux and Chippewa Indians during the early history of Minnesota.

WATERWAY MEN CLOSE MEETING

Ransdell Is Re-Elected President of National Body.

Washington, Dec. 9.—With the adoption of resolutions clearly outlinging its attitude on the improvement of waterways, and the re-election of Representative Joseph E. Ransdell of Louisiana as president, and Capt. J. E. Ellison as secretary-treasurer, the National Rivers and Harbors congress brought to a close today its seventh annual congress, which has been characterized from start to finish by complete harmony.

The resolutions commend the attitude of President Taft and urge the annual appropriation of $50,000,000 by congress for the improvement of waterways to be paid out of current revenues where possible, otherwise by the issuance and sale of bonds.

It is declared however, that the congress favors such bond issues only for permanent improvements and that the amount of any issue shall be limited to the requirements of the year of issue. It is urged also that the United States corps of engineers be increased, and that the powers of the interstate commerce commission be enlarged to give that body effectual authority to regulate competing land and water carriers.

FIGHT TO KEEP TREATY IN FORCE

Reform Bureau Hopes to Keep the Indian Lands Dry.

Washington, Dec. 8.—(Special to The Herald.)—Dr. Wilbur F. Crafts, superintendent of the International Reform bureau, has announced that it is the purpose of that organization to oppose any effort that may be made to abrogate or amend the treaties under which Secretary Ballinger is enforcing prohibition of the liquor traffic in the Indian country of Minnesota.

"We do not propose to let up any prohibited territory," said Mr. Crafts. "The law on this case is plain, and it is being enforced. We will protest to the president against any change in the present policy and we will fight any bills that may be offered in congress with a view to abrogation of the treaty law that applies to this situation."

Mr. Crafts recently visited Minnesota and held a conference with W. E. Johnson, whom he eulogizes.

"Johnson is a wonderful man," said Dr. Crafts. "He believes in the cause and is accomplishing results."

The bureau represented by Dr. Crafts is composed of organizations interested in reform legislation pending in congress and the state legislatures. It has the backing of anti-saloon leaders. Dr. Crafts has been a well known figure in Washington for many years.

The Van Wagner bankrupt sale of men's and boys' clothing starts tomorrow at the Oak Hall.

SEIDEL TELLS CHIEF TO QUIT

Mayor and Head of the Milwaukee Police Force Clash.

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 9.—Mayor Seidel has asked for the resignation of Chief of Police John T. Janssen on the alleged ground that the chief will not work in harmony with the city administration.

It is said Chief Janssen refuses to resign and that the outcome will be a fight before the board of fire and police commissioners.

If Mayor Seidel's forthcoming charges are not sustained by the majority of the commissioners, Chief Janssen cannot be removed.

DIETZ LOSES IN SUPREME COURT

State's Motions Are Sustained By Wisconsin Tribunal.

Madison, Wis., Dec. 9.—The supreme court this afternoon granted the motion of the state to quash the writ of habeas corpus; denied the plea for a reduction in bail, and also refused to order the immediate service of all warrants against John F. Dietz, who has been held in jail at Hayward on many charges.

GEN. RANDOLPH KILLS HIMSELF

Former Head of Coast Artillery Takes His Own Life.

Washington, Dec. 9.—Maj. Gen. Wallace F. Randolph, retired, former late chief of the coast artillery corps, committed suicide at his residence in this city today. Gen. Randolph shot himself through the head. No reason is known for the suicide and the only plausible explanation is that he was suffering intense agony from an attack of kidney trouble.

Gen. Randolph was the first chief of the coast artillery corps. He was mainly instrumental in the development of the present system of field artillery and for several years was in charge of the artillery post at Fort Riley, Kan.

During the Spanish-American war he commanded the field artillery with Gen. Shafter's army in Cuba. Upon the establishment of the coast artillery corps in April, 1901, the president appointed him to the chieftainship of the corps, in which capacity he served until January, 1904, when he was retired as a major-general. He was a native of Pennsylvania and was 69 years old.

MINNESOTA WOMEN IN THE MOVEMENT

Clubs Petition Congress to Act for Public Health.

Washington, Dec. 9.—The results of a concerted movement amongst women's clubs of the United States to lessen the danger of disease from dairy products has become apparent in petitions pouring into congress this week. Petitions have been received from Minnesota, California, Wyoming, Washington, New Hampshire, Maine, Michigan, North Dakota and other states, urging an investigation and the enactment of laws to prevent spread of disease by this means.

Congress is urged to take immediate action looking toward a thorough investigation of the facts and to enact whatever legislation may be found necessary to eliminate the danger to public health.

COL. CRAWFORD DIES IN DUBUQUE, IOWA.

Dubuque, Iowa, Dec. 9.—Col. P. W. Crawford, 80 years old, commander of the guard at the execution of Mrs. Surratt and others for complicity in the assassination of President Lincoln, died here today.

UP TO RAILROADS.

They Are Responsible for Passengers' Conduct in Minnesota.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—Railway companies are responsible for the conduct of passengers on their trains, according to a ruling of the Minnesota supreme court made today. The court held the railroads are bound to properly police their trains and protect the passengers from each other.

The ruling was made in the case of Rev. W. B. O. Jansen of Minneapolis, who sued the Minneapolis & St. Louis Railway company for damages.

Mr. Jansen, while riding on the train, came in contact with another passenger who said things which were not pleasant to the priest. He appealed to the conductor, who excused the other passenger on the excuse that the man was drunk.

FIVE CANDIDATES ARE LIABLE UNDER LAW.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—Four men who were candidates for state offices on the Democratic ticket have laid themselves liable to prosecution for gross misdemeanor. The men are Fred W. Johnson of New Ulm; Thomas Meighen of Minneapolis; Charles F. Ladner of St. Cloud and John M. Freeman of Montevideo. They were candidates for secretary of state, state auditor, state treasurer and attorney general. J. D. Engle, candidate for lieutenant-governor on the Prohibition ticket, is also in this class.

The offense comes through their failure to file expense accounts. The last day for filing was yesterday.

Southern Insurance Men Meet.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 9.—The conference of Southern insurance companies is holding its first annual session here. The election of permanent officers will be held today.

Some Winners At The Bench Show And Their Owners

DOROTHY LUDLOW AND "ST. ANTHONY SUN SPOT."

MISS EDNA M. CASSIDY AND MISS RUFFLES.

Miss Ruffles was the big prize winner of the Toy Spaniel club show which has just been held in New York. It is a white poodle and just about big enough to go into your side pocket. "St. Anthony's Sun Spot," a ruby spaniel of high pedigree was another prize winner. There was a fine showing of pomeranians, Boston bulls, schipperkes and especially a large selection of Chinese dogs.

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ENRIQUE CREEL'S SON SEIZED BY REBELS.

San Antonio, Tex., Dec. 9.—Bernabe Elias, a courier from Mexico to the family of Francisco I. Madero, brings the information that the revolutionists have captured Enrique Creel, Jr., son of Enrique Creel, minister of foreign relations of Mexico. They are holding him as a hostage. Creel is held in the mountains near Chihuahua City.

MAN BEHEADED BY CAR ON SWITCH.

Portal, N. D., Dec. 9. — (Special to The Herald.)—Run down by a freight car that had been shunted along the track on a flying switch, Iver Iverson, 65 years old, was beheaded this morning. Iverson failed to see the car bearing down on him until too late.

STEPS THROUGH HOLE IN BRIDGE; DROWNS.

La Crosse, Wis., Dec. 9.—Ernest Kinney, a wealthy farmer, was drowned today in the La Crosse river near West Salem. Kinney was returning home and stepped through a hole in a bridge which was being repaired.

Houghton K. P. Election.

Houghton, Mich., Dec. 9.—Columbia lodge, Knights of Pythias, has elected the following officers: Chancellor commander, Chester Killmar; vice chancellor, Alfred Meuche; prelate, E. P. Knowles; master of exchequer, C. H. Frimodig; M. of F. and K. of R. and S., Thomas F. Smith; M. of A., George Balcolm; inner guard, Otto Obenhoff; outer guard, E. Pummerville; master of work, Ira E. Randall; trustee for three years, Charles Avery; delegate to grand lodge, Dr. C. P. Ferris; alternate, W. H. Hart.

Stanton, N. D., Man Killed.

Stanton, N. D., Dec. 9.—Frank Earle of Stanton was fatally injured, dying about ten hours after the accident, when he fell from a rig in which eight people were riding. One of the wheels of the rig passed over his body. He was driving to Stanton from a place south of that point.

Hurt by Corn Shedder.

Crookston, Minn., Dc. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—While using a corn shedder on his farm near Key West, Tuesday afternoon, William Senske, Jr., accidentally got his hand in the machine, with the result that he will probably lose the two index fingers, which are so badly torn that it is thought it will be impossible to save them.

Locate Deceased's Parents.

Fargo, N. D., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—Word was received by the Fargo authorities from the parents of August W. Pippert, the young man who was killed by Northern Pacific train No. 4 on Saturday afternoon at Fargo. They direct that the remains be properly prepared and shipped to St. Louis, Mo. It is presumed from the correspondence that deceased carried heavy life insurance.

Six Killed in Prussian Mine.

Bochum, Prussia, Dec. 6.—An explosion of fire damp occurred in the Holland mine today. Six miners were killed, five others seriously injured, while one man is missing.

Heavy Floods in Portugal.

Oporto, Portugal, Dec. 9.—There are heavy floods in Northern Portugal. The South Sea river, normally a modest stream, is today a raging torrent thirty-six feet deep. The pure water supply of this city is threatened.

Decision Reversed.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 9.—(Special to The Herald.)—The supreme court today reversed the findings of the St. Louis county court in the case of the state vs. Emma Tuck, a ditch assessment case, and affirmed the St. Louis county court in the case of John Paisch vs. Peter Polga.

The best advertised store in this or in any city wouldn't change places with the second best advertised store for any consideration whatever!

CATCHING WILD ANIMALS.

The Asian: Leopards were caught in nooses made of cat or monkey gut. The tiger, the leopard and the panther have all the cat's habit of sharpening and cleaning their claws on tree trunks, but whether it is true that preferably they will use a tree that bears previous claw marks I cannot say.

It would be interesting to have the opinion of some one experienced on the subject. However, the pursuers are believed to have selected such a tree and round and about the trunk of it set their strong gut snares; and sometimes the cheetah remained secured by the leg. Sure it is that some snare is used for these beasts, for they are still to be found in the native states of Rajputana, and probably elsewhere, kept for hunting purposes.

A leopard secured for hunting must be caught when he is full grown, and accomplished in his knack of pulling down game, otherwise, however much he were trained, he would never acquire the quickness and perception as in the wild state when he has to secure for himself each and every meal he partakes of.

I have seen these cheetahs tied to ordinary charpoys and taking quite a place of their own among their keepers' families, who seem to fear them not at all. They are carted to the scene of action with hoods on, which are removed when the animal is shown the object of his required exertions.

I have been told that they are always rewarded for a successful chase with a cupful of fresh, warm blood from the victim, and some even say the liver, cut out then and there, is given them. To take possession of these creatures when only noosed to a tree by one leg, must need great courage and dexterity, though it seems an easy enough matter to tame them once they are captured.

Monkeys can sometimes be secured by the absurdly simple method of putting some grain in a heavy but small mouthed chatty or gharrah. As soon as Jacko knows what is inside he pops in his fist and fills it full. The object is to have the opening too small to allow his doubled up full fist to be withdrawn. He has not the sense and cunningness that is generally attribute to him evidently, for it does not occur to him in this instance to empty his hand of grain and so get free, for he wil go on struggling ineffectively without doing so as often as not, proving his own undoing.

MODERN CORPORATIONS.

National Magazine: The corporation in business is no modern institution The Romans formed ecclesiastical corporations, and the idea was carried to England, where the instrument which created the corporation was originally granted by the king. Later it was granted by acts of parliament, a separate act for each charter.

In America the state Constitutions require that in all possible cases the legislative body pass general acts whereby, by simply filing a prescribed instrument, persons may form a corporation without applying to the legislature for permission. The state creates the corporation, which possesses powers only such as the state permits.

The Dutch East India company, organized in 1602, was the first great joint stock company whose shares were bought and sold. The first record of a corporation in America was in the Colonial times, when the colony of Connecticut of 1721 chartered the London Society for Trade and Commerce. In 1795 the Connecticut Land company was organized and dissolved in 1809.

The formation of corporations was not popular until the middle of the nineteenth century; in fact but few were organized until fifty years ago. The modern corporation having stock and stockholders came into general prominence since the days of Blackstone and Kent and can only be governed by modern laws. Today the corporation is an absolutely necessary form of business organization, and its use is constantly increasing and extending.

There are but two forms of business combinations available for the conduct of a commercial enterprise, namely, partnership and a corporation. The one is easily entered into and as easily dissolved; the other is formal and permanent.

FRICTION UNAVOIDABLE.

Los Angeles Times: Oscar Hammerstein, in the smoke room of the Lusitania, praised America by contrast with Europe. "They have to admit in the old world," said the patriotic impressario, "that we've got them beaten on every count. Talk to them about the matter, and they can only quibble.

"'Oh, yes,' said an English banker to me the other day, 'you've got a great country, the greatest country in the world—there's no denying that.'

"Then he gave a nasty laugh.

"'But look at your fires,' he said. 'Your terrible fires are a disgrace to mankind.'

"'Oh, our fires,' said I, 'are due to the friction caused by our rapid growth.'"

There are never "dead stocks" in a store that does "live advertising."

STRANGE FERNS.

Walking and Climbing Varieties, and Others Shaped Like Tongues.

The fronds of the walking fern are severely plain and usually not more than eight to twelve inches long. Some of them are short and blunt; others are prolonged into a long, slender tip, which bends over to the ground, and at this point if conditions are favorable a tiny plant begins to form.

After a time, as the young plant grows larger, it becomes detached from the parent, though sometimes the connections remain through two or three generations.

It is in this sense, says St. Nicholas, that the walking fern "walks," though its steps are short and not often taken. It grows in rocky woods, chiefly in limestone regions, forming dense mats.

The climbing fern has long, vine-like stems too weak to hold themselves erect, and therefore has developed a twining habit, depending on neighboring objects for support. The frondlets much resemble a small hand with chubby fingers and are arranged in pairs.

The spore-bearing part is borne at the tip of the stem in a sort of branching cluster. This fern grows throughout the eastern part of the United States, chiefly near the coast. It is sometimes called the Hartford fern, named for the capital of Connecticut, and a law was passed making it a misdemeanor to pull or uproot a plant in that state.

The adder's tongue fern has a single stem, usually less than one foot in height, with the spore-bearing portion at the tip and a single, undivided, elliptical leaf about midway. It grows in wet, boggy places and is considered a particularly interesting find by fern collectors.

Closely related to the adder's tongue are the grape ferns and the rare moonwort. Most of these plants are too small and inconspicuous to be noticed by the average person, but they are of unusual interest and a source of perplexity to the botanist because of their tendency to produce many different forms.

The moonwort is seldom found south of the Canadian border. In more superstitious days it was believed to have miraculous powers. An old-time botanist wrote of it: "Moonwort is a herb which they say will open locks and unshoe such horses as tread upon it."

Vying with the adder's tongue in point of simple unaffectedness is the curly grass, another small and unassuming species of fern, so utterly devoid of the usual fernlike characters as to be hardly worth the name. The unbotanical person would place it among the grasses. The sterile fronds are grasslike and are but one or two inches long. Above these rise several erect stalks, three to five inches in height, with the spore-bearing portion at the top. In this country the only stations known for this plant are in certain boggy lands of New Jersey.

The rarest of the tongue ferns is the hart's tongue, found in shaded ravines in the states of New York and Tennessee. The fronts are from six inches to two feet in length, somewhat heart shaped at the base and undivided. While there is little in their general appearance to suggest a fern, the spore-bearing organs on the backs of the fronds show at once their true relationship.

HE SANG BASS.

Chicago News: "I see," observed Mrs. Wagstaff, "that Sallie Foxworthy is keeping company with young Mr. Solong."

"Yes, and it's a shame," cried Mrs. Cumback. "I think it's somebody's duty to go to Mrs. Foxworthy and tell her what that young man is like, but you know how she is. She'd be likely to show you the door and tell you to mind your own business. She's too independent and self-satisfied for anything. I went over to her house one day, in a neighborly way, to tell her that the milkman she was patronizing had been arrested several times, charged with diluting his milk, and she looked at me in such a frozen way that the mercury went down a 100 deg., and when I went out of the house I felt as though I had been caught pocketing the spoons. I learned afterward that the milkman is her brother-in-law. But if she is an old iceberg, her daughter Sallie is a nice sort of girl, and deserves a better young man than Aleck Solong."

"Why, I've never heard a word against him, Mrs. Cumback. He appears to be quite a good young man."

"Oh, he's good enough in a general way, I suppose, but I'm sure if I had a daughter named Sallie I wouldn't let her go with him. If a young man is industrious and reasonably honest and parts his hair in the middle and wears little patches of whiskers in front of his ears then everybody says he is a fine fellow, and some girl marries him, without ever considering his real character, particularly if she has a mother who reminds you of the twenty-seventh of January in Spitzbergen. You have to look deeper to find a man's merits and blemishes, Mrs. Wagstaff.

"Young girls are too frivolous to look deeper, so their mothers should do it for them. A young man may be industrious and honest and have little patches of whiskers in front of his ears, and still be a poor husband.

"You remember when my niece, Gladys, was visiting me? Well, one evening we had a little party at our house in her honor and Aleck Solong was there. Up to that night I had the greatest admiration and respect for that young man, but since then I have looked upon him with great disfavor.

"During the evening somebody asked him to sing and I guess he had been waiting for the invitation with feverish impatience, for he leaped over a chair to get to the piano in a hurry, saying that he played his own accompaniments. He thinks he has a wonderful bass voice. That's a common affliction with young men, Mrs. Wagstaff, and if I had a son named Aleck and he got the idea that he could sing bass I'd lock him in the coal cellar, where he couldn't disturb people.

"Well, young Solong sat at the piano and pounded the keys as though he had a grudge against the manufacturers, and began singing something about there being countless stores of the earth's red gold a hundred fathoms deep, and he growled and rumbled like a cirgus wagon going over a bridge for a half an hour, and when he was done with the countless stores and the hundred fathoms he switched over to 'The Sands of Dee' and I never was so tired of anything as I was of hearing him repeating, over and over again, in a hoarse roar, that the waves crept round and round the sand and o'er and o'er the sand and up and down the sand and across the send in every direction, and I really don't see anything to laugh at, Mrs. Wagstaff.

"When he had sung about the sand till we could taste sand he began on 'Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep' and I guess he'd have hung to it all night only my husband, who was trying to read upstairs, called down that I'd have to quit grinding coffee, as the noise disturbed him. So you see what sort of a young man that Aleck Solong is."

BURN DEAD YUMA'S MONEY.

Denver Times: Jos Escalate, a Yuma Indian, died a few days ago, and the members of his tribe, in accord with an old custom, burned with him all his belongings, including $2,000 in cash.

"It is one of the religious beliefs of the Yumas, this burning of all a man's possessions when he dies," said Chief Supervisor E. P. Holcombe of the Indian bureau. "We have made efforts to stop it, even appealing to federal attorneys in some cases for assistance. Injunctions against the practice have been sought, but with what success I don't know. Certainly something should be done to stop it or the whole tribe will become paupers in time. The destruction of all a man's property at his death is too great an inheritance tax for a people to stand up under.

"I don't know the origin of the custom, but the idea prevails that they believe the dead can enjoy their belongings after death. I have read somewhere:

"'What pleased him most in life may still give pleasure in the grave.'

"Opposed to this sentiment, however, is the description of her grandfather's death by Sarah Winnemucca Hopkins, an Indian girl who wrote 'Life Among the Piutes.' She says: 'Everything he had was put into the grave with him. His body was put into blankets when it was ready for burial, and after he was buried six of his horses were killed. Now, do not think that we do these things because the dead use what we destroy. It is simply the last respect we pay the dead.'

"But to return to the Yumas. Whatever the reason for their destruction of property, cremation of the dead is the chief of their religious beliefs. Their whole life centers around it, until they live seemingly only to be cremated. Old Chief Miguel sent his sons to the best Indian schools. One of them, now returned, is a writer in Los Angeles. He refuses, I have heard, to live with his people. Last winter he fell ill and his father was much concerned. The boy wrote Miguel not to worry, that he had arranged in case of death to have his body sent home for cremation. The old man's fears entirely disappeared on receipt of the letter.

"At a Yuma funeral last winter seventeen new blankets were bought and burned on one funeral pyre."

STEAM HEATING THE SOIL.

Events Which Led to the Discovery That It Increases the Fertility.

When the vineyards of Europe were overtaken by the phylloxera, a minute insect which lives upon the roots of the vine and eventually destroys it, it at first appeared as though no means could be found to combat the pestilence. Gradually various remedies have been discovered, of which the most widely applied has been the employment of American species of vine as the underground stocks, upon which the old varieties esteemed for making wine were then grafted.

The American vine is strong enough to resist the attack of the parasite; it even confers a new vigor and yielding power upon the more delicate vintage grape that it carries, so that by its help many of the old European vineyards have not only been regenerated but also made to produce more wine to the acre than before the advent of the phylloxera.

But the more famous vineyards, where are grown the grands crus that bear a name all the world over, have hesitated to use the American stock, fearing such a deterioration in the quality of the grape as would never be compensated for by any increase of quantity. The remedy against phylloxera on which they have chiefly relied has been the injection into the soil of small quantities of carbon disulphide, a volatile liquid giving rise to a heavy poisonous vapor. It was found that this vapor diffused through the soil and killed the phylloxera, while the root of the vine took no harm. In this way the phylloxera can be kept in check, if not actually stamped out, but the expense of the process limits its adoption except in the most valuable vineyards.

The point of this story, says Harper's Magazine, is that a certain Alsatian vine grower before 1894 made the observation that land which had thus been treated with carbon disulphide became more productive than it was before, even when the destruction of the phylloxera was left entirely out of the question. But this observation remained unappreciated, just like the similar records of the gain in fertility brought about by heating the soil to the temperature of boiling water.

However, confirmatory evidence gradually accrued, until such scientific men as concern themselves with the soil have within the last few years become convinced that there was a real and novel set of phenomena to be explained. Some of the United States station workers even began to advocate the steam heating of soil destined for the growth of plants in greenhouses; they maintained that not only was freedom from certain fungoid diseases and animal pests thus secured but that the productiveness of the soil was sufficiently raised to pay for the treatment.

"THE SYSTEM OF GHENT."

Belgian Scheme of Insurance Against Unemployment.

Louis Varlez, a Belgian statistician, has devised the most practical and sincere proposal to relieve unemployment among organized skilled and unskilled workers, says the Twentieth Century Magazine. The system is based upon the mutual insurance funds of the unions.

In times of prosperity the unions collect from their members certain dues which make up the unemployed benefit fund. From this fund, in times of unemployment, the unions pay out small sums to their unemployed members.

However, at periods of a severe crisis the funds of the unions are easily overdrawn. Here enters in Varlez's scheme. By a municipal allowance the unions are put in the position to increase their unemployed funds.

The city of Ghent, in Belgium, introduced this system in 1904. It worked so successfully that by now it is universally recognized as the most efficient measure against unemployment, and many states and municipalities have already introduced "The System of Ghent" or are discussing its immediate realization.

In France more than forty municipalities and several departments have adopted the system of Ghent. Since the law of 1905 the French state is authorized to aid the unions financially in case of unemployment.

Ten cities in Holland have lately introduced Varlez's scheme. The Norwegian state, conforming to the law of 1906, reimburses one-fourth and Denmark one-third of the sum paid out by the unions in unemployment benefits.

The salient features of the unemployed insurance statute of the city of Strassburg are the following:

"Every unemployed who belongs to a trade union or an association of employes that pays unemployed benefits gets an additional allowance.

"The city pays an allowance only in cases of involuntary unemployment. If unemployment is caused by strikes, lockouts or their consequences, by illness, accident or invalidity, the city is not obliged to pay.

"The aid of the city amounts to 50 per cent of the sum paid by above associations. In other words, if the person unemployed draws 50 cents from the trade union fund, the city adds 25 cents to this sum. However, the allowance of the city cannot exceed 25 cents a day.

"If the person unemployed is provided with suitable work the city stops the payments of the allowance. Unmarried people must accept work outside the town if special circumstances do not militate against it.

"Only such unions and associations have a claim upon the aid of the city which have an organized unemployed benefit service for their members and which ask the office of the mayor for the aid of the city and accept the statutes of this unemployment ordinance."

The results attained in Strassburg are so satisfying and encouraging that the unions of such a great industrial city as Berlin, where during the last industrial crisis more than 80,000 organized workers were without work, have unanimously directed their representatives to take steps for the realization of a similar institution in that city.

RAINBOW LAND.

"The West Highlands of Scotland may truly be called the home of the rainbow," says a writer in the Queen, "for here you will see them at any time of the year, and in no other part of the world can they be seen in more perfect form and hue.

"On a wild autumn day, with the west or southwest wind blowing the clouds up across the sun, I have seen one rainbow follow another in quick succession. A perfect arch of palpitating color becomes suddenly visible and frames the blue black mountains, which sit hunched at the top of the loch, gathering the storms round their great shoulders and hurling them down onto the foam white waters; at other times the bow shimmers across the sullen sky with both its ends resting on the water, a veritable gateway into faeryland.

"Even when the rainbows are not visible in this part of the world it seems as if they had spilled their colors on the woods and hills. When the clouds lift and the belated sun shines over mountain and loch the effect is almost as dazzling as the rainbow itself.

"In heather time the hills are wine colored on their lower slopes, while their tops are a deep indigo blue, standing out in strong contrast to the clear pale sky. Nearer at hand there is every shade of color from warm amethyst to the soft bloom of a purple plum.

"Later in the year the hills are checkered with the pale gold of the ripe grain, the red brown of the withered heather, the rusty glow of bracken, and the still vivid green of pasture fields, while the trees show every imaginable shade of hot color and seem to vie with each other in their efforts to defy the approaching gloom of winter.

"The waters of the sea lochs, which add so much to the beauty of rainbow land, are tinted with all the shades of blue, gray and green, and at sunset glow with colors which rival the hues of the rainbow. The leaves fall and spread their brightness on the ground remorsefully; the passionate autumn rains awaken the burns, which slept during the summer, and the air is filled with the hoarse cry of many waters.

"The dwellers in this rainbow land fall into the habit of looking up to see if the arch of color is visible, and even if it is not there the attitude of hope cannot fail to uplift, and the consciousness that the rainbow is not far off never quite leaves them."

WHY THEY FAILED TO GET WATER

Columbus Dispatch: Capt. Maynard, clerk of the house of representatives, has built a cottage at Indian lake. In his absence workmen tried to drive a well for water. They told him on a recent visit that they had gone down 200 feet without striking water.

When he investigated he found that the casing that had been sunk in the well had turned on a rock and had come up into the cottage. At the time that he found it, it was sticking up in the best room about six feet and the drill was working overtime.

EARLY BIRDS.

The Gentlewoman: An observant Frenchman who has been making notes of the habits of the feathered fraternity has just made a time table of the hours they wake of a morning.

The chaffinch heads the list with 1:30 a. m., at 2:30 the blackcap hails the morn, while at 3 the quail utters his quaint "Pay tes Dettes!" ("Pay thy debts!") The blackbird does not rise till 4 o'clock, while the tomtit, even more of a stay abed, does not commence his day till 4:30, while the restless sparrow considers the air not sufficiently warmed for his approval till 5:30 a. m.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER JUDGMENT OF FORECLOSURE—

State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis.—ss.

District Court, Eleventh Judicial District.

Samuel Srog and Henry Lippman,
Plaintiffs.
vs.
John Housfelt, Mary Housfelt, Patrick Gallagher, E. A. Pinard, Charles Strolston, George H. Wadell, Mrs. Albert Johnson and Albert Johnson,
Defendants.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That, under and by virtue of a judgment and decree entered in the above entitled action on the 31st day of October, 1910, a certified transcript of which has been delivered to me, I, the undersigned, as sheriff of St. Louis County, Minnesota, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, on Tuesday, the 27th day of December, 1910, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the Front Door of the Sheriff's Office in the County Court House in the City of Duluth, in accordance with said judgment and the statute in such case made and provided, the premises and real estate described in said judgment and decree, to-wit: Lots eighty-six (86) and eighty-eight (88) in Block forty (40) of Rice's Point in Duluth, St. Louis County, Minnesota, according to the recorded plat thereof; said title being registered pursuant to the statute made and provided and original certificate No. 139 issued therefor and recorded in Book 1 of Register of Titles on page 139 in the office of the Registrar of Titles for said St. Louis County, Minnesota.

Dated at Duluth, Minn., this 10th day of November, 1910.

WM. J. BATES,
Sheriff of St. Louis County, Minnesota.
S. L. PIERCE,
Deputy.
BALDWIN, BALDWIN & DANCER,
Attorneys for Plaintiffs.
D. H., Nov. 11, 18, 25, Dec. 2, 9 and 16.

ORDER OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR LICENSE TO SELL, MORTGAGE OR LEASE LAND—

State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis—ss.

In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Lydia M. Cowden, decedent.

THE PETITION OF W. F. Gordon as representative of the above named decedent, having been filed in this Court, representing, among other things, that for reasons stated in said petition, it is necessary and for the best interests of the estate of said decedent and of all persons interested therein, to sell certain lands of said decedent in said petition described and praying that license be to him granted to sell the said land.

IT IS ORDERED, That said petition be heard before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in Duluth, in said County, on Tuesday, the 27th day of December, 1910, at ten o'clock A. M., and all persons interested in said hearing and in said matter are hereby cited and required at said time and place to show cause, if any there be, why said petition should not be granted.

ORDERED FURTHER, That this order be served by publication in The Duluth Herald according to law.

Dated at Duluth, Minn., December 2, 1910.

By the Court,
J. B. MIDDLECOFF,
Judge of Probate.
(Seal Probate Court, St. Louis Co., Minn.)
D. H., Dec. 2, 9, 16, 1910.

ORDER TO EXAMINE FINAL ACCOUNT—

State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis.—ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Randel McDonnell, Decedent.

THE PETITION OF John G. Ross, as special and general representative of the above named decedent, together with his final account of the special and general administration of said estate, having been filed in this Court, representing, among other things, that he has fully administered said estate, and praying that said final account of said special and general administration be examined, adjusted and allowed by the Court, and that the Court make and enter its final decree of distribution of the residue of the estate of said decedent to the persons entitled thereto, and for the discharge of the representative and the sureties on his bond.

IT IS ORDERED, That said petition be heard, and said final account examined, adjusted and allowed by the Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Duluth in said County, on Tuesday the 3rd day of January, 1911, at ten o'clock A. M., and all persons interested in said hearing and in said matter are hereby cited and required at said time and place to show cause, if any there be, why said petition should not be granted.

ORDERED FURTHER, That this order be served by publication in The Duluth Herald, according to law.

Dated at Duluth, Minn., December 8th, 1911.

By the Court,
J. B. MIDDLECOFF,
Judge of Probate.
(Seal, Probate Court, St. Louis County, Minn.)
D. H. Dec. 9, 16, 23, 1910.

HERALD'S WEST DULUTH DEPARTMENT

BRANCH OFFICES:
A. Jensen, 330 North 57th Ave. W. J. J. Moran, 316½ North Central Ave.

THREE GAMES FOR TROPHIES

Wade and Strand Rinks in Finals of Hurst Event.

At the West Duluth curling rink, Fifty-seventh avenue west and Bristol street, this evening, Olson and Method will clash in the first round of the Hurst event, and Wade and Strand will be matched against each other for a place in the finals.

Last evening Macauley trimmed Scott 12 to 6; Zauft was defeated by Wade, 12 to 11, and Strand took Iltis into camp to the music of 13 to 10. All games were in the Hurst event preliminaries.

The results in detail:

Barnes,	Scott, Jr.,
Smith,	Burg,
Ashley,	Clark,
Macauley, skip—12.	Scott, skip—6.
Raymond,	Gilpin,
Judson,	Capt. Sullivan,
Buckley,	Martin,
Wade, skip—12.	Zauft, skip—11.
Horman,	Hamilton,
Seymour,	Iltis, Jr.
H. Strand,	McKibbon,
S. Strand, skip—13.	Iltis, skip—10.

BOY DIES OF HEART FAILURE

Was Apparently Fully Recovered From an Attack of Diphtheria.

Less than twenty-four hours after the quarantine had been raised from the home of Andrew Majeska of 6413 Petrie street, where his 12-year-old son, Walter, was confined with diphtheria, the boy died.

Dr. C. R. Keyes of West Duluth, who has been attending the case, says that the boy died of heart trouble.

Last week the lad passed the critical stage of the disease and since that time he apparently recovered rapidly. It is thought that other complications might have set in and a reaction affected the heart. Death came suddenly this morning.

The Majeska family is in destitute circumstances and the death of the boy will be a serious blow to the family. The health officers have referred the case to the poor commissioner.

According to Dr. Keyes, none of the three other children in the family contracted diphtheria.

FURNITURE FACTORY RESUMES OPERATIONS.

The Thompson Furniture company at New Duluth resumed full operations again this week after having been closed down since early in September, when the plant was partially destroyed by fire, thought to have been of incendiary origin.

A new three-story warehouse, 50 by 150 feet, replaces the burned structure. About fifty men were thrown out of employment at the time of the burning of the warehouse.

SCHOOL TERRITORY WILL BE REDISTRICTED.

Residents of Oneota are speculating as to the plans of the school board in redistricting the school territory, when the new Merritt school is erected at Fortieth avenue west and Sixth street next year.

Sentiment seems to favor dividing up the territory so that children living north of the Northern Pacific tracks, east of Forty-seventh and west of Thirty-fourth or Thirty-fifth avenues west may have access to the new school.

The new school will cost between $60,000 and $70,000 and will, if possible, be erected and ready for occupancy by the time that school opens next fall. There will be nine rooms in the building.

Funeral of Mrs. Meldrum.

The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Jane Meldrum, 54 years old, who died Wednesday at her home in West Duluth, was held this afternoon at 1 o'clock from the family residence, 507 South Seventy-second avenue west and at 1:30 o'clock from the West Duluth Baptist church. Rev. Hugo J. P. Selinger officiated and burial was made at Oneota cemetery.

Masons Have Election.

Duluth Chapter, No. 59, Royal Arch Masons, have elected officers for 1911. The new officers will be installed the latter part of the month. They are as follows: R. M. Weaver, H. P.; M. J. Murray, K.; M. M. Forbes, S.; Walter Borgen, C. H.; A. J. Wright, P. S.; Arthur Liden, R. A. C.; L. A. Barnes, treasurer; Andrew Dunleavey, secretary.

Twins Die Within Week.

Death visited the family of Einar Johnson of 613 North Fifty-seventh avenue west, twice within the one week. Friday, Dec. 2, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson died and last evening a daughter also died. The children were twins. The funeral of the infant daughter was held this afternoon from the residence with interment at Oneota cemetery.

Funeral Saturday.

The funeral of Jacob Lindbeck of Two Harbors, who died of typhoid fever Wednesday at St. Luke's hospital will be held tomorrow at West Duluth. Services will be held at Bethany Norwegian-Danish M. E. church, Sixty-fifth avenue west and Polk street, at 3 o'clock. Rev. C. W. Schevenius, pastor of the church, will officiate and burial will be at Oneota cemetery.

West Duluth Briefs.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Topliff, who reside above Lincoln park, this morning at the Duluth hospital.

For Rent—Steam-heated rooms. See L. A. Barnes, 304 Central avenue.

The Norden Sick Benefit society will meet Monday evening at Victor hall for the annual election of officers and other business.

A china shower will be given this evening at the West Duluth Baptist church, Fifty-ninth avenue west and Grand avenue. The affair is under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society and is for the benefit of the church.

Miss Ethel Stowell left yesterday for Marble, Minn., where she will visit with friends for a few days.

Jerry Mikiska entertained a few of his friends at a venison dinner last evening. Among those present at the affair last evening were: A. L. Stevenson, Dr. Lamphere, Thomas Foubister, William McCollum, Lawrence Gilley and Fred De Boir.

Miss Susan Miller has gone to Merrill, Wis., on a few days' visit.

The funeral of Charles August Johnson, a boarder at 307 North Fifty-third avenue west, who died of typhoid fever at St. Luke's hospital Wednesday afternoon, was held this afternoon from the Richter undertaking rooms with burial at Oneota cemetery.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father. Mrs. John Olson and family.

It has been erroneously stated that a chicken pie dinner will be held at Gilley's hall this evening by the Ladies' Aid Society of Asbury M. E. church. The affair will be held tomorrow evening instead.

Watch repairing. Hurst, West Duluth.

CITY BRIEFS

Duluth-Made Books.
Thwing-Stewart Co., Phone 114.

Conductors to Install.

Next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Maccabee hall, 21 Lake avenue north the new officers of Duluth division, No. 336, Order of Railway Conductors, will be installed. The following officers have been elected: Theo Harris, chief conductor; A. J. Gladman, assistant chief conductor; Fred C. Bahr, secretary and treasurer; Frank McNaughton, senior conductor; Frank Ayers, junior conductor; W. A. Nichols, inside sentinel; A. F. Gratto, outside sentinel; J. T. Hughes, delegate to grand division meeting at Jacksonville, Fla.; J. H. O'Brien, alternate; L. E. Bieberman, J. L. Henderson and J. H. O'Brien, division trustees; Theo Harris, A. J. Gladman and Fred C. Bahr, relief committee.

The First Debate.

The first debate of the year will be held in the assembly hall of the Central high school Thursday evening when the team representing the local school will meet the Two Harbors debators. The question to be settled is: "Resolved, That Minnesota Adopt a Compulsory Industrial Insurance." The members of the Duluth squad are: Roger Lerch, Rolf Hovde, Jessie Cohen, Fred Weinberg and Nathan Cook.

Ever "Tinker" About the House?

Just that, and even without the muss, mother never did like to have even the kitchen chair covered with saw marks. Work on this bench—that's the place. Prices,

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Then There Are Coats

Russian Pony Coats, Caracul Coats, Hudson Seal Coats, Near Seal Coats.

Removing Big Sign.

Workmen at the Holland hotel are engaged in the rather dangerous task of removing the big electric sign that has hung over the Fifth avenue entrance, and which is to be hung over the street corner at Fifth avenue and Superior street. It is an exceedingly heavy sign and the work is dangerous as well as very difficult.

Directors Will Meet.

There will be a meeting of the directors of the Duluth Co-operative Produce market association at the Commercial club tomorrow.

Assault Case Dismissed.

The charges of assault and non-support against Arthur Hendrickson were dismissed in police court this morning. His wife did not wish to push the cases against him.

Guilty of Assault.

Henry Murphy was found guilty of assaulting Albert Nelson at the new Denver lodging house on the Bowery Tuesday evening after a trial in police court. He was fined $20 and costs or thirty days in the county jail. Nelson claimed that he tried to cut him with a pocket knife and that he warded off the blow wih his hand, sustaining a cut on the thumb.

Peddled Without License.

Lester Kulander was arraigned in police court yesterday afternoon on a charge of peddling without a license. He pleaded not guilty and will be tried this afternoon.

Complain of the Coal Dust.

Complaints have been made to the board of public works relative to the coal chute of the old Masonic temple building at Second avenue east and Superior street. The chute is placed close to the building and when the coal is unloaded a considerable quantity of coal dust finds its way to the sidewalks, where it causes much inconvenience. The dust is decidedly disagreeable if the wind is blowing.

Arrested for Beating Woman.

Axel Thorson, bartender at the North Star saloon, was arrested last night on a charge of assaulting Laura Bendz, beating her so badly that she was unable to leave her bed this morning. When the police reached their residence at 19 Mesaba avenue, the woman was lying on the bed, covered with blood. A physician was called to dress her injuries. The cause of the trouble is not known. It is stated that the two have been living together as man and wife, but that they are not married. Thorson pleaded not guilty in police court this morning and will be tried Tuesday afternoon.

Women's and Girls' Coats on Sale.

J. M. Gidding & Co. have placed on sale their entire line of women's cloth coats at one-fourth and one-third reductions—also children's coats at one-third off.

Temple Services.

"The Life of Mary Baker Eddy" will be the subject of a sermon by Rabbi Lefkovitz at Temple Emanuel, Seventh avenue east and Second street, tonight.

PERSONAL

B. Mason and wife of Hibbing are guests at the Lenox.

A. M. Williams of Litchfield is at the Lenox.

T. R. Janson of Crosby is registered at the Lenox.

Joseph Rickard is a guest at the Lenox.

J. Hirvi of Ely is at the Holland.

W. R. Mackenzie, secretary of the Northern Minnesota Development association, is in the city on business for the association.

Secretary Graves of the Grand Forks Commercial club is visiting Duluth. He called at the Commercial club this morning and visited the pure food show.

H. E. Tolman of St. Cloud is a guest at the McKay.

N. V. Lowe of Blueberry is at the McKay.

Eunice M. Sero of Ashland is in the city, a guest at the McKay.

W. G. Brown of Winnipeg is at the Spalding.

R. H. Stratton of Virginia is a guest at the Spalding.

James R. Carrol of Houghton is registered at the Spalding.

John Dahle of Grand Forks is a guest at the St. Louis.

J. A. Osborne and wife of Fort Frances are guests at the St. Louis.

Theodore J. Schmidt and wife of Port Arthur are at the St. Louis.

Mrs. M. Prisk of Ely is a guest at the St. Louis.

W. S. Taylor of Appleton, Wis., representing some of the largest pulpwood users in the world, is in the city on a business visit.

Olga Nethersole Will Be Seen At The New Theater

OLGA NETHERSOLE.

Olga Nethersole has just arrived from Europe and will appear in a few weeks at the New theater in Maeterlinck's "Mary Magdalene." This is a change on the part of the New theater due to the remarkable success of other Maeterlinck plays, which have been seen this season.

SOME SHORT WEIGHT STORIES

Only Commodity of Which People Seem to Get Full Peck Is Trouble.

The shortage in weights and measures is the one factor in the increased cost of living which can be removed; but it can be removed only through a thorough and systematic inspection of weights and measures and through the assistance of the housekeepers.

The housekeeper is necessarily the purchasing department and the receiving department of the household, and in this latter capacity she should have a kitchen test outfit to check the quantity of the commodities purchased.

There will be more and more of this household economy, says the American Magazine, as soon as it is fully realized that the value of the dollar will be increased from 5 to 15 per cent when the quantity received is what it purports to be.

How little the customer knows can be illustrated by an instance of a woman who was purchasing apples on the market in Buffalo. The particular dealer was apparently underselling his competitors by giving half a peck of apples at 25 per cent less than market value.

His method was simple. Using a narrow half peck measure he wedged three apples almost half way up in it, turning it upside down in his barrel. When a customer asked for half a peck of apples he would pick up the measure in his left hand and at the same time taking some apples with his right hand as he turned the measure would place them in it.

The customer of course would not see that there were apples already wedged in the measure. As an additional inducement the dealer would take one or two apples out of the barrel and put them into the woman's marketing basket, she being firm in the belief that she had not only received half a peck but had received some apples in addition. Upon being asked to be allowed to test the apples purchased she was indignant, stating that she had dealt with this man for years and had always received liberal measure.

This method of falsely useing apparatus is very common and is technically known as "stacking measures." Unless the market inspector is vigilant in almost any market can be found rows of measures already stacked in the early morning hours ready for the customer.

"I remember seeing onions, potatoes and various commodities of the kind stacked in quart, two quart and other measures in one of the markets in Columbus, Ohio," says the writer. "Though appearing to be excessively heaped, the contents of any one of them if shaken would have dropped far below the top rim of the measure.

"Another illustration of how the short weight artist injures the legitimate merchant is this: A pedler was offering apples at 35 cents a peck when the market value, the regular selling price in the prominent stores, was 70 cents a peck. A certain housekeeper was the wife of a weights and measures official, and immediately suspecting that something was wrong ordered a peck. Then she placed her own standard peck measure on the kitchen table. That pedler had to take three trips with his own peck measure roundly filled to give the housekeeper the legal heaping peck upon which she insisted, using her own correct measure as a standard.

"That one man, aside from defrauding the housekeepers with whom he dealt, was injuring every honest apple dealer in town. It is small wonder that some of the minor dealers would have to resort to the same tactics to compete with him.

"The above illustrations are of dry measures, and they must receive the grand prize for instruments of fraud because the bottom can be so easily raised or decreased in size and the sides relapped or false sides inserted. The customer rarely has an opportunity in a filled measure to see the inside, and with any sort of dexterity a crooked dealer can do the trick.

"The prevalence of false dry measures can be easily seen from the fact that two inspectors of the state department in New York counted over forty dry quart measures along Second avenue in New York City in three blocks all of which resulted in a shortage of over 50 per cent. Cranberry measures delivering 18 cubic inches instead of 67.2 have been very common; white lined graniteware liquid measures with an inch or two of white paraffin poured into the inside are very deceptive and by no means uncommon.

"One very prevalent form of weights and measures deception is to sell dry commodities by liquid measure instead of by dry measure. As a dry quart is 20 per cent larger than a liquid quart, the loss due to such practice is evident. Do not be deceived into imagining that because a person is using a small measure he is charging proportionately less, for that is far from being a fact. By far the most desirable method is to buy all commodities by weight, as is customary along the Pacific coast.

"Yet there are very many crooked scales. Many scales in stores have their dials turned toward the clerks instead of toward the customers, and that often means trouble. Even ragmen buying rags by weight sometimes use two scales, one to look at and the other to weigh with, the latter of the familiar sliding front type manipulated by the middle finger and thumb, with the weight shown determined purely by the conscience of the pedler himself.

"Aside from these cases of wilful dishonesty there are the cases of acquired dishonesty among dealers who, seeing that their competitors prosper by giving short weight and measure, acquire the same habit. Here is a case to illustrate this point:

"When cranberries were selling at 11 cents a quart, dry measure, and were so sold by all of the merchants in Rochester, an enterprising dealer advertised them for 10 cents a quart and gave a liquid quart, trying to undo the good work of the efficient sealer of that city. To meet this competition at least fifteen other dealers in that same neighborhood immediately dropped their prices to 10 cents and were using liquid measures. Of course 10 cents a quart liquid measure is considerably more expensive than 11 cents a quart dry measure.

"As the local sealer was known to the proprietor of the store, he could not very well secure the evidence, and so he called upon the state department of weights and measures. With a witness the state official entered the store and purchased some commodities, among them some cranberries. The evidence of fraud was easily secured and the proprietor convicted. Within three hours after conviction the other fifteen dealers returned to the honest and full measures."

A CUBAN MARTYR.

Our Dumb Animals: We take the story that follows from the beautiful tribute borne a saintly soul by one who knew her long and well. The circumstances connected with the funeral procession and the scene at the grave are voiceful with testimony to this rare and gracious spirit. Those familiar with the work in Havana, Cuba, may know the subject of this tribute quite as well by the endearing name by which the children of the Band of Mercy called her, "Lila." It is from Mrs. Jeanette Ryder that we quote in an article written by her for a Cuban paper:

Senora Brigida Cecilia Martinez Viuda de Arredonda was born in November, 1843, in Matanzas, Cuba. She received a classical education in a college in Matanzas, of which her mother was founder and principal.

When young she was one of Cuba's most beautiful daughters, but the loveliness of her youth could not have equaled the exquisite sweetness and grace of her mature years. Death had deprived her of mother, father, husband, children, brother, and sisters, only two nieces of her immediate family survive her. Her husband lost all of his large fortune in the war with Spain and died broken-hearted. But impoverished, ill, bereft of dear ones, advanced in years, still her mind was as active and clear, her eyes as beautiful, her heart as full of life and love and tenderness the day of her tragic death as in the time of her happy and sheltered youth.

How she had endeared herself to us by her sweetness, her compassion, her unselfishness we did not realize until she was gone from our midst.

When the Band of Mercy was organized in Cuba she was one of its first members and was made vice secretary. She proved a loyal and faithful member and officer. Nothing had power to weaken her interest and love for this society or the purpose for which it exists. Opposed, sneered at, misunderstood, criticised, and threatened, she kept courageously and steadily on doing what she could to advance its purpose and principles.

She was not discouraged into inaction by the appalling amount of work that it would never be possible to accomplish in the life time of the present generation, nor did she shirk the duty nearest at hand because of the immense number of cruel conditions existing which we could never hope to remedy during the few years allotted to us in which to work, but her heart and hand responded without counting the cost, to the appeal of any animal in need of protection or succor, wether an abandoned kitten, a lame mule, an overloaded horse, a goaded ox or a broken-winged butterfly—no act of mercy was too humble or too arduous for her to attempt.

She gave very efficient help to the Band of Mercy by her readiness and ability to attend to the Spanish correspondence. She never departed from instructions, but willingly, cheerfully, making no objections, she "carried the message to Garcia." We shall never see her like again. Her understanding was so perfect, her patience so great, her soul so free from jealousy and envy; she was so single-hearted in her purpose, so sincere, so loving and lovable! Every day we feel her loss more deeply, more poignantly, until it seems that we cannot go on without her. We had not realized the worth of her nuassuming acts of kindness, the heroism of her unpretentious life of sacrifice, the strength and beauty of her quiet courage, her boundless love for all that lives, until she was gone.

At 9 o'clock the morning of July 11, she brought to the office of the Band of Mercy a kitten that she had found lost and starving in the street; two hours later she was crushed to death by a wagon that a cartman backed against her while angry because she had reprimanded him for beating his mules and had demanded that he put off part of the load.

She had met life's sorrow's and disappointments bravely and nobly and had endeavored to heal her heartaches in service to our "little brothers;" she met death fearlessly defending helpless dumb creatures from cruelty and injustice. She died a martyr to the cause of humanity, but more than this, she had lived for it. And she is a living presence in the work for animals in Cuba today and will continue to be as long as our lives shall last.

The day the long funeral cortege followed her body to the grave it was a splendid prophecy, a glorious augury that the beautiful head of every horse in the line went free from the torturous checkrein that custom here decrees shall be especially high on such occasions. At the grave, almost filled to the top with flowers thrown into it by loving children's hands, and surrounded by children kneeling in prayer, our aching hearts received the assurance that though she rested from her labors her work would follow her through these little ones whose hearts had been opened to the beauty of justice and kindness to every living creature by the example of her noble life and martyrdom, and that her pure spirit would be with us to comfort and help us in the loneliness and discouragement of future endeavor to better the conditions for the helpless dumb beasts of burden in Cuba.

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GET YOUR WINTER HAT NOW AT ½ price. East End Milliner. 705 East Fourth street.

MARRIAGES.

Ole Nergard and Ragna Peterson.
Louis Poroli and Amalia Selva.
William Wallinder and Marie Francie Nordstrom.

BIRTHS.

WIEDERMAN—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wiederman of 911 East Eighth street, Dec. 2.

DE MARCO—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. F. De Marco of 221 West Fourth street, Dec. 8.

GREEN—A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jake Green of 408 East Ninth street, Dec. 7.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

THOMPSON—The funeral of Andrew B. Thompson, who died suddenly at 511 East Fifth street took place from the First Norwegian church, First avenue east and Third street, at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Interment was at Park Hill cemetery. An autopsy by Dr. F. F. Clark showed that death was due to pneumonia and heart trouble.

VEASLY—The body of Mrs. Lillian Veasly, who died of diphtheria at the detention hospital, will be shipped to Lansing, Mich., for interment. It will be accompanied by A. Le Roy Brown, a relative.

BUILDING PERMITS.

To Edward Heir, addition, East Fourth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues..$ 500

IMPORTANT!

To those holding the title date line heading of the Comic Section of last and this

Sunday's Chicago Examiner

can procure the Sugar Shell and Butter Knife from any of the NEWS DEALERS IN THE CITY.

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JOSEPH VANDERYACHT,
AGENT.

CONVINCING A SCEPTIC.

New York Sun: "I'm a sceptic," said the short fat man as he thumped the table, "a sceptic from Missouri, and you have got to show me."

The ethereal one in flowing robes, with a psychic look in her eyes, gazed at him sorrowfully. "Say not so," she whispered.

"I repeat it, I am a sceptic. Look here. I've tried all this new thought business, every bit of it. I have been through seances that would make your hair curl. I have tried palmistry, crystal gazing, mental sciences and plain fortune-telling with a pack of premium cards, and still I want to be shown."

"Your mental attitude depresses the sensitive soul of the inspired one," sighed the other.

"Mental tommyrot; and say, speaking of that, listen to this little tale: I went into one of these new thought huts out in Kalamazoo. I had been tackling roast beef sandwiches and sinkers between trains for the past week, and something from within warned me that I was near the wrecking stage.

"A chap with me suggested mental treatment. Mind you, thought treatment for Kalamazoo doughnuts! But I went to one of those new thinkists, who took my fevered brow between her velvety hands and looked into my eyes long and lovingly. 'Poor, wearied mentality,' she purred.

"That wasn't bad—it had a manicure or a barber skinned forty ways—so I began to sit up and take notice Then she told me the treament. She commanded me in a low and earnest whisper to sit upright in a straight backed chair at a certain time every day. When I had attained this physical attitude, which in time would be indicative of my mental one, I was to think aloud the following: 'Within my stomach is great white light and in the midst of the light the word peace is written thereon.' Just think of peace when I had consumed at least four dozen lumps of perfectly good leaden dough. That settled me."

The ethereal one sighed. "But have you ever tried psychometric force?"

"That's a new one," said the man, interested once more, "tell us about it."

"It is the power of touching articles and telling the former conditions to which they have been subjected; it is the power of taking an article worn or used by a person and from it gaining the future and the past of that person. I am somewhat of a dabbler in it myself. Give me any article and I will close my eyes and tell you what its surroundings have been."

The eyes of the fat man had a dangerous look as the psychic one closed her eyes and extended her intuitive fingers across the table. The fat man placed within them an article. The fingers stole over it lovingly. She began to shudder and then chanted:

"This article has seen many, many climes, likewise many, many dangerous times. It has drawn blood! It has travelled far and near, it speaks to me as if it were weary of the world, as if it longed for something higher; I cannot express it; a soul is imbedded within this inanimate article. It is a peculiar sensation and the one thought comes to me again and again—it—has—drawn—blood!"

The psychic one paused and the fat man grimly remarked. "Wonderful. O sage, wonderful and correct—for you hold in your hand my safety razor."

A PERENNIAL PERIL.

Lady's Pictorial: The crinoline of the '50s is believed to have been invented by one of three Frenchmen—a certain Joseph Thomas, who died a short time ago in the United States; a draper's assistant, who is nameless, or one Heindenrech, an executioner, who "flourished" during the Second empire. On what one might very well call circumstantial evidence I rather favor the executioner.

It is pointed out that the soft hoop which now encircles so many smart skirts might easily develop into something much more substantial and that from wearing bee-hive bonnets Dame Fashion might easily turn for variety to beehive petticoats. But I hope the No Crinoline League of 1893, if it is still in existence, has its corporate or secretarial eye on that hoop.

THE INK PLANT.

Knowledge: The ink of everyday life may be perhaps described as of mixed animal, vegetable and mineral origin. Sometimes, however, the juice of a plant can be used directly for writing. This is the case with the ink plant, which occurs in South America and New Zealand.

The juice of the plant is red, but it becomes rapidly black on exposure by oridization. It gives a permanent stain on paper and can be used as ink without further preparation. All the early documents in Spanish South America were written with the juice of the ink plant.

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Potatoes, per bush	65c
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Sirloin Steak	15¢
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Leg of Mutton, per lb	12½¢

Round Steak, per lb	12½c	Pot Roast, per lb	10c
Family Steak, per lb	12½c	Leaf Lard, per lb	13c
Sirloin Steak, per lb	15c	Rib Roast, per lb	12½c
Porterhouse Steak, per lb	18c	Hamburger, per lb	10c
Leg of Lamb, per lb	15c	Breakfast Sausage, per lb	10c
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RIB ROAST, per lb	12½c	PIG PORK ROAST	11c
RIB BOILING, per lb	5c	LEG MILK FED LAMB	12½c
ROUND STEAK, per lb	12½c	VEAL ROAST, per lb	12½c, 15c
SIRLOIN STEAK, per lb	15c	HOME-MADE SAUSAGE, per lb 10c; 3 lbs for	25c

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Family Steak—Per lb	12½c
Rib Roast—Choice Prime Steer, lb	12½c
Lamp Chops Extra choice, lb	12½c
Veal Chops-Milk fed, lb	12½c
Lutefisk—Per lb	7c
Codfish—Boneless, 2-lb bricks	18c
Spareribs—Fresh Sugar Cured, lb	10c
Pork Chops—Extra choice, lb	15c
Stew—Choice Lamb lb	8c
Stew—Choice Steer Beef,	8c
Liver—Fresh sliced, lb	8c

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2 lbs. PURE LARD for	25¢
10 bars LAUNDRY SOAP for	25¢
2-lb. can SHREDDED PINEAPPLE	15¢

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WHEAT DULL AND WEAK

Values Sag and Trading Is Light---Foreign News Favorable.

Cash Business Slim---Flax Declines in Narrow Market.

Duluth Board of Trade, Dec. 9.—The wheat market sagged today and closed lower. December lost ⅝c and May declined ⅝c. Cash wheat was 1½c over December. Oats gained ⅛c, rye and barley were unchanged. Durum lost 1½c.

Flaxseed was weak and trading was light. December lost 5½c and May 5½c. Buyers were few and on slim selling orders the market was offered down. Cash flax was on a parity with December.

The wheat market was dead today and values marked time after a weak opening. There was very little news to influence values either way and traders held aloof until some definite factor on one side or the other becomes apparent.

A Buenos Ayres cable said that harvesting has commenced in the North. The yield is about an average. Dry weather, said the report, is needed. Another cable told of hot winds in the province of Buenos Ayres which are said to be doing some damage. The news from Argentina was colorless and did not have any influence on the market.

Cables were lower. Offers of Manitoba wheat were heavier and prices were about 1 cent lower. Prospective purchasers backed away, however, and no business was reported. Bids were from three to four cents out of line. The situation in France is causing some apprehension. Rains have done considerable damage, said a cable.

World's shipments of wheat and flour this week exclusive of North America are estimated by Broomhall at 8,000,000 bu against 8,120,000 bu last week. Europe will take about 7,200,000 bu. Indian shipments this week are estimated at 680,000 bu against 856,000 bu last week and 88,000 bu a year ago. Argentine shipments this week are estimated at 504,000 bu, last week 952,000 bu and 200,000 bu a year ago.

Stocks of wheat at terminal points are large although they probably have been built up at the expense of invisible supplies and farm reserves. The wheat situation undoubtedly is technically bearish, but many people regard the situation as intrinsically bullish. The movement of wheat to terminals is exceedingly small, especially in the Northwest. If the late movement of winter wheat to markets is a criterion of farm reserves it is not improbable that there will ensue in the near future an active and persistent domestic demand, unaided by any foreign buying, upon stocks at terminal points sufficient to cause such a reduction in visible supplies as to produce a radical change from the long existent and pronounced bear sentiment. If such a condition materializes it should produce broader markets and a higher price plane.

On the other hand some people point out that the flour trade is slow and business does not give indications of improving materially. They look for lower prices as the supply of wheat in comparison with the demand becomes more impressed on the minds of traders and the bull factors, such as damage to winter and Argentine wheat, fall short of their purpose.

AMERICAN WHEAT MARKETS, DEC. 9.

Dec.—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Dec. 8.
Duluth	$1.02⅜a	$1.02⅜a	$1.01⅝	$1.01¾b	$1.02⅜a
Chicago	.91⅞	.92	.91⅜	.91⅜a	.92
Minneapolis	1.01⅜	1.01½	1.00⅞	1.00⅞	1.01¼a
New York	.97⅞	.97⅞	.96¾	.96¾	.97⅛
Winnipeg	.90⅞	.90⅞-91	.90¼a	.90¼b	.90¾
Kansas City	.90½	.90⅝	.90¼	.90¼	.90¾
St. Louis	.94⅝	.94⅝-¾	.94½	.94½	.94⅝
May—					
Duluth	1.06⅜a	1.06⅜-½b	1.05⅝	1.05¾a	1.06⅜
Chicago	.96¼	.96⅜-½	.95¾	.95¾-⅞a	.96⅛-¼a
Minneapolis	1.04⅜	1.04⅝	1.03⅞	1.03⅞-¾	1.04½b
New York	1.02⅜-½	1.02⅝	1.02¼	1.02¼	1.02⅝
Winnipeg	.95	.95¼	.94½	.94⅝b	.95b
Kansas City	.94⅛	.94¼	.93⅝	.93⅝	.94¼
St. Louis	.97½	.97½-⅝	.97⅛	.97⅛	.97⅜-½

Southwestern and Winnipeg quotations furnished by B. E. Baker & Co.

DULUTH DURUM MARKET.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Dec. 8.
December	$ .86⅜a	$ .86⅛a	$ .84⅞a	$ .84⅞	$ .86⅜
May	.90⅛	.90⅛	.89¼	.89¼	.90⅛a

DULUTH FLAX MARKET.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Dec. 8.
December	$2.47½	$2.48	$2.42a	$2.42a	$2.47½
May	2.52b	2.52	2.46a	2.46a	2.51½

Duluth close: Wheat—On track: No. 1 hard, $1.04¼; No. 1 northern, $1.03¼; No. 2 northern, $1.00¼-1.01¼. To arrive: No. 1 northern, $1.03¼; No. 2 northern, $1.00¼-1.01¼; December, $1.01¾ bid; May, $1.05¾ asked. Durum—On track, in store and to arrive: No. 1, 84⅞c; No. 2, 82⅞c; December, 84⅞c asked; May, 89¼c. Flax—On track and to arrive, $2.42; December, $2.42 asked; May $2.46 asked. Oats, 32¼c. Rye, 74-76c. Barley, 73-84c; feed barley, 60-70c.

Receipts—Wheat, 132,579 bu, last year, 104,621 bu; oats, 24,131 bu; barley, 11,888 bu, last year, 18,182 bu; flax, 12,916 bu, last year, 15,978 bu.

Shipments—Oats, 5,281 bu; flax, 17,776 bu, last year, 80,205 bu.

Cash Sales Friday.

No. 1 hard, 1 car	$1.04¾
No. 1 northern, 500 bu	1.03¾
No. 1 northern, 6 cars	1.03¾
No. 1 northern, 1 car	1.03⅝
No. 2 northern, 1 car	1.02¼
Flax, 500 bu	2.48
Flax, 2 cars	2.45½
Flax, 2 cars	2.45
Flax, 1 car	2.46½
No. 1 durum, 1 car	.86
No. 1 durum, 1 car	.86⅜

MARKET GOSSIP

In five days wheat stores at the Head of the Lakes increased 461,000 bu to 1,885,000 bu. It is expected that stores this week will amount to 2,024,000 bu in comparison with stocks of 957,000 bu a year ago. The week's increase is expected to be 600,000 bu compared with a decrease last year of 947,000 bu.

Flax stores in five days increased 30,000 bu to 289,000 bu. This week stores are expected to increase 10,000 bu to 269,000 bu compared with a decrease in the corresponding week last year of 78,000 bu to 314,000 bu.

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Chicago Paint and Varnish Record: That the railroads are alive to the situation as it now exists, and to the possibilities of the future, is shown by the bids they are making for the shipment of flaxseed from the receiving ports to the interior of the country. It was announced in the last issue of the Record that the Illinois Central road would put in a new rate of 13 cents from New Orleans to Chicago. This rate, however, will not become effective until Jan. 1, and not on Dec. 1, as was stated, by mistake. It is now authoritatively announced that the Eastern roads will follow the cut made by the Southern road and that on and after Jan. 10 the rate on seed from Philadelphia will be 14c per 100 lb, instead of the present rate of 22c, and that the rate from New York will be 16c, against the present rate of 22c per 100 lb. With these new freight charges in effect it is not unlikely that some of the seed which is bought abroad by the Western crushers, and especially those at Chicago, may come through the Eastern ports. When the railroad companies begin to cut their rates, and especially at a time like this, when they are asking the interstate commerce commission for permission to advance the general freight rates, it means that the companies are fighting for business and that the shrewd representatives see that there is a probability of liberal shipments. No one ever heard of the roads cutting their existing freight charges unless there was some business to be obtained by so doing. And the Eastern roads do not relish the idea of the Southern roads getting all the business on foreign seed to come West, as they undoubtedly would do if there continued to be a difference of 9c per 100 lb in favor of the Southern roads. This is merely one of the straws which show which way the wind is blowing, and indicates that the railroads are firmly of the opinion that the West is going to be far short of its seed requirements.

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In commenting on a recent statement in this paper the Chicago Paint and Varnish Record says:

"The usually reliable Herald is in error in stating that Indian flaxseed is inferior to our Northwestern seed. Exactly the contrary is the rule. It is true that there may be a slightly larger percentage of impurities (other oleaginous seeds) in a given amount of Calcutta seed, under what is called by American crushers, "European terms," but the linseed itself has much greater oil-producing qualities than No. 1 Northwestern seed. The Calcutta seed now being crushed, or which recently has been crushed in Chicago, runs 20 to 21 pounds of oil to the bushel, while No. 1 Northwestern will not run over 19 pounds. Argentine seed runs less than No. 1 Northwestern — about 18 pounds. So fully is the superiority of Indian (or Calcutta) seed recognized that it always commands a premium over either Argentine or American seed in the European market."

The Herald stands corrected.

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Chicago Record-Herald: First estimates of the winter wheat acreage and conditions as announced by the department of agriculture at Washington were susceptible of either bullish or bearish construction, according to the leaning of the reader of the report. The figures were not far from the popular expectation — low as to condition and high as to acreage. The acreage was the largest ever seeded to winter wheat in the United States, exceeding that reported a year ago by 1,002,000 acres, revised to 828,000 acres in yesterday's report, and all of the important winter wheat states showed big gains in areas. The condition of 82.5 was 13.3 points lower than a year ago and 8.8 points lower than the 10-year average. Except for the big states of the Pacific Northwest the condition was lower than a year ago in all of the important producing states. In fact, the report leaves the trade open to doubt, with the future of the winter wheat crop subject to vast possibilities either way. Favorable winter and spring weather would easily admit of the largest wheat crop ever raised, while further important lowering of the already low condition might easily spell disaster in wide areas. Figured on the basis of yesterday's acreage and condition the present prospect is for a winter wheat crop of 502,685,000 bu. This is about 10,000,000 bu larger than the record winter wheat crop of 492,000,000 bu raised in 1906.

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"The Minneapolis flour output last week decreased 70,915 bbl," says the Northwestern Miller. "This made the output for week ending Dec. 3, 276,090 bbl, against 221,230 in 1909. The decrease in output last week was due to impaired water power. This week one and a half more mills are in operation, but it is doubtful if the production will exceed 300,000 bbl. With zero weather, the water power is worse, and most of the flour being made is turned out by steam. It was a pretty dull week with all Northwestern mills. Flour sales were materially less than the output. While the 2½@3c bu advance in wheat brought in some orders, usually mills reported the strength in the market as without any observable effect. Directions are fair to poor. Some of the Minneapolis mills with crippled water power would be embarrassed were directions to come any faster, other mills are not getting them fast enough. This latter particularly applies to the larger interior mills. Export business very light."

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Chicago Paint and Varnish Record: At the present time there is no foreign flaxseed in Chicago, the recent consignments of Calcutta seed having been crushed and a part of the oil and all of the cake having been disposed of. There are other lots of Calcutta seed still to come, but like all importations their arrival is somewhat uncertain. Just how much Calcutta seed will be used in Chicago, on the present crop, is a hard matter to determine, but all of the crushers actively engaged in this city, and who have not also Eastern connections, will undoubtedly use much of the new crop Argentine seed, as liberal purchases already have been made, and others undoubtedly will follow. For the present, the Chicago crushers will rely upon the Northwestern seed which they now have on hand and which will come to them from time to time by rail from the Northwest. The difficulty in securing seed has made it likely that one of the big crushing interests with Eastern connections will close its Chicago mills within a short time, and will crush all of its imported seed in its Eastern factories.

A Chicago crusher has just given out what he claims is a fairly accurate est'mate of the size of the Argentine flax crop. This estimate is based on a supposition of an acreage of about 3,000,000 acres and yield of about 12 bushels to the acre, which would give a total production of 36,000,000 bushels. The estimate is made by one of the largest financial interests in the United States, one which is closely associated through its own business dealings with the flaxseed industry, and is made without intent to any idea of influencing seed values one way or the other. Of course, this is only a preliminary estimate and is subject to revision, which may be made within the next few days.

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Foreign wheat markets closed: Paris, wheat ½@1c lower. Antwerp, 1¼c lower. Berlin, unchanged. Budapest, ⅛c higher compared with Wednesday. Liverpool, ⅛@⅜d lower; corn, unchanged to ⅛d higher.

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Car receipts of wheat follow:	Today.	Last year.
Duluth	79	60
Minneapolis	290	102
Northwest	369	162
Chicago	16	10
Winnipeg	220	113
St. Louis, bu	41,000	19,000
Kansas City	59	74

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Car receipts of flax follow:	Today.	Last year.
Duluth	10	15
Minneapolis	6	[illegible]
Winnipeg	4	[illegible]
Total	20	[illegible]

Chicago Record-Herald: J. A. Patten came back from New York yesterday and was talking bearish on wheat. "If the winter wheat reaches harvest with no improvement in its present condition, it means 500,000,000 bu," he said. "This of itself would be enough, but a little rain or a little snow would do a lot of repair work on condition. It only needs 300,000,000 bu spring wheat to make a very sizable crop of 800,000,000 bu, and this does not appear to me to be either remote or improbable. There is no scarcity of the old crop. The demand for it is poor and much of the wheat that is being shipped out now is simply being transferred to cheaper storage in mill warehouses and may result in a poor cash demand later. It is mostly hedged in the pit because of the attractive carrying charges. I told them in New York that if they were going to get any bull help in the wheat market it would have to come from the other side. If the situation in France is critical and they have another crop failure and if they buy a lot of wheat here and their market goes up it may be time to advance wheat here. Until then I can see no cause for worry."

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Cars inspected: Wheat—No. 1 hard, 8; No. 1 northern, 37; No. 2 northern, 3; No. 3 northern, 2. Durum: No. 1, 18; No. 2, 5; total durum, 23; winter, 1; mixed, 1. Total wheat, 79; last year, 60; flax, 10; last year, 15; corn, 1; oats, 5; last year, 12; barley, 2; last year, 9; total, 77; on track, 40.

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Clearances: Wheat none; flour 38,000 bbls, corn 15,000 bu, oats 300 bu, flour 171,000 bbls.

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Broomhall cabled from Liverpool: The wheat market opened with an easier undertone, although prices were ⅛d to ¼d lower. Pressure was the result of the lower American cables yesterday and larger Plate offers and a general poorer inquiry. Later there was some further pressure in March which month showed an additional decline of ¼d. Manitoba offers were larger and spot markets easy with Manitoba grade a penny lower. Just before midday there was some little covering by shorts and prices steadied slightly. This was attributed to continued rains in France and less favorable weather in Argentina. At this time the market was dull and ¼d lower than yesterday.

The corn market was practically unchanged and neglected. There was a holiday in the Buenos Ayres market yesterday.

Our agent cabled late yesterday that reports were being received at Buenos Ayres that hot winds in that section were veering northward.

THE CHICAGO MARKET.

Grain Prices Weaken and Large Houses Sell Wheat.

Chicago, Dec. 9.—After a hesitating start, all grain prices, this morning, inclined to the side of cheapness. Selling of wheat was chiefly by the larger houses and was apparently based on lower quotations at Liverpool. The British market reported demand there poor with larger offerings pressing from Manitoba and the Argentine. On the other hand, there were continued rains in France and the conditions for the winter crop in this country were unimproved. The opening was ⅛@¼c lower to a shade up. May started at 96c to 96¼c, covering the entire range of the market, touched 96¼@96⅜c, and declined to 96c.

Decreased shipments from Australia, India and the Argentine, led to a little advance, but on the whole the traders were simply marking time. The close was easy with May at 95¾@95⅞c, a net loss of ⅜c.

Corn felt the influence of big consignments on the way here. Argentine shipments were also reported heavy. May opened ⅛@¼c off to a shade higher at 47¼c to 47½c and settled around the lower level.

Talk about scarcity of cars caused a rally. The close was easy with May the same as last night at 47⅜@47½c.

Cash houses fed out all the oats the pit would take. May opened ⅛c higher to a shade lower at 34⅛@¼ to 34¼c and receded to 34c.

Provisions went sharply higher, scarcely any being on sale and commission houses competing to purchase. Higher prices for hogs formed an incentive for the advance. First sales were 5c to 32½c up with May at $17.45 to $17.62½ for pork; $9.82½ to $9.87½ for lard, and $9.50 to $9.57½ for ribs.

Articles—	Rcpts.	Shpts.
Flour, bbls	13,100	13,100
Wheat, Bu	15,600	10,600
Corn, bu	527,500	209,200
Oats, bu	421,200	206,300
Rye, bu	2,500	......
Barley, bu	78,000	25,000

Car lot receipts: Wheat 16 cars, with 3 of contract grade; corn 316 cars, with 5 of contract grade; oats, 163 cars. Total receipts of wheat at Chicago, Minneapolis and Duluth today were 285 cars, compared with 375 cars last week and 173 cars the corresponding day a year ago.

Cash close: Wheat—No. 2 red, 91¼@91½c; No. 3 red, 92@94c; No. 2 hard, 95@96c; No. 3 hard, 92@94c; No. 1 northern, $1.08@1.10; No. 2 northern, $1.05@1.09; No. 3 northern, $1.04@1.08; No. 2 spring, 98c@$1.06; No. 3 spring, 94c@1.05; velvet chaff, 90c@$1.01; durum, 82@93c. Corn—No. 2, 48½@49c; No. 2 white, 48½@49c; No. 2 yellow, 51@51½c; No. 3, 48@48½c; No. 3 new, 45@45¼c; No. 3 white, 48@48½c; No. 3 white, new, 45@45¼c; No. 3 yellow, 50½@51c; No. 3 yellow, new, 45½@46c. No. 4, 47@47½c; No. 4 new, 42¾@43¼c; No. 4 white, 47@47½c; No. 4 white, new, 42¾@43¼c; No. 4 yellow, 47½@48c; No. 4 yellow, new, 44@44½c. Oats—No. 2 white, 33¼@33½c; No. 3 white, 32½@33c; No. 4 white, 31¾@32¼c; standard, 32¾@33c. Rye—Cash, 81½c. Barley—Cash, 60@89c. Timothy—Cash, $8.00@9.75; March, $10.25. Clover—Cash, $10.00@14.00; March, $15.00.

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Dec	.92	.92	.91⅜	.91⅜
May	.96-¼	.96⅜-½	.95¾	.95¾-⅞
July	.93½	.93⅝-¾	.93	.03-⅛
Corn—				
Dec	.45½	.46-⅛	.45¼	.45¾
May	.47¼-½	.47¾	.47¼	.47⅜-½
July	.48⅛	.48½	.47⅞-48	.48⅛
Oats—				
Dec	.31⅜	.31¾	-.31⅜	.31⅝
May	.34⅛-¼	.34¼-⅜	.34	.34⅛-¼
July	.34⅛	.34⅛	.33⅞	.34⅛
Mess Pork, per bbl—				
Jan	18.50	18.75	18.50	18.75
May	17.45-62½	17.75	17.45	17.70
Lard, per 100 lb—				
Jan	9.97½	10.17½	9.97½	10.10
May	9.82½-87½	9.92½	9.82½	9.92½
Short Ribs, per 100 lb—				
Jan	9.87½	9.95	9.77½	9.95
May	9.50-97½	9.62½	9.50	9.62½

THE MINNEAPOLIS MARKET.

Slightly Easier Tone Rules in Wheat—Price Range Narrow.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 9.—A slightly easier tone ruled in wheat. The market was in very narrow range. Moderate selling just at the weakness. December closed ⅜c lower than yesterday, May ⅝c lower and July ⅝c lower. Local elevator stocks increased 260,000 bushels for the week, making in store in all regular and six private elevators, 12,088,000 bushels.

Minneapolis today received 290 cars of wheat against 103 a year ago; Duluth, 79 against 60 and Winnipeg 220 against 133. December wheat opened $1.01⅜, high $1.01½, low $1.00⅞, closed $1.00⅞; May opened $1.04⅜, high $1.04⅝, low $1.03⅞, closed $1.03⅞@1.04; July opened $1.05⅜, high $1.05⅜, low $1.04¾, closed $1.04¾.

Cash wheat was in good demand at slightly easier prices. Inquiry continued excellent for choice milling grades and slow for the lower varieties. No. 1 northern sold for ¾@1½c under May. Closing: No. 1 hard, $1.03½; No. 1 northern, $1.02@1.03; to arrive, $1.02@1.03; No. 2 northern, 99¼c@$1.01½; to arrive, 99¼c@$1.01½; No. 3 wheat, 98c@$1.01; No. 3 yellow, corn, 42@43c; No. 3 white, oats, 30½@31½c; No. 2 rye, 76½@77½c.

Millstuffs — Shipments, 2,005 tons. Market strong with no quotable change. Bran in 100-pound sacks, $20.50@21.

The flour market showed no change. Demand only fair at best. Prices unchanged. Shipments, 39,613 bbl. First patents, $4.85@5.85; second patents, $4.75@5.25; first clears, $3.30@3.65; second clears, $2.25@2.85.

Flax—Receipts, 16; year ago, 6; shipments, 1 car. Demand good for both spot and to arrive at 1c over the Duluth December contract, closing $2.43.

Barley—Receipts, 66 cars; year ago, 9; shipments, 29. Liberal offerings and not quite as active a demand made the barley market a trifle easier. Inquiry best for malting grades. Prices 1 to 2c lower than yesterday, closing range, 66@84c.

New York Grain.

New York, Dec. 9.—Close: Wheat—December 96¾c; May, $1.03⅛; July, $1.00.

Corn December, 54¾c; May, 55¼c.

Liverpool Grain.

Liverpool, Dec. 9.—Closing: Wheat—Spot strong; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 3d; futures quiet; December, 6s 9⅛d; March, 6s 11¼d; May, 6s 11⅝d. Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, 5s 4d; futures quiet; January, 4s 4⅝d; February, 4s 3½d.

THE COPPER STOCKS.

The following are the closing quotations of copper stocks at Boston today, reported by Paine, Webber & Co., 316 West Superior street:

STOCKS—	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Copper	63⅞	64
Anaconda	39¾	sale
Adventure	6½	7
Anmeek	170	190
Allouez	38	40
American Telephone	141¼	141¾
American Zinc	26½	26¾
Atlantic	5⅞	7
Arcadian	3⅜	3¾
Arizona Commercial	14¾	15
Butte Ballaklava	7½	7¾
Boston Corbin	13½	13¾
Black Mountain	8c	15c
Butte Coalition	18	18⅞
Calumet & Arizona	47	47¾
Calumet & Hecla	530	535
Centennial	16	17
Consolidated Mercur	5c	8c
Copper Range	66¾	67¼
Daly West	3½	3⅞
Davis Daly	1⅜	1⅝
East Butte	12¼	12½
Franklin	9¾	10
First National	1 13-16	1 15-16
Giroux	6⅝	6⅞
Granby	38½	40
Greene Cananea	6⅞	7
Hancock Cons	21½	22½
Helvetia	1¾	2
Indiana	12	12½
Isle Royale	17	18
Keweenaw	2⅞	3⅛
Lake Copper	33½	33¾
La Salle	7¼	7¾
Mass. Cons.	7¼	8
Mass. Gas	88¼	88¾
Miami Copper	19⅝	19¾
Michigan	3½	4
Mohawk	45	46
Nevada Cons.	18⅞	19
Nevada-Utah	93	97
North Lake	6⅝	6⅞
Nipissing	10¾	11
North Butte	29½	29¾
Ojibway	6⅜	6½
Old Dominion	37	......
Osceola	123	125
Parrot	......	12¼
Pneu. Ser	4½	5
Quincy	70	73
Ray Cons	18½	18⅞
Shannon	11¼	11½
Shoe Mch	54½	55
Supr. Boston	5⅞	6
Supr. Copper	42	43
Supr. & Pitts.	13½	13⅝
Tamarack	54	.....
Trinity	4⅞	5
United Fruit	196½	197
United States Mining	32½	32¾
do pfd	46	46⅛
Utah Apex	2	3
Utah Consolidated	13	13¼
Utah Copper	45⅝	45⅞
Victoria	2¼	2⅜
Winona	8⅞	9
Wolverine	119	120
Wyandot	1½	2
Yukon Gold	4	4⅛
Bohemia	3	2½
Begole	1½	2½
Boston Ely	1	1 1-16
Cactus	21	23
Chemung	7¼	......
Cliff	1½	1⅝
Chief Cons.	1 9-16	1⅝
Cobalt Central	8	11
Chino	21⅝	21⅞
Goldfield Consolidated	8½	8⅝
Inspiration	9¾	9⅜
La Rose	4½	4⅝
Live Oak	22½	24
Ohio Copper	2	2 1-16
Oneco	2	2 1-16
Ray Central	1⅞	1 15-16
Rawhide Coalition	4	5
Shattuck	22½	sale
South Lake	6½	7
Yuma	20c	25c

Cotton Market.

New York, Dec. 9.—The cotton market opened steady at an advance of 2@6 points, in sympathy with better cables than expected and reports of a big trade demand in Liverpool, but there was heavy selling on the bulge, much of it coming from brokers supposed to be operating for leading bulls, and the market showed a very nervous undertone while waiting the government's estimate this afternoon. Prices sold off to about the closing figures of yesterday during the middle of the morning.

Futures closed firm; closing bids: December, 14.84; January, 14.87; February, 14.98; March, 15.14; April, 15.17; May, 15.30; June 15.28; July, 15.28; August, 14.98. Cotton, spot, closed steady, 30 points advance; middling uplands, 15.10; middling gulf, 15.35. Sales, 7,300 bales.

New York Money.

New York, Dec. 9.—Money on call 3@3½ per cent; ruling rate, 3¼ per cent; closing bid, 3¼ per cent; offered at 3⅜ per cent; time loans, dull; sixty days and ninety days offered, 4 per cent; six months offered at 4 per cent. Close: Prime mercantile papers closed, 5@5½ per cent; sterling exchange, steady, at decline with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.82.25@4.82.30 for sixty-day bills, and at $4.85.40 for demand. Commercial bills, $4.81¾@4.82⅛. Bar silver, 54⅝c; Mexican dollars, 46c; government and railroad bonds, firm.

Chicago Livestock.

Chicago, Dec. 9.—Cattle — Receipts estimated at 3,000; market steady; beeves, $4.40@7.20; Texas steers, $4.10@5.80; western sters, $4.10@6.20; stockers and feeders, $3.25@5.60; cows and heifers, $2.25@6.10; calves, $7.00@9.00. Hogs—Receipts estimated at 18,000; market generally 10c higher; light, $7.25@7.65; mixed, $7.25@7.65; heavy, $7.25@7.65; rough, $7.25@7.40; good to choice, heavy, $7.40@7.65; pigs, $6.75@7.55; bulk of sales, $7.45@7.60. Sheep—Receipts estimated at 10,000; market strong to 10c higher; native, $2.50@4.40; western, $2.75@4.40; yearlings, $4.25@5.50; lambs, native, $4.25@6.50; western, $4.75@6.50.

South St. Paul Livestock.

South St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 9.—Cattle—Receipts, 600; market generally steady; unchanged. Hogs—Receipts, 4,500; market [illegible]; range $7.30@7.45; bulk, $7.40@7.45. Sheep—Receipts, 1,000; strong to 25c higher; sheep, $1.00@4.75; lambs, $4.00@6.10.

ADVANCES IN STOCKS

Decision in Temple Iron Company Case Has Favorable Effect.

Rise Is Well Maintained and Close Is Active and Strong.

New York, Dec. 9.—The decision of the United States circuit court in Pennsylvania in the case of Temple Iron company, declaring the corporation illegal, but otherwise sustaining the rights of the coal companies which control it, was evidently favorably construed in Wall street today. Opening prices, particularly of the coal carriers, showed various substanial advances, Lehigh Valley advancing 2¾ and Reading 2½ in the early trading. Elsewhere in the list, gains ranged from a point to material fractions on fairly heavy trading.

About a score of stocks including Union Pacific, Southern Pacific, Northern Pacific, New York Central, Rock Island, Erie, United States Steel and American Smelting, moved up 1 to 1½ before there was enough stock dumped on the market to drive prices back. St. Louis Southwestern preferred opened up 3 points despite the cut in the dividend, but Missouri Pacific was sold and lost 3. On the reaction Lehigh Valley lost 1½, Southern Pacific 1¼ and Reading and Union Pacific 1.

A close study of the points involved in the Temple Iron decision seemed to lead to the conclusion that the outcome was not wholly favorable to the railroads. Although it is true that the holding of these companies on the percentage basis of production are not affected, it is possible that so little ingenuity may have to be exercised to find some new method of coal distributions. The market became dull in the second hour but grew more active toward mid-day, and prices returned to near their earlier high level, but did not hold very well. Bonds were steady.

The market closed active and strong. The heaviness of the early afternoon gave way to general improvement in the final hour and prices hardened all around. Renewal of gold imports rumors probably was a factor in the advance. Trading became inactive again at the higher level, but advances were pretty well maintained to the close.

New York stock quotations furnished The Herald by Piper, Johnson & Case, Alworth building.

STOCKS—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amalgamated	63¼	64¼	63¼	64⅛
American Sugar	114	115⅛	114	115⅛
American Car Foundry	49⅝	50	49⅝	50
American Locomotive	35½	.....	.....	35½
American Smelters	73⅝	74½	73½	74⅛
Anaconda	40	40	39¾	39¾
Atchison	100	105⅞	105⅛	105⅞
Baltimore & Ohio	105¾	105⅞	105½	105⅛
*Brooklyn Rapid Transit	73⅝	74⅛	73¾	74⅛
Central Leather	30½	30¾	30¼	30¼
†Chesapeake & Ohio	79½	80¼	79⅝	80
C., M. & St. Paul	122	122¾	121¾	122¾
Canadian Pacific	192¾	192¾	192⅜	192¾
Denver & Rio Grande	28⅛	28⅜	28⅛	28⅜
Distillers	31⅞	32⅛	31⅞	32⅜
Erie	27⅜	28⅛	27⅜	28⅛
do 1st pfd	43⅛	44⅞	43⅜	44⅜
do 2nd pfd	33⅜	34	33½	34
Great Northern	121⅜	122¾	121⅜	122½
Great Northern Ore	54⅝	55	54⅝	55
Illinois Central	130	.....	.....	130
Louisville & Nashville	142¼	.....	.....	142¼
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	30⅞	31¼	30⅞	31¼
Missouri Pacific	45½	46	44⅝	45½
New York Central	111½	112⅛	111½	112
Northern Pacific	114½	114¾	114¼	114¾
Pennsylvania	128½	129	128⅛	128¾
Peoples Gas	104⅛	.....	.....	104⅛
Pressed Steel Car	30	30¾	30	30¾
Republic Steel & Iron	30¾	.....	.....	30¾
Rock Island	30½	30½	29⅞	30½
Reading	146@146½	147⅜	146¼	147⅜
Soo Line	128⅝	.....	.....	128⅝
Southern Railway	24⅜	24¾	24⅜	24¾
do pfd	59	.....	.....	59
Southern Pacific	113⅝	114½	113⅛	114
Tennessee Copper	34⅛	35	34⅛	35
Union Pacific	168⅞	169⅝	168½	169¾
Utah Copper	45½	45¾	45½	45½
U. S. Steel	72½	73⅛	72⅜	73⅛
do pfd	115⅞	116	115⅞	116
Wabash	15⅜	15¾	15½	15½
do pfd	33⅜	33⅜	33	33

*Ex-dividend of 1¼ per cent.
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Duluth Securities.

SECURITIES—	Bid.	Asked.
First National Bank	400	....
American Exchange National Bank	325	....
City National Bank	130	....
Northern National Bank	125	....
St. Louis County State Bank	180	....
Western State Bank	140	....
Duluth-Superior Traction Co.	69	70
do pfd	65	72
Duluth Street Railway, 1st g. 5s 30 M & N. A	96	100
Duluth Edison Electric, 1st g. s. f. 5s March, 1931, op. M. & S. A	98	100
Great Northern Power Co. bonds	80	....
American Carbolite, par $1	2.85	3.25
Zenith Furnace Co.	85	100

THE PRODUCE MARKETS.

CALIFORNIA ORANGES—	
Extra fancy navels, 126's to 250's, box	$3.25
Extra fancy navels, 80's to 90's, box	3.00
Pomegranets, half box	1.75
FLORIDA GRAPEFRUIT—	
54's and 64's, box	4.75
80's and 96's, box	4.50
CALIFORNIA LEMONS—	
Extra fancy, box, 300's and 360's	5.50
Imported limes, box	1.25
FRUITS—	
California grapes, crate	2.00
California pears, box	3.50
Malaga grapes, keg	5.00
Cuban pineapples, crate	5.00
Cuban pineapples, doz	2.00
APPLES—	
Illinois Ben Davis, bbl	4.50
New York Baldwins, bbl	4.50
New York Nonesuch, bbl	5.00
New York Kings, bbl	5.25
Jonathans, box	2.10
Roman Beauties, box	2.25
Newton Pippins, box	2.10
Wine Saps, box	2.25
Baldwins and Greenings, box	2.10
Wagners, box	2.10
Ben Davis, box	1.50
Ben Davis, fancy, box	1.75
Wealthys, box	1.50
Kentish fall baskets, box	1.75
TOMATOES—	
California, crate	1.90
California, basket	.50
CRANBERRIES—	
Cape Cod, bu crate	2.75
Jersey Jumbo, bbl	9.50
CIDER—	
New York, keg	3.50
New York, bbl	6.00
New York, 50-gal cask, per gal	.22
FRUIT JUICES—	
Orange, keg	3.50
Raspberry, keg	3.50
Cherry, keg	3.50
Grape, keg	3.50
Cider, keg	3.50
BANANAS—	
Bananas, per lb	.04
BUTTER—	
Fancy, creamery, per lb	.31
Dairy, per lb	.26
Packing, per lb	.20
CHEESE—	
Fancy full cream, twins, per lb	.17
Block Swiss, per lb, No. 1	.19
Primost cheese, per lb	.12
Wheel Swiss, per lb	.19
EGGS—	
Eggs, per doz	.27
PEANUTS—	
Fancy, raw, per lb	[illegible]
Fancy, roasted, sacks, per lb	[illegible]
Fancy, roasted, box	[illegible]
Salted peanuts	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
Fancy Jumbos, roasted, per lb	[illegible]
MAPLE SYRUP—	
Vermont, per gal	[illegible]
MAPLE SUGAR—	
[illegible], per lb	[illegible]
POP CORN—	
Snowball pop corn, 40-pkg box	[illegible]
Pop corn, on the cob	[illegible]
Pop corn, shelled	.04
HONEY—	
Colorado white clover, per case, 24's	4.00
CABBAGE—	
Home grown cabbage, per ton	20.00
Home grown cabbage, per crate, large	1.50
Holland cabbage, fresh and fine, per cwt	1.20
POTATOES—	
Potatoes, per bu	58@ .60
Jersey sweets, per bu	4.75
ONIONS—	
Onions, red, 100-lb sack	2.00
White pickling, box	1.50
Yellow, 100 lb	2.00
Spanish onions, per crate	1.50
NUTS—	
Walnuts, New California, 110-lb sack, per lb	.17
Filberts, Sicily, per lb	.14
Brazils, extra large, per lb	.12
Pecans, extra fancy polished, per lb	.15
Almonds, Taragania, per lb	.17
Mixed nuts, 100-lb and 50-lb boxes, lb, new	.12
Cocoanuts, per doz	.70
New hickory nuts, large or small, per lb	.09
Pecans, halves, shelled, extra fancy, 5-lb cartons, per lb	.50
Walnuts, shelled, extra fancy, 5-lb cartons, lb	.40
Almonds, shelled, extra fancy, 5-lb cartons, lb	.42
DATES AND FIGS—	
Hallowi dates, 70-lb boxes, new	5.00
Hallowi dates, 30 packages, per box	2.40
Fard dates, 12-lb boxes, new	1.35
Sugar walnut dates, 9-lb boxes	1.25
New California figs, 12-pkg box, per box	.00
New Smyrna figs, 5-crown, 12-lb box, per box	1.25
New Smyrna figs, 7-crown, 35-lb box, per box	4.25
FRESH VEGETABLES—	
Lettuce, leaf, per bu box	1.00
Lettuce, head, Boston, extra fancy, bu	2.50
Onions, green, per doz	.75
Onions, green, shallots, large bunches, doz	.75
Parsely, home grown, per doz	.35
Garlic, new, Italian, per lb	.15
Caulifiower, California, per crate	2.75
Spinach, home grown, per bu	1.00
Round radishes, hothouse, large bunches, doz	.80
Hothouse cucumbers, per doz (scarce)	2.40
Tomatoes, California, ripe, fancy, per crate	1.90
Green peppers, hothouse, per basket	.50
Celery, Milwaukee, small bunches, per doz	.30
Celery, Milwaukee, per case of 12 dozen	3.50
Celery, California, in crates of 6 to 7 dozen, per crate	4.50
Celery, California, extra Jumbo, per bunch	.75
Hubard squash, per doz	1.75
Endive, New Orleans, per bbl	6.50
ROOTS—	
Table beets, per cwt	1.75
Table bagas, per cwt	1.00
Horse radish root, per bbl	7.00
Horse radish, per lb	.10
Table carrots, per cwt	1.75
Table parsnips, per tub	1.50
MEATS—	
Beef, per lb	6½@ .09
Mutton, per lb	.08
Pork loins, per lb	12½@ .13½
Veal, per lb	9@ .10½
Lambs, per lb	.11
Lard, per lb	.11
DRESSED POULTRY—	
Hens, fancy, fat, per lb	.14½
Hens, small, per lb	12@ .13
Springs, per lb	.15
Turkeys, per lb	.22
Ducks, per lb	17@ .18
Geese, per lb	.14
LIVE POULTRY—	
Hens, per lb	13@ .14
Small hens, per lb	.12
Springs, per lb	.13
Turkeys, per lb	16½@ .17
Ducks, per lb	14@ .15
Geese, per lb	14@ .15
HAY AND STRAW—	
Choice timothy, per ton	$17.50@18.00
No. 1 choice timothy, per ton	16.50@17.00
No. 2 choice timothy, per ton	14.00@15.00
No. 1 mixed timothy, per ton	14.00@15.00
No. 2 mixed timothy, per ton	12.00@13.00
No. 1 upland, per ton	14.00@14.50
No. 2 upland, per ton	12.00@13.00
No. 1 middling, per ton	10.00@12.00
No. 2 middling, per ton	8.00@ 9.00
Rye straw, per ton	6.50@ 7.00
Oat straw, per ton	6.50@ 7.00
HOLIDAY GREENS—	
Wreathing, doz	1.75
Coils, each	1.10

Chicago.

Chicago, Dec. 8.—Butter—Steady; creameries, 23@28c; dairies, 23@27c. Eggs—Steady; receipts, 1,420 cases; at mark, cases included, 19½@22½c; firsts, 31c; prime firsts, 33c. Cheese—Market steady; daisies, 14¾@15c; twins, 14@14¼c; young Americas, 14½@14¾c; long horns, 14½@15c. Potatoes—Market firm; choice to fancy, 45@48c; fair to good, 38@43c. Poultry—Market easy; turkeys, live, 17c; dressed, 22c; fowls, live, 11c, dressed, 13c; springs, live, 10c, dressed, 12c. Veal—Market steady; 50 to 60-lb weights, 9@10c; 60 to 85-lb weights, 11@11½c; 85 to 110-lb weights, 12c.

New York.

New York, Dec. 9.—Butter—Market firm; receipts, 4,850; creamery specials, 31c; extras, 29½@30c; third to firsts, 23@28c; held, creamery, second to special, 24½@33½c; state dairy, common to finest, 23@29c; process, second to special, 23@26c; imitation creamery, first, 24@25c; factory, June make, first, 23@24c; same, current make, 22@23c. Eggs—Market firm and unchanged; receipts, 6,408; state, Pennsylvania and nearby hennery white, fancy, 55c; same, gathered, white, 40@50c; same, hennery, brown, fancy, 45@48c; same, gathered, brown, 42@45c; same, fair to good, 35@40c; western, gathered, white, 34@44c; fresh gathered, extra firsts, 38@40c; same, firsts, 35@37c; refrigerator, special mark, fancy, in local storage, 26c; same, first, 24½@25½c; same, second, 23½@24c. Cheese—Market steady and unchanged; receipts, 2,223; state whole milk, September quality, specials, 15¾@17¼c; same, fancy, colored, 15½c; same, fancy, white, 15½c; same, choice, 14¾@15¼c; same, October quality, fine, 14@14½c; same, current make, fair, 13¼c; same, common, 12½@13c; skims, 2@13c.

HIDES, TALLOW AND FURS.

GREEN SALTED HIDES—	No. 1.	No. 2.
G. S. steer, over 60 lb	$ .11½	$ .10½
G. S. steers, 25 lb and up and steers under 60 lb	.09½	.08½
G. S. lon haired kips, 8 to 25 lb	.10	.08½
G. S. veal kips, 5 to 25 lb	.14	.12½
G. S. Deacon skins, under 8 lb	.80	.70
G. S. horsehides	3.50	2.50
DRY SALTED—		
Dry flint hides, over 15 lb	.16	...
Dry Minnesota, Dakota, Wisconsin and Iowa hides	.15	.13
Murrains	.15½	...
Dry kid	.18	.16
Dry salted calf, under 5 lb, all sections	.21	.21
TALLOW AND GREASE—		
Tallow, in cakes	.06½	.05¾
Tallow, in bbl	.06	.05
Grease	.05½	.03¾

FURS—	Large.	Medium.	Small.
Skunk, black	$4.50	$3.50	$2.50
Skunk, short stripe	3.00	2.50	2.00
Skunk, long narrow stripe	2.50	2.00	1.50
Skunk, broad stripe and white	1.00	.75	.50
Muskrat, spring	.70@80	....	....
Muskrat, winter	.85@64	....	.41@40
Muskrat, fall	.41@40	....	.25@24
Muskrat, kits	....	.10@08	.25@24
Raccoon	3.10	2.10	1.60
Mink, dark and brown	7.50	5.50	4.00
Mink, pale	6.00	4.00	3.00
Beaver	7.50	6.00	3.25
Cat, wild	5.00	3.75	2.50
Fisher, dark	20.00	15.00	10.00
Fisher, pale	12.00	9.00	7.00
Fox, red	10.00	7.00	5.00
Fox, gray	2.00	1.30	1.00
Lynx	30.00	25.00	12.00
Marten, dark	20.00	15.00	10.00
Marten, dark brown	10.00	7.00	4.50
Marten, light br. and pale	6.00	4.25	3.00
Weasel, white	1.00	.50	.25
Weasel, stained, damaged	.25	.15	.10
Wolf, timber	6.50	4.50	3.00
Wolf, brush, cased	4.00	3.00	2.00
Wolf, open	3.25	2.40	1.60
Wolf, coyote, cased	3.50	2.50	1.05
Bear, blk., br., grizzle	17.50@25	14@20	10@15
Bear, yearlings	12.50@15	9@12	7@10
Bear, cub	7.00@10	4.50@ 7	2.50@ 4
Fox, blk. and silver gray	.80@450	55@350	35@130
Otter, dark and pale	15@20	10@15	7@10

Badger, civet and house cat, cross and kit fox, mountain lion, opossum and wolverine command market prices. The above prices are for Prime No. 1 skins. Nos. 2, 3 and 4 in proportion. Wisconsin and Mississippi river heavy muskrat, 3@5c higher; kits, 2c higher.

WASHINGTON TAKE NOTICE.

Queen: The municipal service of Paris is at present thinking of granting fewer permissions for the erection of statues in and about the city. Its first step toward this reform will be to demand that every proposed monument be first approved by a commission of artists. Hitherto the sculptor's design was not examined prior to acceptance of the proposed monument, and the space for it was granted without [illegible] if the person to be honored was considered worthy.

A municipal councilor whose opinion carries some weight has suggested that most of the ugly and very unnecessary modern statuary which fills all the gardens of Paris and crowds the population of the pavements in the streets and public squares be removed to the new gardens which are about to be laid out on the former fortifications, and the grounds, being designed with a view to holding them, will not be disfigured as are the Parc Monceau, the Luxembourg, the Place du Carrousel, the Champs Elysees, and the Cours la Reine, which were not planned for them.

FIRST AID TO NATIONS.

Some Instances Where the Powers Rule Countries That Can't Rule Themselves.

Answers: Liberia, the Black Republic on the west coast of Africa, has proved itself unable to manage its own affairs. The country is populated by freed slaves from America, and that is why the United States have offered to take entire charge of Liberian finances, and to put the country on the way to becoming prosperous.

It is not the first time that the Yankee has stepped in to straighten out the tangle in which a nation has become involved. The Spanish-American war was caused by the unsatisfactory condition of Cuba. Uncle Jonathan, after the fight was over, took charge of the Cuban "shop." He introduced sanitary methods throughout the island, and thereby lowered the death rate. Prisons were reformed, free schools were established and, in many practical ways, the route was prepared for self-government for Cuba. In 1902 the republic was established, and the Cubans are now on a fair way to becoming a model nation.

There have been many remarks made, in consequence of the failure of Liberia, that the negroes particularly can not look after themselves; but it is a wrong conclusion to draw. European races have proved themselves just as capable of becoming bankrupt. Russia, for instance, has more than once had to repudiate her debts, and many people think that her attempts at ruling are failures, even now.

Early in 1830 Greece was declared independent, after some years of fighting against Turkish rule. The Greeks tried to govern themselves by means of a national assembly, but failed in a very short time. Then they decided to become a monarchy, and asked Otho, the second son of Louis I., of Bavaria, to be their king. The powers stepped in, reorganized the state of affairs, guaranteed the loan of 2,500,000 pounds, and, generally speaking, "set up" the country.

Greece's troubles were, however, by no means, at an end. King Otho proved a despot, and in 1854 France and England were forced to stop him and his subjects from going to war with Russia against their old enemy, Turkey. Eight years later Otho was deposed. The Greeks called in Prince George, the son of the king of Denmark, to rule them. Since then their affairs have slowly improved, though the war that broke out with Turkey in 1897 showed how badly organized the whole country was.

If Greece had set a bad example to other nations, Egypt followed, and set a worse. In 1875 the public debt had reached the astounding total of $91,000,000, and before the dawn of another year the country was bankrupt. So hopelessly involved were Egyptian finances that England and France took charge, and proceeded to make things ship-shape.

ODD MASONIC LODGE ROOM.

The only natural lodge room in the world is on the summit of Owl's Head mountain at Lake Memphremagog, Canada, says the Masonic Bulletin. Here, in a great ravine, at an elevation of 2,480 feet above the level of the lake, situated due east and west and surrounded by massive rocks that afford perfect seclusion, is a lodge that seems as if hewn by the hand of nature for the use to which it is put.

The rocks offer suitable watch towers from which sentinels can readily observe the approach of eavesdroppers should any by rare chance pass that way.

In such a spot as this, with only the blue dome of heaven overhead and the impenetrable walls on both sides Masons of today imitate the habit of their ancient brethren, who, tradition says, met in just such places to perform the ceremonies of the craft.

The spot is not easy of access. The ascent is difficult and at all times hazardous, though at dangerous points, whenever a meeting of the brethren occurs, ropes are stretched for the climbers.

This unusual lodge room has been in use for half a century. Golden Rule Lodge No. 5, of Stanstead, Que., was in 1857 granted a dispensation to open and hold a lodge once in every year on this mountain top the first meeting being held July 24, 1857.

The original dispensation for this purpose was granted by William M. Wilson, the first Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Canada, and in 1869 the dispensation was indorsed and confirmed by John H. Graham, the first Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Quebec. It is the only lodge in existence, it is said, that has a warrant for holding regular meetings on a mountain top.

Notice of Dividend.

Calumet & Arizona Mining company has declared dividend of One Dollar ($1.00) a share, payable December 19th, 1910, to the stockholders of record December 9th, 1910.

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UNION STATION—Superior St. and Sixth Ave. West.

Leave.		TWIN PORTS EXPRESS.	Arrive.	
†7.00 am	*7.00 pm	DULUTH	*9.00 am	†5.30 pm
7.30 am	7.30 pm	Superior	8.30 am	5.00 pm
2.45 pm	10.40 pm	Ladysmith	5.15 am	10.50 am
Arrive 10.30 am		Sault Ste. Marie	5.20 pm Leave.	
†5.10 pm	11.45 pm	Owens	4.00 am	†7.55 am
For Eau Claire and Chippewa Falls	3.49 am	Oshkosh	12.01 am	From Eau Claire and Chippewa Falls
	7.15 am	Milwaukee	8.50 pm	
	*9.00 am	Chicago	*7.00 pm	

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Leave.		BROOTEN EXPRESS	Arrive.	
	†5.45 am	Duluth	†9.00 pm	
†7.00 am	6.15 am	Superior	8.30 pm	†5.00 pm
10.00 am	8.22 am	Moose Lake	6.20 pm	12.35 pm
3.10 pm	10.20 am	Wahkon	4.42 pm	7.26 am
†4.00 pm	10.50 am	Onamia	4.25 pm	†6.45 am
	†1.20 pm	Brooten	†1.45 pm	

Connections at Brooten for Twin Cities, Western Canada and the Pacific Coast.

Leave.	DULUTH-WINNIPEG LINE.	Arrive.
† 9.30 am	Duluth	† 6.00 pm
10.05 am	Superior	5.25 pm
11.25 am	Moose Lake	4.05 pm
4.00 pm	Cass Lake	11.30 am
4.37 pm	Bemidji	10.53 am
7.30 pm	Thief River Falls	8.00 am

Connections at Thief River Falls for Winnipeg.

Leave.	CUYUNA RANGE LINE.	Arrive.
† 7.20 am	Duluth	† 6.40 pm
7.55 am	Superior	6.05 pm
9.50 am	Lawler	4.10 pm
10.02 am	East Lake	3.58 pm
10.24 am	Darina	3.35 pm
10.35 am	Roseberg	3.25 pm
10.48 am	Aitkin	3.12 pm
11.45 am	Iron Hub	2.55 pm
Arrive. 11.15 am	DEERWOOD	2.40 pm Leave.
†11.37 am	Cuyuna	† 2.08 pm
12.05 pm	Crosby	2.00 pm

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Leave.		Arrive.
*7.40 am	Hibbing, Chisholm, Virginia, Eveleth, Coleraine, Sharon (Buhl), †Mount'n Iron, †Sparta, †Biwabik	*3.21 pm
*3.50 pm	Hibbing, Chisholm, Sharon (Buhl), Virginia, Eveleth, Coleraine	*10.31 am
*7.10 pm	Virginia, Cook, Ranier, Fort Frances, Port Arthur, Baudette, Warroad, Winnipeg	*8.31 pm

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Leave.		Arrive.
*4.00 pm	Ashland and East	*11.15 am
*8.00 am	Ashland and East	*6.40 pm
*7.30 pm	Minn. and Dakota Express	*8.15 am
*8.05 am	North Coast Limited	*6.25 pm
Leave.	"Duluth Short Line"	Arrive.
†9.00 am		*6.30 am
*1.55 pm	ST. PAUL	†2.05 pm
*11 10 pm	MINNEAPOLIS	*7.00 pm

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Lv*3.30pm	*6.15pm	Duluth	Ar*8.25am	*12.59pm
Lv*3.50pm	6.35pm	Superior	Ar 7.53am	12.25pm
Ar	7.45am	Milwaukee	Lv 7.45pm	
Ar 7.00am	8.15am	Chicago	Lv 6.25pm	10.10pm
Lv†8.50am	*4.35pm	Duluth	Ar†3.35pm	*9.55pm
Lv 9.10am	4.55pm	Superior	Ar 3.05pm	9.35pm
Ar 4.30pm	9.50pm	St. Paul	Lv 8.10am	4.30pm
Ar 5.05pm	10.25pm	Minneapolis	Lv 7.30am	4.00pm

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Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic.

No. 6.	No. 8.		No. 7.	No. 5.
†7.45 am	*5.00 pm Lv	Duluth	Ar *10.30 am	†4.55 pm
†8.05 am	*5.15 pm	Superior	*10.15 am	†4.35 pm
†2.55 pm	*5.40 am Ar	Houghton	Lv *11.05 pm	
†4.55 pm	*6.30 am	Calumet	*10.15 pm	
†7.05 pm	*3.50 am	Ishpeming	*12.20 pm	†6.20 am
†7.45 pm	*4.30 am	Marquette	*11.30 pm	†5.15 am
	*10.15 am	Sault Ste. Marie	*5.30 pm	
	*8.00 am	Montreal	*9.50 pm	
	*8.15 am	Boston	*10.00 pm	
†1.50 am	*7.10 pm Lv	Montreal Ar	*7.30 am	†10.15 pm
†1.00 pm	*7.18 am Ar	New York	*7.00 pm	†6.45 am

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Leave.	STATIONS.	Arrive.
†6.00 am	ST. PAUL	†10.15 pm
*3.25 pm	and	*1.55 pm
*11.10 pm	MINNEAPOLIS	*6.30 am
*8.45 am	Crookston, Grand Forks,	*6.35 pm
*8.55 pm	Montana and Coast	*7.15 am
†2.20 pm	Swan River, Hibbing, Virginia	†12.30 pm
†6.00 am	St. Cloud, Willmar, Sioux City	†10.15 pm

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CITY NOTICES.

NOTICE IN CONDEMNATION PROCEEDINGS—
Office of the Board of Public Works,
City of Duluth, Minn., Dec. 8, 1910.

Notice Is Hereby Given, That the Common Council of the City of Duluth has ordered the condemnation of property as hereinafter stated, and that the City Engineer of said City has caused a plan and survey of the proposed improvement to be made to the satisfaction of the Common Council, which have been adopted by said Council, and are now on file in the office of the Board of Public Works. The Board of Public Works will meet at its office at the City Hall in said City of Duluth on the Thirtieth day of December, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, and will hear any evidence that may be presented by parties interested in the property proposed to be condemned, and will thereafter, and after viewing the premises proposed to be taken, assess and award the damages which may be occasioned by the taking of private property for the following purposes, to-wit: For easements in private property for slopes, for cuts and fills or for retaining walls, on both sides of Seventh street, Irving Place and Clover street, in said city, from Twenty-fourth avenue east to Wallace avenue.

None of the benefits resulting to real estate from such proposed improvement shall be assessed against such real estate.

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.
OLOF G. OLSON,
President.
Official:
R. MURCHISON,
Clerk of said Board.
(Seal.)
D. H., Dec. 9, 1910 D 267.

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None of the benefits resulting to real estate from such improvement shall be assessed upon such real estate.

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None of the benefits resulting to real estate from such improvement shall be assessed upon such real estate.

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.
LOF G. OLSON,
President.
Official:
R. MURCHISON,
Clerk of said Board.
(Seal.)
D. H., Dec. 9, 1910. D 269.

LEGAL NOTICES.

SUMMONS IN APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF LAND—
State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis.—ss.
District Court, Eleventh Judicial District.

In the matter of the application of A. Buchanan, to register the title to the following described real estate situated in St. Louis County, Minnesota, namely: The Southwest quarter of the Southeast quarter (SW¼ of the SE¼) of Section Thirty (30), Township Fifty (50), Range Fourteen (14) West,
Applicant.
vs.
Charles Anderson, Alfred Johnson and all other persons or parties unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real estate described in the application herein,
Defendants.

The State of Minnesota to the above named Defendants:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the application of the applicant in the above entitled proceeding and to file your answer to the said application in the office of the Clerk of said Court, in said County, within twenty (20) days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service, and, if you fail to answer the said application within the time aforesaid, the applicant in this proceeding will apply to the Court for the relief demanded therein.

WITNESS, J. P. Johnson, Clerk of said Court, and the seal thereof, at Duluth, in said County, this 25th day of November, A. D. 1910.

J. P. JOHNSON,
Clerk.
By B. G. RILLING,
Deputy.
(Seal, District Court, St. Louis County, Minn.)
S. T. HARRISON,
Attorney for Applicant,
Rooms 609-611 Torrey Bldg.,
Duluth Minn.
D. H., Nov. 25, Dec. 2 and 9, 1910.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE—
Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, made and delivered by Arthur M. Thompson and Blanche A. Thompson, his wife, mortgagors, to Hartwick O. Hanson, mortgagee, dated January 12th, 1910, and recorded in the Register of Deeds' office for St. Louis County, Minnesota, on the 27th day of January, 1910, at nine o'clock A. M., in Book 268 of Mortgages, on page 311, which said mortgage, with the debt thereby secured, was thereafter assigned by said Hartwick O. Hanson to E. A. Smith, by written instrument, dated September 20th, 1910, which said instrument was recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 1st day of December, 1910, at 2 o'clock P. M., in Book 187 of Mortgages, on page 374.

Such default consists in the non-payment of the principal sum secured by said mortgage and interest thereon. There is claimed to be due and is actually due upon said mortgage debt at the date of this notice the sum of Eighty-one and 75-100 Dollars ($81.75), principal and interest, and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover said debt or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, That under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, which has become operative by reason of the aforesaid default, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, situated in St. Louis County, Minnesota, viz.:

Lot four (4) of Section two (2) in Township fifty-six (56) North of Range thirteen (13) West of the Fourth Principal Meridian, containing forty acres and fifty hundredths, according to the Government survey thereof, which said premises, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said St. Louis County, at the Sheriff's office in the Court House in the City of Duluth, St. Louis County, Minnesota, on Monday, the 16th day of January, 1911, at ten o'clock A. M., at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt and interest, and Twenty-five Dollars ($25.00) attorney's fees, stipulated for in said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption within one year from date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated Duluth, Minnesota, December 2nd, 1910.

E. A. SMITH,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
F. C. ELSTON,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee.
Nos. 500-503 Torrey Building,
Duluth, Minnesota.
D. H., Dec. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, 1910; Jan. 6, 1911.

ORDER OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL—
State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis.—ss.
In Probate Court.
In the matter of the estate of John H. Smith, Decedent.

A certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of John H. Smith, having been presented to this court and the petition of James Wanless, being duly filed herein, representing, among other things, that said decedent, then being a resident of the county of Erie, State of New York, died testate on the 19th day of November, 1910, and that said petitioner is the executor named in said last will and testament, and praying that said instrument be allowed and admitted to probate as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued to James Wanless of Duluth, Minnesota, thereon.

IT IS ORDERED, That said petition be heard before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in Duluth, in said County, on Tuesday the 3rd day of January, 1911, at ten o'clock A. M., and all persons interested in said hearing and in said matter, are hereby cited and required at said time and place to show cause, if any there be, why said petition should not be granted.

ORDERED FURTHER, That this order be served by publication in The Duluth Herald, according to law and that a copy of this order be served on the County Treasurer of St. Louis County not less than ten days prior to said day of hearing.

Dated at Duluth, Minn., December 9th, 1910.

By the Court,
J. B. MIDDLECOFF,
Judge of Probate.
(Seal, Probate Court, St. Louis County, Minn.)
D. H. Dec. 9, 16 and 23, 1910.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE—
Default has been made in the payment of the sum of Seven Hundred Ninety-three and 75-100 ($793.75) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Antto Jaaska, Mortgagor, to The Park Place Land Company of Duluth, Mortgagee, bearing date the 1st day of December, 1896, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of St. Louis and State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of December, 1896, at 9 o'clock A. M., in Book 161 of Mortgages, on page 5.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said The Park Place Land Company of Duluth, Mortgagee, to H. F. Douglas, by written assignment dated the 24th day of December, 1896, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 28th day of December, 1896, at 8:40 o'clock A. M., in Book 132 of Mortgages, on page 148; and no action or proceeding has been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz.:

Lot Number Six (6) in Hall and Linderberg's Park Place, according to the recorded plat thereof duly recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, which said premises are situate in St. Louis County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said St. Louis County, at the Sheriff's Office in the Court House, in the City of Duluth, in said County and State, on the 31st day of December, 1910, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said mortgage indebtedness, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, attorneys' fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 15, A. D. 1910.

H. F. DOUGLAS,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
CRASSWELLER, CRASSWELLER & BLU,
Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgagee.
D. H., Nov. 18, 25, Dec. 2, 9, 16 and 23, 1910.

SUMMONS IN APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF LAND—
State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis—ss
District Court, Eleventh Judicial District.

In the matter of the application of Herbert W. Andridge to register the title to the following described real estate situated in St. Louis County, Minnesota, namely: northwest quarter of southwest quarter of the northwest quarter (NW¼ of the SW¼ of the NW¼) of section twenty-two (22) township fifty (50) range fourteen (14) west of the fourth P. M., according to the United States government survey thereof.
Applicant.
vs.
Martin Dillon, Stanislaw Gralewski, Joseph Walkowiak, Mathias Drama, Genevieve Kaminski, August Bollander, David Anderson, Andrew Kotlarek, and all other persons or parties unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real estate described in the application herein.
Defendants.

The State of Minnesota to the above named Defendants

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the application of the applicant in the above entitled proceeding and to file your answer to the said application in the office of the Clerk of said Court, in said County, within twenty (20) days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service, and, if you fail to answer the said application within the time aforesaid, the applicant in this proceeding will apply to the Court for the relief demanded therein.

Witness, J. P. Johnson, Clerk of said Court, and the seal thereof, at Duluth, in said County, this 25th day of November, A. D. 1910.

J. P. JOHNSON,
Clerk.
By B. G. RILLING,
Deputy.
(Seal of District Court, St. Louis County, Minn.)
S. T. HARRISON,
Attorney for Applicant,
Rooms 609-611 Torrey Bldg.,
Duluth Minn.
D. H., Nov. 25. Dec. 2, 9, 1910.

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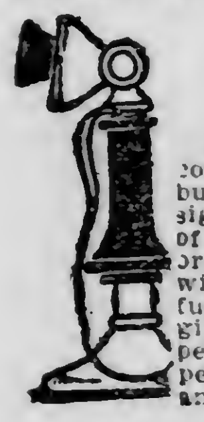

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Yale Laundry	479	479
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Troy Laundry	257	257
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Incline Hand Laundry.	1609	2021
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Eddie Jeronimus	1243	1027
Boyce	163	163
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Frank L. Young & Co.	4476	
MILLINERY—		
M. A. Cox	4576	
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Zenith City Dye works.	1888	1888
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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE — ONE GENTLEMAN'S fur-lined coat, and two ladies' fur coats, all new, will be sold for one-half of the original cost. Inquire of T. Lightfoot, 430 Manhattan building. New phone, 1598-D.

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FOR SALE—NEW SANITARY COUCH. 232 Messaba avenue; flat E.

FOR SALE—FINE BUFFALO COAT with otter collar and cuffs; large size. Address George Oldham, 215 Center street, Hibbing, Minn.

FOR SALE — UNCALLED FOR MAN'S nobby suit; good color; coat size 40, pants 39 waist, 31 leg; will cut price in two, if taken at once. Gassinger, the tailor, over Gasser's grocery store.

FOR SALE—$75 BUYS A MINERAL interest on Mesaba range. Address R 302, Herald.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE; RESIdence at Stanford University, California. X 323, Herald.

FOR SALE—$100 CASH TAKES $300 upright piano; can be seen. 221 West Superior street, room 210.

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FOR SALE—MIXED WOOD AT $1 PER cord or will deliver for $2.25 per load; Call 1015 South Seventy-second avenue west, or 'phone Zenith 1970-Y.

FOR SALE—COMPLETE FURNISHings of a five-room flat; bargain. Call after 6 p. m., or Sunday, 311 A East Sixth street.

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FOR SALE — NATIONAL CASH REGister, size No. 2, new and in good condition, will sell cheap. J 349, Herald.

FOR SALE—THREE TOTE SLEIGHS nearly new and two cutters. Mike Cronin, Sparta, Minn.

FOR SALE — FOUR HUNDRED TONS upland prairie hay at $9 per ton. F. O. B., Onaka, S. D. Call or write Townsend Bros., Northville, S. D.

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HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED — GIRLS AT MRS. SOMmers' employment office, 15 Second avenue east.

WANTED.

SALESLADIES FOR CHINA DEPARTMENT.

Apply Manager, China Department,

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WANTED.

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WANTED — A COMPETENT GIRL for general housework; must be good cook. 131 East Second street.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework; good wages. 2003 Woodland avenue, corner Hardy street.

WANTED — COMPETENT GIRL FOR general housework. 706½ East Fourth street.

WANTED—A GOOD NEAT GIRL FOR general housework; three in family. Call 110 South Sixteenth avenue east.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. 225 East Fourth street.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED GIRL to clerk in candy store. Apply at Olympia candy store.

WANTED — —GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. 218 Tenth avenue east.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework; good wages. 317 East Fourth street.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. 1911 East Third street.

WANTED—A COMPETENT GIRL FOR general housework. 1605 Jefferson street.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. 112 East Third street.

WANTED — YOUNG GIRL FOR housework in small family. 1127 East Third street.

WANTED — GIRL WHO WOULD BE willing to work for small wages for winter to help with children and upstairs work. Herald, X 287.

WANTED—COMPETENT GIRL FOR general housework. Call at 1632 East Superior street.

WANTED—COMPETENT GIRL FOR general housework. Mrs. C. A. Wright, 1420 London road.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Call Saturday morning or Sunday. No. 5 St. Elmo flats.

FOR SALE—LADIES' SERGE SUIT, $6; black broadcloth coat, $3, size 34. B 1, Herald.

WANTED — 500 PEOPLE TO KNOW that we are placing on sale factory samples of jewelry; 100 jewel cases, 500 white stone hat pins, 100 back combs, 300 rings, full line cut glass and holiday goods. Keystone Loan company, 22 W. Sup. St.

WANTED — WOMAN COOK — ALSO kitchen girl who understands something about cooking. Astoria hotel.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER. WRITE, stating age and experience. Herald, A 514.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework, no small children, 1203 East Fourth street.

WANTED TO RENT.

WANTED TO RENT — ABOUT 150 square feet floor space for heavy storage; central. Y 293. Herald.

DYE WORKS.

ZENITH CITY DYE WORKS—LARgest and most reliable. All work done in Duluth. Work called for and delivered. 'Phones: Old 1154-R; new 1888. 232 East Superior street.

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HELP WANTED—MALE.

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Fairly competent bookkeeper and office manager; permanent position and good salary to the right party. Address O 361, Herald.

WANTED.

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WANTED — 500 MEN TO SEE OUR unredeemed pledges; 150 men's overcoats and fur coats, fifty rifles. Keystone Loan company, 22 W. Sup. St.

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WANTED—FIRE INSURANCE AND real estate solicitors, by an old and established company. Address B. X. D. Herald.

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WANTED — IF YOU ARE MAKING less than $60 per week, we want you to call at the St. Louis hotel on Saturday, Dec. 17, and ask for our Mr. John F. Knisely, who will tell you how you can make that amount. No experience or capital necessary. This is a straight, legitimate proposition, where we are selling 5,284 farms ranging in size from 10 to 160 acres, with a town lot thrown in, all for $380, on easy payments; land is located in the onion and fruit district of South Texas. Flowing artesian water on the land. We want several good agents to assist us in selling this land, and have an extremely liberal proposition to make you. If you are not able to meet our Mr. Knisely at the hotel, please write to Fowler Bros. Land company, San Antonio, Tex., for full particulars.

WANTED — COMPLETE CREWS FOR woods, saw mill, planing mill and box factory, cutting plant, including lumber inspectors, etc., for large lumber manufacturing operation in Northern Mexico. Steady work year around. A. G. Nelson, Box 181, El Paso, Texas.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN STENOGRApher, who has had experience in billing; must be fast and accurate; good chance for promotion. Apply giving age and references. R 301, Herald.

WANTED — SALESMAN, CHOICE territory; no experience necessary; rapid seller, big profits, new invention; never been introduced to the Northwest trade. Address Sales Manager, care of Herald.

WANTED—FOUR NEAT APPEARING solicitors, on a house to house proposition; $3 to $5 per day made. Please do not call unless you mean business. Apply at Y. M. C. A. Ask for D. G. Knox.

WANTED — YOUNG MEN WITH A little capital, make big money, spare time or evenings; for particulars, call or address Western Supply company, 1901 Fifty-eighth street, Superior, Wis.

WANTED—LEARN BARBER TRADE, short time, good wages; special inducements this month. Cat. free. Moler Bar. Col., 27 Nic. Av., Minneapolis.

WANTED—BARBER. APPLY HOLland hotel.

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WE LOAN ON ALL KINDS OF PERsonal security at lowest rates. Call on us, 430 Manhattan bldg., and get rates. Duluth Mortgage Loan Co. W. Horkan. New 1598-D; Melrose 3733.

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MONEY TO LOAN—ANY AMOUNT—Minnesota Loan company, 205 Palladio building.

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MONEY FOR ALL NECESSITIES.
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MONEY TO LOAN—LOANS MADE ON timber and farm lands. John Q. A. Crosby, 305 Palladio building.

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FOR RENT—HOUSES.

FOR RENT.

7-room house, with bath, furnace, large yard, 112 South Nineteenth avenue east......$30
5 sunny rooms, with bath, electric light, gas in kitchen, 315½ West Third street.....$16
5 rooms and bath at 820 East Fourth street..............$16
3 rooms, with water and toilet, at 220 West Fourth street...$15

E. D. FIELD CO.,
203 Exchange Building.

FOR RENT SIGNS --SEE NATIONAL Stamp & Printing company, 21 First avenue west.

FOR RENT—NINE-ROOM HOUSE ON East Superior street; modern; hot water heating plant. Rental department, John A. Stephenson & Co., Wolvin building.

FOR RENT — SEVEN-ROOM COMplete furnished house; Dec. 1 to March 1. Mrs. C. B. Miller, 214 Fifteenth avenue east.

FOR RENT—A SIX-ROOM HOUSE, hardwood finish, all modern except heat. Apply 404 Exchange building, or 2030 London road. Zenith 'phone 217 or 2228-A.

FOR RENT—EIGHT-ROOM MODERN West end house, furnace heat, $27.50, Twenty-third avenue west and Third street. C. L. Rakowsky & Co., 201 Exchange building.

FOR RENT—WARM, COZY FURNISHed six-room house; all conveniences; will rent cheap. Call 1225 East Fourth street.

FOR RENT — SIX-ROOM HOUSE AT 716 Lake avenue south; modern except ehat. Call at 230 Lake avenue south.

FOR RENT—MODERN SEVEN-ROOM house, East end; hot water heat; two bathrooms; hardwood finish; $42.50 per month. Whitney Wall company, 301-3 Torrey building.

FOR RENT — 18 WEST THIRD street, central, suitable for roomers, nine rooms; modern; $50; keys at our office. Little & Nolte, Exchange building.

FOR RENT — MODERN SIX-ROOM house, furnished complete. 1108 East Second street. House 'phone Melrose 3403. Office either 'phone. 241, or address E. J. G., Herald.

FOR RENT — FIVE-ROOM HOUSE, water, toilet and electric light; $12 a month. Inquire 1120 East Third street.

FOR RENT—SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE, 125 Seventh avenue west; bath, electric light, coal range. Apply A. A. Mendenhall.

FOR RENT — EIGHT-ROOM HOUSE at 231 East Fifth street; hot water heat. Rental department, John A. Stephenson & Co., Wolvin building.

FOR RENT — SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE, $25. 228 Third avenue west. Call 530½ West Superior street.

FOR RENT — 429 THIRD AVENUE west, central, suitable for roomers, nine rooms, modern; $45. Call at office of Little & Nolte, Exchange building.

FOR RENT—109 THIRTY-NINTH AVenue west; five rooms $12.50; includes city water. J. D. Howard & Co., 216 West Superior street.

FOR RENT—EIGHT ROOMS, 710 WEST Second street; stove heat; $25 per month. W. M. Prindle.

FOR RENT — NO. 1610½ EAST SUperior street; eight rooms and bath; hot water heat; gas range; hardwood floors; $45. J. D. Howard & Co., 216 West Superior street.

FOR RENT—NO. 1422 EAST FIRST street, six rooms and bath; modern and in good condition; $35. J. D. Howard & Co., 216 West Superior street.

FOR RENT—NO. 1616 PIEDMONT AVenue, three rooms; hardwood floors; $7. J. D. Howard & Co., 216 West Superior street.

FOR RENT—WARM, COSY SIX-ROOM cottage, furnished or unfurnished; cheap, 1534 Minnesota avenue. Inquire at 1640 Minnesota avenue.

FOR RENT — SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE, all conveniences, except heat, $25 per month, for the winter. C. L. Rakowsky & Co., 201 Exchange building.

FOR RENT—SIX-ROOM HOUSE IN East end; hot water heat; thoroughly modern, $35 per month. Rental department, John A. Stephenson & Co., Wolvin building.

FOR RENT — FOUR-ROOM COTTAGE, 2121 West First street, $12 for the winter. C. L. Rakowsky & Co., 201 Exchange building.

FOR RENT—LODGING HOUSE ON Lake avenue south. Low rent. Rental Department, John A. Stephenson & Co., Wolvin building.

FOR RENT—SEVEN-ROOM MODERN house, 527½ East Superior street, $22 per month. R. B. Knox & Co., Exchange building.

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WE CARRY IN STOCK REPAIRS FOR 10,000 different stoves and ranges. C. F. Wiggerts & Son, 411 East Superior street. Both 'phones.

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FOR RENT—WE STILL HAVE LEFT a few of the new Berkshire and Barrington apartments at Eighth avenue east and First street; three to seven rooms. John A. Stephenson & Co., Wolvin building.

FOR RENT — FOUR-ROOM FLAT, with bath, gas, hardwood floors throughout; $17.50 per month. 217 West Fifth street. Call Broad, 204-K.

FOR RENT—FOUR-ROOM FLAT ON St. Croix avenue, $10, city water included. J. D. Howard & Co., 216 West Superior street.

FOR RENT—TWO SIX-ROOM BRICK flats, $15 per mo.; Munger row, Fifty-third avenue west and Ramsey street. Call 2401 West Fourth street or Zenith 1360 X.

FOR RENT—FIVE-ROOM FLAT; ALL conveniences, except heat. 2122 West Third street. Zenith 1661-A.

FOR RENT—SEVEN-ROOM MODERN flat, furnace heat, large basement; rent $20 per month. Call 325 Eighth avenue west.

FOR RENT — NEW FIVE-ROOM brick flat, all conveniences, except heat. Price, $22. 414 East Sixth street.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED FLAT, FIVE rooms; one room rented, gentleman will stay or vacate; hardwood floors, porcelain bath, high grade, complete, clean; walking distance. 311 A East Sixth street.

FOR RENT—WARM FIVE-ROOM flat, sewer, bath, electric light and hardwood floors, at 2816 Helm street, $15. For owner call Zenith 2014 D.

FOR RENT—FOUR-ROOM FLAT AND five-room basement. 108 East Second street. Inquire of Jacob Stubler, 305, West Superior street.

FOR RENT—SEVEN-ROOM TWO story flat; furnace heat, electric light and water. 421 East First street. Rent $25. Call at Gately's, 8 East Superior street.

FOR RENT—TWO, THREE AND FIVE-room flats, most of them modern, excepting heat, $7 to $12 per month. 702 East Second street. Zenith 1299-D.

FOR RENT—SIX-ROOM FLAT; HOT water heat, all modern conveniences, water included, $35 per month. 19 West Fourth street.

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FOR RENT.

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FOR RENT FURNISHED ROOM SIGNS —See National Stamp & Printing company, 21 First avenue west.

FOR RENT—STEAM HEATED rooms; electric light; gas; bath; and 'phone; $1.75 and up. 219 Fifth avenue west. "The Winnie."

FOR RENT—STEAM HEATED rooms with or without board, $6 per month, 118 East Superior street.

FOR RENT—VERY DESIRABLE FURnished rooms. 201 West Third street.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS IN private family; $8 per month. 426 Sixth avenue east.

FOR RENT — FURNISHED ROOMS, modern, at 118 Third avenue west.

FOR RENT—THREE FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping. 118 Third avenue west.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOM BY the day or week. 126 Mesaba avenue.

FOR RENT — TWO FURNISHED rooms for housekeeping. 232 Mesaba avenue, Flat F.

FOR RENT — TWO BRIGHT ROOMS for light housekeeping. Use of bath. 408 Ninth avenue east.

FOR RENT — TWO FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping, bath, gas and electric light; in private family; use of telephone. 316 West Fourth street.

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FOR RENT—NICELY FURNISHED steam heated room in new flat; central and reasonable. 124 West Fourth street, flat C.

FOR RENT--ONE STEAM HEATED furnished room. 14 West First street. Flat 2.

FOR RENT—TWO OR THREE FURnished and heated rooms for rent. Inquire, 2704 West Third street.

FOR RENT — TWO FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping. 123 West Second street.

FOR RENT — NICELY FURNISHED warm room, centrally located; gentleman only. Zenith, 1830-A.

FOR RENT — FIVE ROOMS, FIRST floor, also three rooms in basement, cheap rent. 1831 West Fourth street.

FOR RENT — TWO LARGE FURNISHed rooms for light housekeeping, with gas range. 111 West Second street.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOM FOR one or two young ladies, with or without board; private family; reference required. Telephone Melrose, 2075.

FOR RENT—TWO VERY NICE FURnished front rooms, suitable for light housekeeping; fine location in center of city. Zenith 2051-Y.

FOR RENT — TWO FURNISHED rooms in strictly modern flat. Flat 9, Chatham flats, 10 East Second street.

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FOR RENT—STEAM-HEATED ROOM suitable for two gentlemen. 110 First avenue west.

FOR RENT—A THREE-ROOM BASEment at 712 East Third street, cheap for the winter. Inquire 720 East Third street.

FOR RENT — TWO FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping. 123 West Second street.

FOR RENT — FURNISHED ROOM with steam heat and bath at 115 East Superior street, Oppel block, Flat C.

FOR RENT — TWO CONNECTING front rooms for light housekeeping; modern conveniences. Apply afternoons, 601 West Second street.

FOR RENT — TWO FURNISHED room for light housekeeping. 813 West First street.

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FOR RENT — TWO FURNISHED, front rooms for light housekeeping, gas and use of bath, reasonable. 325 East First street.

FOR RENT — FOUR LARGE LIGHT rooms; all conveniences, except heat; southeast corner Twentieth avenue west and Second street.

FOR RENT — FURNISHED FRONT room; closet, alcove; modern conveniences. Melrose 3982. 467 Mesaba avenue.

FOR RENT — TWO OR THREE pleasant furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 521 West Fourth St. Melrose 3995.

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SECRET SOCIETIES.

PALESTINE LODGE NO. 79, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meetings first and third Monday evenings of each month, at 7:30 o'clock. Next meeting, special, Friday, Dec. 16, 1910. Work—Installation of officers. Gorham A. Taylor, W. M.; H. Nesbit, secretary.

IONIC LODGE NO. 186, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meetings second and fourth Monday evenings of each month at 7:30 o'clock. Next meeting, Monday, Dec. 12, 1910. Annual meeting and election of officers. H. W. Richardson, W. M.; Hugh Burgo, secretary.

KEYSTONE CHAPTER NO. 20, R. A. M.—Stated convocations second and fourth Wednesday evenings of each month at 7:30 o'clock. Next meeting, Dec. 14, 1910. Work—Annual meeting, election of officers. Andalla W. Torrance, H. P.; Alfred Le Richeux, secretary.

DULUTH COUNCIL NO. 6, D. & S. M.—Next meeting Friday, Dec. 2, 1910, at 7:30 p. m. Work—Annual meeting; election of officers. Carl L. Lonegren, T. I. M.; Alfred Le Richeux, recorder.

DULUTH COMMANDERY NO. 18, K. T.—Stated conclave first Tuesday of each month at 7:30 o'clock p. m. Next conclave Dec. 6, 1910. Work—Red Cross degree. Newton H. Wilson, E. C.; Alfred Le Richeux, recorder.

SCOTTISH RITE — REGULAR meetings every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Next meeting Dec. 15, 1910. Work—Thirtieth degree. Henry Nesbitt, secretary.

ZENITH CHAPTER NO. 25, Order of Eastern Star—Regular meetings second and fourth Friday evenings of each month at 7:30 o'clock. Next meeting, Dec. 9, 1910. Work—Annual meeting, election of officers and initiation. Minnie Keeler, W. M.; Ella F. Gearhart, secretary.

EUCLID LODGE NO. 198, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meetings second and fourth Wednesday evenings of each month at 7:30 o'clock. Next meeting Dec. 14, 1910. Work—Election of officers. L. R. Clark, W. M.; A. Dunleavy, secretary.

DULUTH CHAPTER NO. 59, R. A. M.—Meets at West Duluth first and Third Wednesdays of each month at 7:30 p. m. Next meeting, Dec. 7, 1910. Work—Election of officers and P. M. and M. E. degrees. W. B. Getchell H. P.; A. Dunleavy, secretary.

K. of P.
NORTH STAR LODGE NO. 35, K. of P.—Meets every Tuesday evening at Castle hall, 118 West Superior street. Next meeting, Tuesday evening, Dec. 13, 8 o'clock sharp; work in third rank. H. N. Colvin, C. C.; S. A. Hearn, K. of R. & S.

DIAMOND LODGE NO. 45, K. of P.—Meets every Monday evening in Sloan's hall, corner Twentieth avenue west and Superior street. All knights cordially invited; work in second rank. M. J. Murray, C. C.; Otto E. Nelson, K. of R. & S.

KITCHI GAMMI LODGE NO. 123, K. of P.—Meets every Thursday evening at Commercial Club hall, Central avenue, West Duluth. Next meeting Thursday evening, Dec. 1, nomination and election of officers. All knights cordially invited. G. W. Boutin, C. C.; C. M. Phillips, K. of R. & S.

DULUTH LODGE, NO. 28, I. O. O. F.—MEETS every Friday evening at 8 o'clock at Odd Fellows' hall, 18 Lake avenue north. Next meeting night, Dec. 9, regular business E. A. Bergstrom, N. G.; G. H. Glass, Rec. Sec.; A. H. Paul, Fin. Sec.

DULUTH ENCAMPMENT NO. 36, I. O. O. F.—Meets on the second and fourth Thursdays at Odd Fellows hall, 18 Lake avenue north. Next meeting night, special, Dec. 8, Golden Rule degree. J. B. Cade, C. P.; L. G. Marlow, Rec. Scribe.

K. O. T. M.
DULUTH TENT NO. 1—MEETS EVERY Monday, 8:15 p. m., at Maccabee hall, 21 Lake avenue north. Visiting members always welcome. O. P. Mecalson, commander, 505 West Third street; J. B. Gelineau, record keeper, office in hall. Hours, 10 a. m. to 1 p. m., daily. Zenith 'phone 619-X.

A. O. U. W.
FIDELITY LODGE NO. 105 — MEETS at Maccabee hall, 21 Lake avenue north, every Thursday at 8 p. m. Visiting members welcome. A. E. Jackson, M. W.; A. E. Piering, recorder; O. J. Murvold, financier, 217 East Fifth street.

MODERN SAMARITANS.
ALPHA COUNCIL, NO. 1—TAKE NOtice that Samaritan degree meets first and third Thursdays; beneficent, second and fourth Thursdays. Lucy A. Purdy, Lady G. S.; N. B. Morrison, G. S.; Wallace P. Welbanks, scribe; T. A. Gall, F. S., First National Bank building. All members of beneficent degree are requested to be present next Thursday, Dec. 8, nomination and election of officers.

UNITED ORDER OF FORESTERS—Court Eastern Star, No. 86, meets every first and third Tuesday at U. O. F. hall, corner Fourth avenue west and First street. Elizabeth Milnes, C. R., room 23, Winthrop block; A. E. Piering, secretary, 220 East Fifth street; Harry Milnes, treasurer, room 23, Winthrop block. Zenith 'phone 2978-X

M. W. A.
IMPERIAL CAMP NO. 3306 — MEETS at U. O. F. hall, Fourth avenue west and First street, second and fourth Tuesdays of each month. William Tunell, consul; C. P. Earl, clerk, box 411; F. F. Doremus, deputy; address N. P. freight office.

CLAN STEWART, NO. 50, O. S. C.—Meets first and third Wednesdays each month, 8 p. m., at U. O. F. hall, corner Fourth avenue west and First street. Next regular meeting, Dec. 21. Alexander G. McKnight, chief; Don McLennan, secretary; John Burnett, financial secretary, 312 Torrey building.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD.
ZENITH CITY CAMP NO 5.—MEETS every second and fourth Wednesdays at the old Masonic temple, fifth floor. MacAuley, C. C., 102 West Michigan street; Williard Curtis, banker, No. 1, The Glen; Temple Sloan, clerk, 8 South Thirteenth avenue west. Zenith 'phone 71.

ROYAL ARCANUM, Duluth Council No. 1483—Meets second and fourth Tuesday evenings, Maccabee hall, 21 Lake avenue north. Clinton Brooks, secretary, 401 Columbia building.
Mesaba Council, No. 1493—Meets first and third Wednesday evenings, Columbia hall, West end. A. M. Johnson, secretary, 117 North Twentieth avenue west.

ORDER OF OWLS, DULUTH Nest No. 1200—Meetings are held every Friday of each month at Owls' hall, 110 West Superior street. Joseph E. Feaks, secretary, 22 East Superior street.

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

POPULATION OF THE UNITED STATES AND ALL POSSESSIONS ACCORDING TO THIRTEENTH CENSUS IS ABOUT 101,100,000

PRICE PAID FOR HUMAN LIFE IS $536

Half Families Left Fatherless By Industrial Accidents Get Nothing.

8,583 Accidents in One Year, of Which 252 Were Fatal.

Interesting Report Is Compiled By the State Labor Bureau.

That the average price paid for a human life lost in the industries of Minnesota is $536, is the conclusion reached by Don D. Lescohier, special statistician for the state bureau of labor, who has been one of Labor Commissioner W. E. McEwen's ablest aides since he came to the department, early in Mr. McEwen's administration. He has compiled an extremely interesting and exhaustive report on industrial accidents and employers' liability.

An abbreviated digest of that report is given below:

Eight thousand five hundred and eighty-three accidents, 252 of which were fatal, were reported to the bureau of labor by Minnesota employers during the year Aug. 1, 1909, to July 31, 1910. Railroad accidents, except those occurring in railroad shops, were not required by law to be reported to the bureau of labor, but an examination of the Minnesota railroad commission's statistics for past years indicates that sixty fatal accidents and 3,400 non-fatal ones can be added to the bureau of labor figures to cover accidents in railroad transportation, maintenance of way and construction.

The fatal accidents were distributed among the industries of the state as follows: Mining, 83; railroads, 64; lumber and woodworking, 55; general contracting, 37; public utilities, 19; agriculture, 12; flour and feed, 9; metal manufacturers, 7; livery and draying, 7; chemical industries, 4; paper manufacturing, 3; mercantile, 4; printing, 2; meat packing, 1; shoe manufacturing, 1; paper bags, 1; janitor, 1; street sweeper, 1; watchman, 1 Total, 310.

The facts presented show that Min-

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HARLAN HOLDS AN ANNIVERSARY

Acting Chief Justice Has Been on Bench Thirty-Three Years.

Washington, Dec. 10.—John Marshall Harlan, presiding justice of the supreme court of the United States, today is doing what only three other men have done in the history of the court. He is celebrating the close of thirty-three years of service on that bench.

On Dec. 10, 1877, Justice Harlan became a member of the supreme court. He was then 44 years of age. Not only have all the men who were on the bench during the first years of his service passed away, but Justice Harlan's service is now twice as long as that of any other member of the present court. Of the sixty-two men who have sat on this bench, Justice Harlan has been an associate of twenty-six.

The three members of the court whose terms exceeded that of Justice Harlan were Chief Justice John Marshall, Justice Stephen J. Field and Justice Joseph Storey. Both Marshall and Field served more than thirty-four years.

Besides disposing of the business incumbent upon him as senior associate justice during the vacancy in the chief justiceship, Justice Harlan has written six of the thirty-three opinions announced by the court this term.

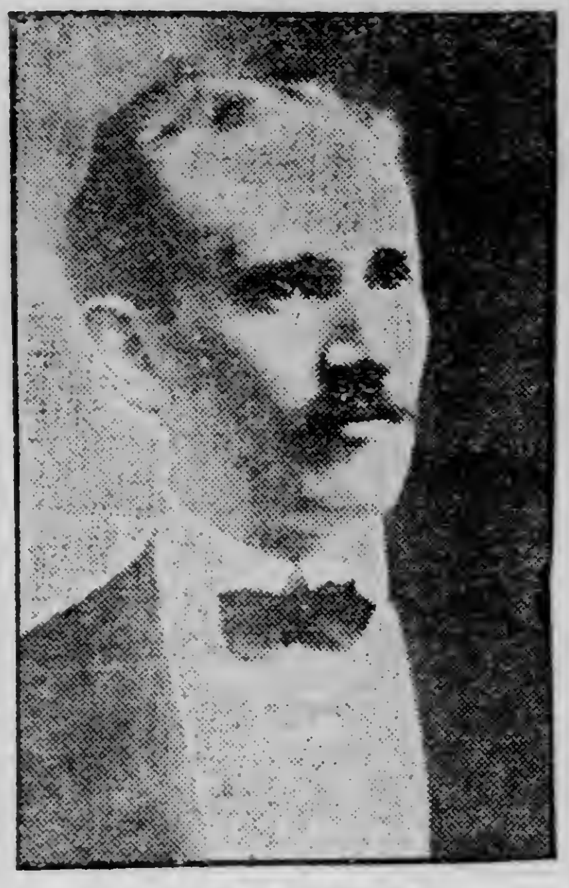
PRINCESS SUING FOR $8,000,000

Leopold's Daughter Claims Money From Late King's Estate.

Brussels, Dec. 10.—Attorneys for Princess Louise of Belgium have entered a formal suit for the recovery of $8,000,000 which had belonged to her father, the late King Leopold, and is now held by the Nieder Fullbach foundation. The Belgian government also claims the money on the ground that it came from the Belgian Congo and belongs to the state.

The princess also has summoned Leopold's valet and other members of his entourage to give an accounting of the contents of three trunks which were mysteriously turned over at Laeken palace to Baroness Vaughan, the morganatic wife of Leopold, who has since married Emanuel Durieux, a Frenchman. Louise alleges that the trunks were filled with securities and other valuables.

IS TAKEN FROM GRAVE AS POSSIBLE MURDERER



WILLIAM LEWIS.

New York, Dec. 10.—William Lewis, formerly a waiter, is supposed to have murdered a man whose body was found in a trunk in New York. It is believed that the body of a man of that name exhumed in Rhode Island has been identified as that of William Lewis, the murder suspect.

GRANTS WRIT TO CHARLTON

Federal Judge Issues Habeas Corpus in Murder Case.

Knox Grants Italy's Demand for American's Extradition.

Trenton, N. J., Dec. 10.—Judge Rellstab in the United States circuit court today granted a writ of habeas corpus in the case of Porter Charlton, who is accused of having killed his wife, Mary Scott Castle Charlton in Italy. The court also granted a writ of certiorari for the bringing of the case before him on Dec. 19.

Extradition is Granted.

Washington, Dec. 10. — Secretary Knox late yesterday granted the request of Italy for the surrender of Porter Charlton, charged with the murder of his wife at Lake Como.

The secretary holds that the fact that Italy refuses to surrender her citizens to the United States for trial does not relieve this country of the obligation of the extradition treaty to surrender to Italy fugitives from justice from that country.

The question of the insanity of Charlton, it is suggested, is one for the courts and not for the department to determine.

Had Secretary Knox refrained from acting on this case for six days, Porter Charlton would have been a free man, as the statutes required final action in the case within sixty days from the date of his commitment.

A remark by the secretary carries the intimation that Charlton's attorney may have further recourse to the courts if they are disposed to raise the question of insanity.

BAD BLAZE IN MENDON, MICH.

Part of Business District Is Wiped Out By the Flames.

Kalamazoo, Mich., Dec. 10.—Fire originating in the Lotter's meat market basement at Mendon early today swept through the business district and caused a loss of $40,000. The meat market, Kloce's harness shop, the furniture store of Ray Oines, North's jewelry store and Simpson's hardware store were a complete loss with their stocks.

BUDDHISTS START SALVATION ARMY

Active Religious Campaign Is Started Among the Japanese.

Victoria, B. C., Dec. 10.—The Buddhists of Japan have founded a Buddhistic salvation army on military lines, with Count Otani as supreme commander, and with divisional commanders in charge of divisions based at each of the principal cities of Japan, according to mail advices. Each division will consist of from five to ten regiments and each regiment from two to eight companies. There will be active and reserve forces.

GRAND JURY ROOM LEAKS

Charge Is Made By Woman Before Federal Judge Landis.

Official of Department of Justice Accused of Tale-Bearing.

Chicago, Dec. 10.—Charges that secrets of the federal grand jury room were being "tipped off" to interested parties, made before Judge Kenesaw M. Landis of the United States district court, caused him to suspend the contempt cases he was hearing today and demand that the charges be sustained at once.

The man accused of being the "tipster" is Charles F. Dewoody, division

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OLD MINT IS TO BE ABANDONED

Is Monument to First Gold Field in the United States.

Washington, Dec. 10.—A monument to the first gold producing district in the United States will be wiped away if congress approves Secretary MacVeagh's plan to abandon the old assay office at Charlotte, N. C.

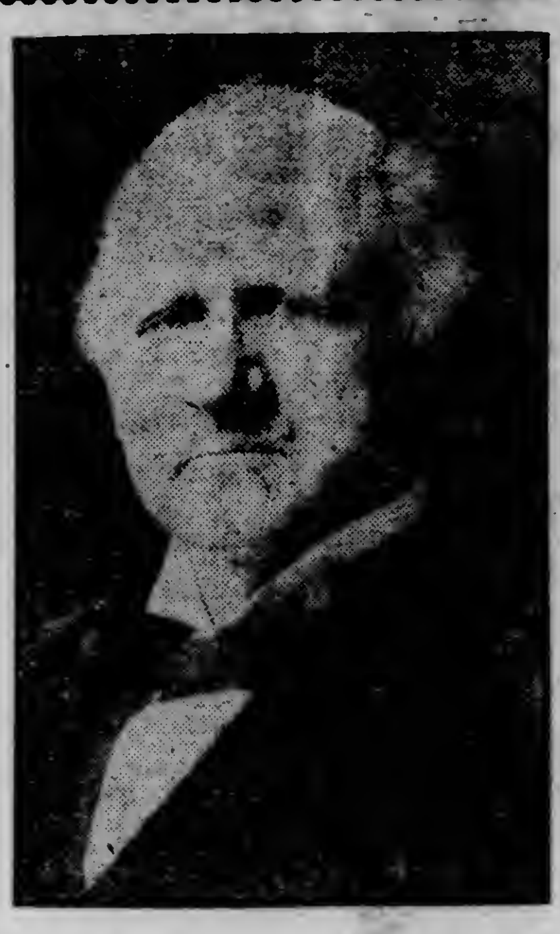
When the first gold was discovered in the United States in 1830, a branch mint was located at Charlotte, "in the heart of the treasure district." When the strikes of '49 came on and the great gold fields of the West developed, the Charlotte mint declined and finally reached the class of an assay office, which it still is, doing little or no business.

It is the intention of the treasury department, if congress authorizes, also to abandon the assay office at St. Louis, which the mint bureau considers no longer necessary. Other assay offices and even some of the mints may fall under the ax of economy if present plans become laws.

FLIES 100 MILES IN SEVENTY MINUTES.

Paris, Dec. 10.—Capt. Bellanger of the aviation corps today flew from Vincennes to Mourmelon, 100 miles, in 70 minutes. Because of a high wind he maintained an average altitude of 4,900 feet.

ENDS THIRTY-THREE YEARS IN HIGH COURT



JUSTICE JOHN M. HARLAN
Of the United States Supreme Court.

MOSLEMS AND HINDUS FIGHT

Fanatic Riots in Calcutta Are Broken Up By the Soldiers.

Calcutta, Dec. 10.—Serious fighting between rival religious factions which began last night was continued this morning. Several of the combatants were killed and many were injured. Troops were finally called out and a Maxim gun trained on the fighters, but the fanatics were not dismayed and were only routed after several charges by the soldiers.

The trouble began when the Hindus protested against the approaching Mohammedan festival, at which it is customary to sacrifice cows, animals sacred to the Hindu mind.

PER CAPITA DEBTS OF CITIES ARE ANNOUNCED.

Washington, Dec. 10.—Figures giving the per capita net debt for cities in the United States, prepared by the census bureau, show that at the close of 1908 the per capita debt of New York city was $153.02, Cincinnati $125.40, and Boston $114.63. The large cities with the lowest per capita debt were Detroit $22.95, and Milwaukee $31.68. Johnstown, Pa., with a debt of $9.71 per capita, is lowest in the list.

Of the cities with more than 300,000 population, those having the largest per capita payments for expenses were Boston $28.50, Washington $25.73, and New York city $24.99.

POPULATION COMPARATIVE SUMMARY FOR 1910 AND 1900

STATES.	1910.	1900.	INCREASE. 1900 to 1910. Number.	INCREASE. 1900 to 1910. Per Cent.
The United States (inclusive of Alaska, Hawaii and Porto Rico)........	93,402,151	*77,256,630	16,145,521	20.9
Continental United States	91,972,266	75,994,575	15,977,691	21.0
Alabama	2,138,093	1,828,697	309,396	16.9
Arizona	204,354	122,931	81,423	66.2
Arkansas	1,574,449	1,311,564	262,885	20.0
California	2,377,549	1,485 053	892,496	60.1
Colorado	799,024	539,700	259,324	48.0
Connecticut	1,114,756	908,420	206,336	22.7
Delaware	202,322	184,735	17,587	9.5
District of Columbia......	331,069	278,718	52,531	18.8
Florida	752,615	528,542	224,077	42.4
Georgia	2,609,121	2.216,331	392,790	17.7
Idaho	325,594	161,772	163,822	101.3
Illinois	5,638,591	4,821,550	817,041	16.9
Indiana	2,700,876	2,516,462	184,414	7.3
Iowa	2,224,771	2,231,853	**7,082	**0.3
Kansas	1,690,949	1,470,495	220,454	15.0
Kentucky	2,289,905	2,147,174	142,731	6.6
Louisiana	1,656,388	1,381,625	274,763	19.9
Maine	742,371	694,466	47,905	6.9
Maryland	1,195,346	1,188,044	107,302	9.0
Massachusetts	3,366,416	2,805,346	561,070	20.0
Michigan	2,810,173	2,420,982	389,191	16.1
Minnesota	2,075,708	1,751,394	324,314	18.5
Mississippi	1,797,114	1,551,270	245,844	15.8
Missouri	3,293,335	3,106,665	186,670	6.0
Montana	376,053	243,329	132,724	54.5
Nebraska	1,192,214	1,066,300	125,914	11.8
Nevada	81,875	42,335	39,540	93.4
New Hampshire	430,572	411,588	18,984	4.6
New Jersey	2,537,167	1,883,669	653,498	34.7
New Mexico	327,301	195,310	131,991	67.5
New York	9,113,614	7,268,894	1,844,720	25.4
North Carolina	2,206,287	1,893,810	312,477	16.5
North Dakota	577,056	319,146	257,910	80.8
Ohio	4,767,121	4,157,545	609,576	14.7
Oklahoma	1,657,155	790,391	866,764	109.7
Oregon	672,765	413,536	259,229	62.7
Pennsylvania	7,665,111	6.302,115	1,362,996	21.6
Rhode Island	542,610	428,556	114,054	26.6
South Carolina	1,515,400	1,340,316	175,084	13.1
South Dakota	583,883	401,570	182,318	45.4
Tennessee	2,184,789	2,020,616	164,173	8.1
Texas	3,896,542	3.048,710	847,832	27.8
Utah	373,351	276,749	96,602	34.9
Vermont	355,956	343,641	12,315	3.6
Virginia	2,061,612	1,854,184	207,428	11.2
Washington	1,141,990	518,103	623,887	120.4
West Virginia	1,221,119	958,800	262,319	27.4
Wisconsin	2,333,860	2,069,042	264,818	12.7
Wyoming	145,965	92,531	53,434	57.7
Alaska	64,356	63,592	764	1.2
Hawaii	191,909	154,001	37,908	24.6
Porto Rico	1,118,012	953,243	....	....
Military and naval......	55,608	91,219	....	....

*Includes 953,243 persons in Porto Rico, 1899 census.
**Decrease.

KIDNAPED GIRL IS RETURNED HOME

Father Finds Her Wrapped Up Like Bundle in Yard.

Redbank, N. J., Dec. 10.—Four-year-old Mary Petillo is at her home today after an extraordinary absence since Oct. 20 last. The child disappeared on that date. It was believed she was kidnaped.

Frank Petillo, the child's father, was entering the yard of his home early last night when he saw his daughter behind a fence. She was wrapped up like a bundle of clothes and appeared to be dead. She was found to be alive.

Petillo has received demands for money from the Black Hands.

WITHSTANDS 4,000 VOLTS

Lineman Gets Terrific Electric Shock But Recovers Almost Instantly.

Refuses to Allow Friends to Assist Him to Ground.

"Let the rope go; I can climb down," William Morgan, a lineman, called to his fellow workmen when he "came to" after a current of 4,000 volts had "jumped" through his body while he was working on a pole at First alley and Sixth avenue west about 11 o'clock this morning.

When Morgan "came to" he discovered that a rope had been tied around his body and he was about to be lowered from the pole. He refused to be treated as an inanimate body and his protests were successful. The rope was slackened and, with a fellow workman guarding him, Morgan climbed down from the pole, removed his equipment and started to walk home just as an ambulance pulled up.

Morgan, who was a member of a crew in the employ of the Duluth-Edison Electric company, had a decidedly narrow escape. He was up on the pole stringing wires when he caught a primary. There was a blinding flash and the other members of the crew saw Morgan's limp body hanging to a cross-tree. They hurried to his assistance, a rope was swung on the pole and they were preparing to lower him when he recovered. The current had "jumped" through him and, although weak, he was uninjured except for light burns on the hands and one on the head.

The shock of the heavy current had thrown Morgan's hands from the wire and the contact was only momentary, to which his escape is due.

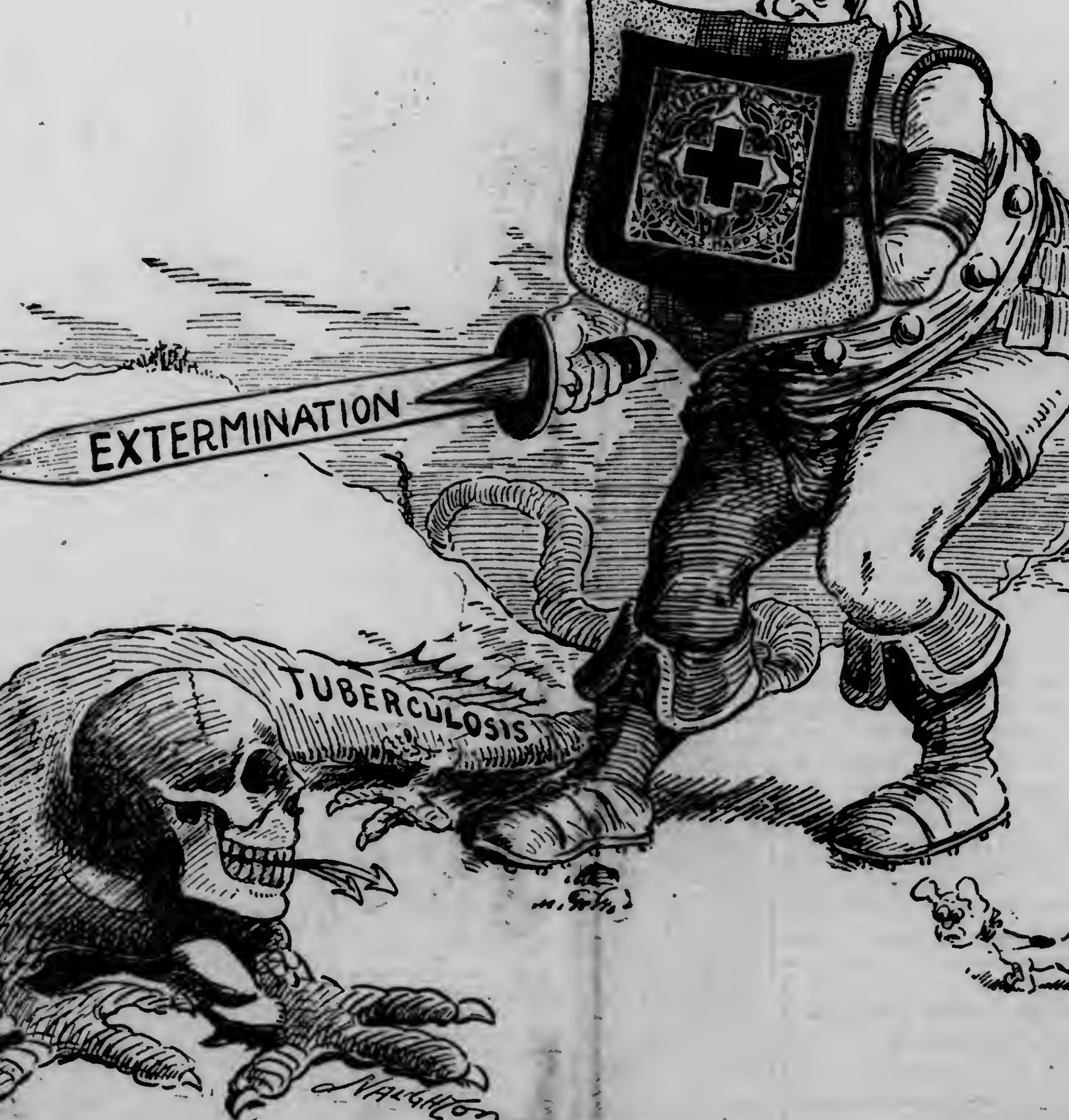
HOLDUP ON CAR IN MINNEAPOLIS

Conductor Is Robbed of Eight Dollars and Bandit Escapes.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Thrusting a revolver in the face of Frank Engstrom, a conductor on an Eighth and Emerson avenue street car, at 4:30 this morning, a bandit relieved the knight of the indicator of $8 in cash, hopped off the back platform and disappeared in the darkness. The holdup occurred at Thirty-sixth avenue north and Fremont street.

The bandit wore a leather hunting cap and the police suspect that he may have been the same man who killed Conductor Alexander at the end of the Grand avenue car line in St. Paul some time ago. This highwayman wore a cap and duck suit, which corresponded with the description given of Alexander's murderer.

BUY CHRISTMAS RED CROSS SEALS AND HELP ALONG THE FIGHT.



CONTINENTAL POPULATION 91,972,266

Increase of 21 Per Cent Is Shown By Thirteenth Census.

Returns From Last of States Are Given Out With the Total.

Minnesota Ranks Nineteenth According to Number of People.

Washington, Dec. 10. — The population of the United States is 93,402,151. This is the total number of people enumerated throughout the states, territories, District of Columbia, Alaska, Hawaii and Porto Rico in the thirteenth census, which began April 15, 1910.

The total does not include the Philippine Islands.

The increase in the country's population during the last ten years was 16,145,521, or 20.9 per cent, over 77,256,630, the population in 1900, compared with an increase of 14,276,864, or 22.7 per cent, over 62,979,766, the population in 1890.

Twenty-one Per Cent Growth.

The population of continental United States is 91,972,266, an increase of 15,977,691, or 21 per cent, over 75,994,575 in 1900, when the increase was 13,046,-

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GAINS IN ENGLISH ELECTION EQUAL

Coalitionists Now Have 267 Seats and the Unionists 224.

London, Dec. 10.—A Liberal gain of three seats from the Unionists on the returns announced today once more equalized the tally, the coalitionists and the Unionists each having captured twenty-one seats from the other.

Premier Asquith comes back to the house of commons from the East division of Fife with a majority 260 less than he received before, while Col. Sprot, his Unionist opponent, increased his vote 247.

The total of seats thus far secured in the new parliament are: Coalitionists, 267; Unionists, 224.

The coalition aggregate is made up thus:

Liberals, 175; Nationalists, 54; O'Brienites, 7; Labor members, 31.

THIRTY MEN ARE TAKEN FROM MINE

Ten Are Dead and Others Dying From Canadian Disaster.

Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 10.—A special to the Free Press from Bellevue, Alberta, says: Thirty men have been removed from the Western Canadian Collieries mine here, where an explosion occurred last night entombing forty-five men. Ten of them are dead, several fatally burned, and others are unconscious.

The explosion was caused by poisonous gas.

The Bellevue mine is a heavy producer and employs Italians and Slavs. The accident is the worst that has happened since the explosion in Fernie mines seven years ago. Doctors and rescue parties worked all night.

Meagre Reports at Frank.

Spokane, Wash., Dec. 10.—A Frank, Alberta, special to the Spokesman Review, says: Meagre reports only are coming in of the mine disaster at the Bellevue mine on the Crow's Nest branch of the Canadian Pacific railway.

About midnight thirteen miners' bodies had been recovered and four men, badly burned and injured, rescued.

The extent of the disaster and the fate of those still in the mine will not be known for some time. Mine officials and government inspectors are rushing to the scene. A special train chartered by the company arrived on the scene of the disaster about midnight, bearing the mine inspector, and trains have also arrived from Fernie, Ashworth and Mitchell with all available rescue apparatus.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

WEST END NEWS

BISHOP ROBERT McINTYRE SPEAKER AT REDEDICATION

REV. ROBERT H. MURRAY.

BISHOP ROBERT McINTYRE.

Bishop Robert McIntyre of St. Paul may be the principal speaker at the rededication of the newly remodeled Grace Methodist Episcopal church at Twenty-second avenue west and Third street, Sunday, Dec. 18.

Bishop Hamilton of Boston was asked to attend the affair, but as yet, the official board of the church has received no reply from him, and it is not probable that he will comply with the request.

Among the other speakers at the rededication will be Dr. Burns, district superintendent of the Minneapolis district of the M. E. churches and several of the local clergy. The program for the affair has not been completed.

The church has been remodeled at a cost of about $12,000. A gallery has been added, the floors covered with a heavy cork carpet, new pews installed, pulpit and platform rearranged, a modern heating plant put in, and a pastor's study and choir room provided. In the basement the social features have not been neglected. The ladies have a parlor and kitchen there and several new class rooms for the Sunday school have been included in the plans of the remodeled structure.

Last evening a reception was tendered by the congregation in honor of the new pastor, Rev. John H. Murray, until recently of Silver City, N. Mex., and Mrs. Murray. Several of the local clergy were present and spoke and a musical program was given.

Tomorrow, Rev. Mr. Murray will preach at both services at 10:30 o'clock in the morning, and at 7:30 p. m. "The Program of Christ" is the morning theme and in the evening he will speak on "The Two Brothers."

BROTHERHOOD ORGANIZED.

A Brotherhood has been organized among the men of the Second Presbyterian church, 1515 West Superior street. A meeting was held this week at the home of the pastor, Rev. W. B. O'Neill of 2019 West Third street and the Brotherhood was formed with eight charter members. It has since doubled in membership.

Meetings will be held twice a month, the first Tuesday and the third Thursday of every month, at the homes of the various members. The following are the officers: E. Hoyt, president; E. T. McManus, secretray, and Fred Jones, treasurer.

The young people of the Second Presbyterian church last evening held a rally at the church parlors. Rev. W. B. O'Neill, the pastor gave an address, Miss Dorris Mallet, recited, and Miss Jean Wanless was heard in a vocal solo. The church choir and male quartet also sang. Refreshments were served.

Weather—Partly cloudy and colder tonight with probably zero temperature by morning; Sunday fair and cold; brisk to high northerly winds.

COMMISSION PLAN FAVORED

Mayor and Alderman Wharton Speak Before West End Club.

Mayor M. B. Cullum told an audience of West end citizens last evening of the workings of the commission plan of municipal government and explained his views on this subject at some length. The meeting was held at Sloan's hall, under the auspices of the West End Commercial club.

The mayor stated that he believed that the affairs of the city could be better conducted under the commission form of government than under the present system and he answered all questions put to him in regard to the new plan.

Alderman Wharton of the First ward, who also favors a change to the commission form spoke in support of the new plan. He brought out the fact that partisanship in municipal affairs would be eliminated under the new system, and also remarked that the centralization of responsibility for city affairs was another commendable feature.

Alderman Bernard of the Seventh ward also spoke in favor of the new system. He said that he thought it would be a good thing for Duluth, if once it were inaugurated. Capt. D. E. Stevens also took a part in the discussion of the evening. He pointed out several of the advantages to be gained by making a change and said that he believes that a more economical administration would result from the new plan.

S. W. Hill, president of the West End Commercial club, was chairman of the meeting.

STRICKEN ON THE STREET

West End Man Dies Following Sudden Attack of Paralysis.

Never regaining consciousness after falling headforemost on to the pavement, while crossing Superior street near Twentieth avenue west Wednesafternoon, Adolph Jensen, 51 years old, a resident of the West end for the past twenty-four years died yesterday afternoon at the family residence, 2227 West Eleventh street.

Death was due to a paralytic stroke and is not attributed to the fall which he received.

He is survived by a wife, four sons, Oscar, Norman, Martin and George, all of Duluth, and one daughter, Mrs. Archie Gagne, also of the same address. The funeral will be held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence with interment at Park Hill cemetery. Rev. Edward Erickson, pastor of the First Norwegian Danish M. E. church will officiate.

Mr. Jensen was a member of Beta Council No. 2, Modern Samaritans.

MASS MEETING FOR YOUNG PEOPLE.

A young people's mass meeting will be held tomorrow afternoon at the Swedish Temple, Twenty-second avenue west and Third street under the auspices of the Young People's Society of the First Swedish Baptist congregation.

A. B. Wegener of the Y. M. C. A. will speak on "What Constitutes a Christian."

The society this week closed the year's work after twelve months of successful endeavor. The new officers elected for 1911 are William Hammerstrom, president; N. E. Erickson, vice president; Andrew Johnson, secretary; Julia Bergquist, vice secretary; Hulda Paulson, treasurer.

OFFICERS ELECTED BY SCANDINAVIAN SISTERS.

Mrs. Anna Rude was elected president of the Scandinavian Sisters of America last evening at Columbia hall, where the annual business meeting was held. About forty members of the organization were present. The other officers named are: Vice president, Mrs. Nettie Olson, instructress, Mrs. Lena Grenner; secretary, Mrs. Amelia Olson; financial secretary, Mrs. Arentin Shursen; treasurer, Mrs. Bertha Tronsdal; marshal, Miss Helen Johnson; inside guard, Mrs. Alma Lundvall; outside guard, Mrs. Sarah Hanson; trustees, Mrs. Clara Lindberg, Mrs. Inga Swenson.

West End Shortrails.

Dr. J. E. Nyquist of Cloquet, coroner for Carlton county, was a visitor at the West end yesterday.

Rev. Nels Frykman, the "Swedish Sankey," a noted hymn composer, will lecture tomorrow evening at the Swedish Mission church, Twenty-first avenue west and Second street. He will also speak in the morning.

Jacob Jacobson of 2113 West Second street is reported to be ill at his home.

The Duluth branch of the Lake Superior district, Minnesota conference, Swedish Lutheran churches will meet Sunday and Monday at the Swedish Bethany Swedish Lutheran church, Twenty-third avenue west and Third street. A two days' program has been arranged.

At the meeting of the United Temperance society last evening, it was decided that the investigations into the alleged "lid tilting," which the organization will carry on, will be conducted with as much secrecy as possible.

Zenith Grove, No. 10, Woodmen Circle, last evening elected the following officers for 1911: Delia Sloan, guardian; Mary Roberts, past guardian; Rose Bloedel, advisor; Lizzie Baudin, attendant; Alice Schweiger, clerk; Jessie Macauley, banker; Agnes Martin, chaplain; Mary Larkin, Mary Appleby and Eva Lemoignan managers; Mary Appleby, Victoria Rodgers delegates to the state convention, and Alice Schweiger and Mary Roberts alternates.

Happy Hour Bill.

The bill at the Happy Hour this week will be an exceptionally strong one. For four days only the feature will be "Hayco, the Jail Breaker." This is the man who goes by the name of Kruger and who has a signal code that will revolutionize the signal service now in use. Ask any officer what they witnessed at the police station. Hayco was handcuffed and tied, but nothing would hold him. The handcuffs are not made that will hold him. See him at the Happy Hour, also Clark and Tanner, the funny people, and Billy Floyd, the English comedian. Duluth's sweetest singer will sing "By the Moonlight." Three thousand feet of the latest film.

AMUSEMENTS

JAMES K. HACKETT IN A NEW PLAY

James K. Hackett appeared before a small, but very friendly audience at the Lyceum theater last night in a satirical comedy, "The King," by George Brackett Seitz. Mr. Hackett and his capable company will repeat the performance tonight. A matinee was given this afternoon.

It is possible that ten years ago "The King" would have been an adequate vehicle for James K. Hackett. At the present period in Mr. Hackett's career he should have something more worthy of his serious consideration. His talents and his ability should be so devoted to the exposition of his art, that the fullness and the maturity of its development would not be collared, laced and hobbled by artificialty. Mr. Hackett should not permit any playwright to put him under a bushel basket, and yet "The King," is not without interest, as was evidenced by the genuine enthusiasm last evening.

Just why some really good actors think it necessary to preserve about them the athmosphere of their original successes is not clear. A few years ago we saw Mr. Hackett in "The Prisoner of Zenda." Since then it has appeared necessary for Mr. Hackett to don occasionally gilded trappings and polished boots to make us think he is an actor. We know that Mr. Hackett is an accomplished artist without having thrust upon us obtrusively the Hackett nose, the Hackett chin, the Hackett brow, the Hackett mouth, and (it can still be said) the Hackett hair. Not only are we permitted to see all of these distinguishing characteristics in single and grouped performances, but the whole picture must be framed by a uniform that would drive a provincial drum major to despair. This sort of concoction may have served Mr. Hackett when he was the idol of the chocolate eclair sorority, but he should have outgrown his swaddling clothes by now.

But there are those who would have Hackett appear only in heroic roles, remembering his "Prisoner of Zenda," and "The King" is evidently a compromise. He assumes the heroic role again, but under protest, as it were, clothing the king in a cloak of satire.

Mr. Seitz is not amateurish in his use of theatrical makeshifts. He utilizes every form of trick, every bit of chicanery, every device that playwrights know to create what are termed "situations." Mr. Seitz takes delight in turning the switch every now and then and shunting his audience off the main line of "satirical comedy" on to a side track where is happening some astonishing episode.

The king, Mr. Hackett, learns of a plot to blow him up as he passes through a street. He enters the house of the conspirators after the arch-anarch has been captured. There he finds Katherine Dardinilis, daughter of Sergius Oardinilis, the Baron Von Trump. This lady wants to see the king obliterated and she points a revolver at him while he throws what she thinks is a bomb into the street where the leading anarch, in kingly disguise, is passing. Nobody is hurt because the king substitutes a box of candy for the bomb. When the baron, Ludwig Eberhardt, an anarch, and Pasquali, an Italian fanatic, have the king at bay later he escapes by threatening to explode the bomb which he still carries in his coat although the anarchs have had him so thoroughly at their mercy that they could have searched him a dozen times.

The anarchs are not sure of the king's identity until it is time for everybody to go home. Ludwig tries to shoot the king through a keyhole although he had plenty of chances to take a pot shot at the king in the open. The king overcomes Pasquali and the baron, whose wife was stolen by the king's father, peeving the baron considerably, by his wit although for the benefit of the obtuse two or three revolvers are being flashed almost continually.

The girl, of course falls in love with the king, and she tells him about it. Katherine, and by Katherine is not meant Miss Beckley, did not show any qualities that would endear her to a man seeking a comrade in a woman his equal, intellectually; his superior, morally; his peer in refinement. Katherine was a silly little girl who should have been spanked and sent to bed. But then there is no telling with what sort of a woman a man will love.

So the king, after putting across that shop worn remark, "This is so sudden," accepted Katherine's love and they went out into the night, in the pale blue moonlight which one could see streaming through the window. A little chills-and-fever music, professor. Thank you.

Mr. Hackett was most capably supported. Arthur Hoopes was a designing anarchist of courage and intense purpose. Charles C. Brandt was convincing as the baron who sought revenge for an old wrong. Robert Lawler handled the part of Pasquali intelligently and cleverly. Miss Beatrice Beckley was adequate as Katherine Dardinilis.

FATHER CLEARY WILL LECTURE

Rev. J. M. Cleary of Minneapolis, orator, lecturer, and one of the best known Catholic priests in Minnesota, will lecture next Friday evening at the Cathedral auditorium under the auspices of the Columbus club. His subject will be "Church and State; Religion and Country," and it will have particular application to the differences between the church and state in France, Spain, Portugal and other European countries.

Father Cleary is widely known as a lecturer and Chautauqua speaker. He keeps in close touch with current affairs and his utterances on public questions are always interesting. The subject of his lecture here is opportune and Father Cleary has an intimate knowledge of the conditions and developments he will discuss.

Father Cleary has been heard in Duluth several times previously, his last lecture being on "American Citizenship." He has also given his lecture on "The Great Passion Play at Oberammergau," in Duluth.

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SUPERIOR

BOND ISSUE IS TURNED DOWN

Superior voters decisively declared against bonding the city for $90,000 for the construction of a steel bridge over the Nemadji river at the special election held yesterday. The vote was 320 for and 1,049 against.

The vote was light, less than half of the voting population of the city turning out. In the Tenth ward, the part of the city to be benefited most by the passage of the measure, the vote was 121 for and 29 against.

Those who fought the bond issue before election, seem to favor a fill because it would be less expensive and will answer the purpose as well. Others favor a wooden bridge.

SOCIAL WORKER TELLS OF PLANS FOR YEAR.

Miss Florence Two, newly appointed social worker for Superior, arrived yesterday from Madison and last evening was present at the meeting of the executive committee of the local anti-tuberculosis society. She outlined to the committee the plan of her work in Superior.

A set of by-laws and constitution will be submitted to the society for adoption at its next meeting by the committee. The first block of 40,000 Christmas stamps has been disposed of and Secretary Orchard of the local society has sent for another 20,000.

EXPLOSION CAUSES FIRE IN SUPERIOR DYE WORKS.

Fire, resulting from a gasoline explosion, broke out yesterday afternoon at the Superior Dye works, 1712 North Fifth street and before the department arrived, the interior of the structure was practically wiped out. The damage is estimated at about $1,000. Considerable clothing that the firm had for repair work was burned. The building is owned by O. E. Dunn.

Auctioneer Arrested.

For auctioneering without a license, D. Frankfort, who was conducting an auction sale for Nels Peterson, jeweler, Seventh street and Tower avenue, was arrested yesterday afternoon. He put up $50 bail to appear in court, Dec. 19. An auctioneer is obliged to pay a license fee of $150 a year to the city besides 10 per cent of the gross receipts a month.

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Monday Is The Herald's Christmas Edition.

The Duluth Herald has the largest circulation of any newspaper in Duluth and Northern Minnesota. It is a newspaper of prestige and character and the good name of the paper attaches itself to the advertising.

At the present time it is giving results to advertisers far beyond the measure accorded in any previous period of its history. It covers the Duluth and Northern Minnesota field so thoroughly that good advertising in its columns is bound to pay without fail. The paper grows each month over the same preceding month of its history and its success is achieved only by its ability to produce for its patrons

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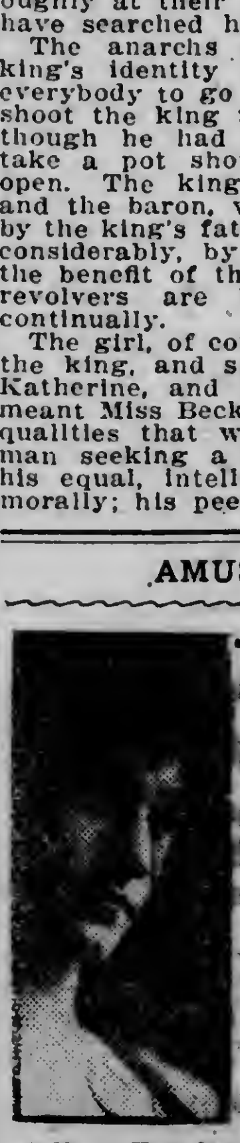

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New York, Dec. 10.—George W. Perkins announces his retirement from the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co., to devote his time to extending the principles of profit-sharing and other benefit plans for solving the conflict between capital and labor. The announcement follows:

"On Jan. 1, I will have been with the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co., ten years and engaged in business activities over thirty years. I am withdrawing to devote my time to corporation work and work of a public nature in which I am deeply interested.

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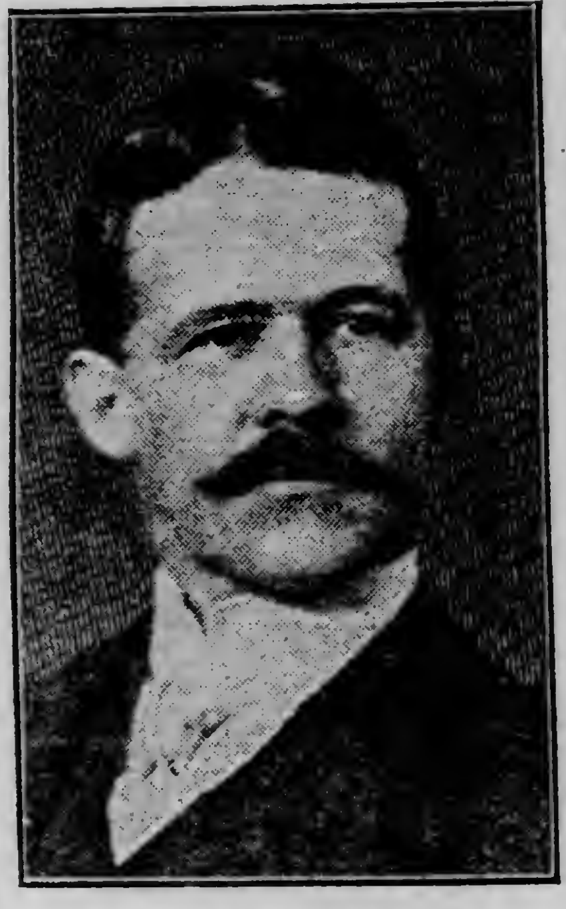

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Matters of Consequence.

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Mr. Perkins was the originator of the profit-sharing plan of the United States Steel corporation and International Harvester company and desires to adapt those methods to other organizations.

Before he entered J. P. Morgan & Co., Mr. Perkins was vice president and general manager of the New York Life Insurance company

Announcement by Firm.

The formal announcement made by J. P. Morgan & Co., says:

"Announcement is made by Messrs. J. P. Morgan & Co., that Mr. Edward F. Whitney and Mr. George W Perkins will retire from the firm on Jan. 1, 1911 and that Mr. William H. Porter, vice president of the Chemical National bank, and Mr. Thomas W. Lamont, vice president of the First National bank, will become partners in the firm.

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nesota sustained a fearful loss of labor power by industrial accidents. Three hundred and ten men killed, at least nineteen totally disabled, hundreds maimed and crippled, and hunreds more out of service for months at a time—and this repeated year after year—means a financial loss that no state can afford. Each year that these conditions continue the number of the widowed and orphaned, and the army of the crippled increases. One can hardly be an hour upon the street in any industrial center without seeing the empty sleeve or the crutch, the blind eye or the crippled hand, mute witnesses—five times out of ten—of dangerous industrial processes.

All but fifty of the injured were males; 45 per cent were married; 83.78 per cent between 17 and 40 years of age; 60.38 per cent Americans or North Europeans. At least as large a proportion as of the state's entire body of wage earners were paid above $2.50 a day.

Inexperience, callousness to danger, fatigue and speeding up, and youth are enumerated as causes of accidents. To inexperience are charged 31 per cent; to callousness nearly 13 per cent; to youth more than 17 per cent, and it is noted that in the middle of the working period, when men have lost the freshness gained from sleep, the largest number of accidents happened.

Hazards of Industry.

The employers were required by the accident report law to express their opinion upon whether anyone's fault caused the accident, and if so whose, or whether it was due to the hazard of the industry.

The following table shows that they attributed the accidents solely to the hazard of the industry in 61 per cent of the cases and partly to the hazard of the industry in over 10 per cent more.

	Cases.	Per cent.
Hazard of the industry....	2,488	61.00
Hazard and contributory negligence	429	10.50
Contributory negligence...	845	20.70
Pure negligence of injured.	149	3.60
Negligence of injured and of fellow workmen......	42	1.00
Negligence of injured and fellow servant	127	3.10
Negligence of injured employer	4	.10

The report makes a close analysis of the various forms of negligence that contribute to the causes of accidents and of what industrial hazards are, contributing the first analysis of these questions made on a state-wide basis in this country.

Ten chapters of the report are devoted to a close analysis of accidents and their causes in the various industries, the effort being made to show which accidents are preventable and how many of them. Suggestions for legislation are made in connection with the study of the individual industries.

The following facts about the mine accidents are illustrative:

Four thousand five hundred and seven mine accidents were reported during the year. Eighty-three were fatal, 7 total disablements and 17 serious permanent disablements (such as the loss of a leg, arm or eye). Two men had both legs broken, 32 one leg, 3 their skulls fractured, 16 arms fractured, 15 feet, hands, ankles, etc., fractured. One man lost 3 fingers, 9 were terribly cut, bruised and burned by blasts, 4 suffered internal injuries, and 10 others bad crushes or lacerations of their arms, feet, bodies or eyes. Approximately 1,500, or about one-third of the mine accidents, were fatal, serious or severe.

A Comparison.

A comparison of the fatal accidents for each 1,000 men employed in the Minnesota mines, with the same figures for other states and countries, showed that the Minnesota mines kill 4 men for every 1 killed in France or Belgium, more than 3 for 1 in Holland or the United Kingdom, more than 2 for 1 in Germany, Japan, Australia or the British Empire, and more than 1 killed in any other American mining field. But the fatal accident rate in Minnesota has nevertheless decreased considerably during the past five years, falling from 7.25 per 1,000 men in 1906 to 4.05 in 1910.

Inexperience at mine work, youth and inability to speak the English language, seem to be the most prominent personal elements in the causes of mine accidents in Minnesota. Every authority who has studied the Minnesota situation has emphasized this point. The demand for labor on the Minnesota iron ranges is so keen that large numbers of South Europeans and young men from various portions of this country who are inexperienced around mines go there seeking employment.

In the study of the physical causes of mine accidents the report makes analysis of the methods and processes of iron mining used in Minnesota, describing the "open-pit," "underground" and "milling" systems of mining in considerable detail.

In the study of mine accidents in Minnesota, the fatal and serious mine accidents reported during the last five years by the mine inspectors are tabulated and analyzed, and an effort was made to discover in each case both the natural and human elements in the cause of the accident. Much attention is paid to the subject of accident prevention.

Chapter 12 is a close analysis of the law of employers' liability. It first exposes the fundamental fallacies and injustice of the law and then the financial costs and social evils that result from its practical operation.

The last chapter, "Employers' Liability and the Workingman," is one of the most important in the report. It covers a thorough investigation made by special agents of the bureau of labor and a study of 122 employers' liability cases in the Minnesota supreme court.

To summarize, 50 per cent of the families received no compensation for the loss of their bread winner, 24.20 per cent $1,000 or less; 14.80 per cent $1,000 to $2,000; and 11 per cent $2,000 to $6,352. In other words, 50 per cent of all the families were left by the industry with nothing to depend on, 24 per cent with less than $1,000 and 14 per cent with less than $2,000. In only 11 per cent of the cases were the compensations worthy of serious consideration.

The total excess receipts of the twenty-seven families who obtained more from the industry than was sufficient to pay the funeral and medical expenses exceeded those expenses by $34,335.90. The average excess was $1,271.00. The total deficit of the families who received less than enough to pay the funeral expenses was $2,573.15, and the average $158. Subtracting the deficit in the seventeen cases from the excess in the twenty-seven cases, we find that the average excess of receipts over expenses in the fifty-four cases was $536.00.

Average Price of Lift.

Five hundred and thirty-six dollars and funeral expenses seems, therefore, (judging from these fifty-four cases) to be the average price paid for a human life by the industries of Minnesota—hardly one year's wages of an unskilled laborer.

Fortunately the families of the deceased workmen were not entirely dependent for future support upon the industries in which their bread winners were killed. Twenty-five of the families carried some form of insurance and four received aid from charity. (Many more will fall upon charity for support sooner or later).

In seven cases the insurance did not exceed $500. Such an insurance is of course, utterly inadequate for the needs of the situation. In ten cases it was $1,000, in four $1,100 to $1,500, and in four, $2,000 to $3,500. Only two families had more than $3,000 insurance.

But even insurances does not erase the dark spot. Only nine of the twenty-seven families who failed to obtain compensation from the industry carried insurance. Ten of the eighteen whose heirs received neither any compensation no any insurance were men with families. Twenty-six women and children were dependent upon them. These families were left to face the world without breadwinners and without means. And in only one case of the ten was the deceased in any way to blame for his untimely death.

The average compensation, above medical and legal expenses and wage losses, in the nine Minnesota cases in which decisions have been made in favor of workmen in two years was $123.22. Three of the men injured also received small sums from trade unions and fraternal societies. One of the men who received $2,500 by a suit was supported four and a half months by his married brother, pending the settlement of the case.

Six men lost a hand or its use. Two of these received nothing (except in one case medical expenses) and incurred medical and wage losses of $405 and $673. The compensations in the other four cases were $500, $850, $4,000 and $4,200; total, $9,550. The average net compensation was $1,110.75. The total receipts of the six workmen were $9,550, the total expenses $6,205, the average compensation, $557.50.

The report includes a very complete classified bibliography on industrial accidents, employers' liability and workmen's compensation that calls attention to all the principal publications on the subject in the English language.

GRAND JURY ROOM LEAKS

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superintendent of the bureau of investigation of the department of justice.

The accusation was made by John F. Brown, counsel for Mrs. Aileen Christopher, a witness against the alleged paving brick trust. She was in court to show why she had refused to bring certain evidence and documents before the grand jury, as requested by the United States district attorney.

Afraid of Leak.

Her answer by her attorney was that she feared the evidence would be exposed to the persons interested, and Dewoody was the man she accused through her counsel.

Judge Landis questioned Mrs. Christopher. She testified that Mr. Dewoody came to her at Portage, Wis., to get certain information, and while there, that he told her of the secret information the grand jury had obtained which later resulted in the indictment of Former Cashier Fitzgerald of the federal sub-treasury on charges of the theft of $1,173,000.

Champ Clark Boom Started.

Washington, Dec. 10.—The first state delegation boom for Champ Clark of Missouri, the minority leader, for the speakership of the next congress, was launched today, when Kentucky Democrats formally endorsed him for the office. Friends of Mr. Clark say that his election to the speakership of the next house is assured.

DICKINSON KEEN OVER AEROPLANES

Secretary of War in His Report Says Army Needs Some.

Asks Congress for Money for the Year and Tells of Work.

Recommendations Are Included Regarding Legislation.

Washington, Dec. 10.—As might have been expected after his personal flights in aeroplanes in France, Secretary of War Dickinson comes out in his annual report with a strong indorsement of the flying machines and with a recommendation to congress for an appropriation to provide the signal corps with a reasonable number of the better type of machine for instruction purposes and field work.

The United States' aeronautical equipment at present consists of one small dirigible balloon, one Wright aeroplane, and three small captive balloons, and its trained personnel at present consists of one signal corps lieutenant and nine enlisted men. There is only one officer who is a licensed pilot for free balloons.

The secretary says that so far as guns alone are concerned, the sea coast defenses at all home ports are in a very satisfactory state, but much remains to be done in providing such auxiliaries as search lights and in developing the fire control system, which will require about $4,000,000 of expenditure.

For Canal Defenses.

Congress is asked to authorize an expenditure of $19,546,843 for the fortification of the termini of the Panama canal, including the construction of posts for the permanent garrison, and $7,000,000 of this sum should be made available immediately in order to complete the project within three years. The additional sum of $2,000,000 is also wanted immediately to be applied toward the creation of naval establishments in the canal zone as a necessary part of the defense of the canal.

Fewer Desertions Reported.

The secretary notes with gratification a reduction by 30.6 per cent in the number of desertions last year compared with the preceding year. Altogether there were 3,464 desertions or a percentage of 3.66 of the strength of the army, which was less than any fiscal year since 1899. The decrease was most marked in the engineers, field artillery and cavalry.

Death Rate Low.

The death rate in the army last year was the lowest that has ever occurred, the total number being 370, of which 228 were from disease and 142 from injuries, six of the latter being killed by hostile Moros in action or while on sentry duty. Tuberculosis claimed the greatest number of victims, numbering 43 and there were 51 deaths from gunshot wounds. There were 33 suicides and 15 homicides.

A remarkable fact is that no deaths occurred from sun stroke or snake bite among the troops in the tropics nor from cold among the troops in Alaska and along the northern frontier. Alaska, as in former years, had the best health record.

Wants More Officers.

The secretary urges the adoption of a provision of law, similar to that governing the navy, for the elimination of inefficient officers. There is pressing need for efficient officers to replace those detailed from their regiments on necessary staff and miscellaneous duty, and the secretary makes a strong plea for the passage of the pending bill providing for the addition of 612 officers of various grades Last June every officer on detached duty who could possibly be relieved was ordered to join his proper command but the net result was disappointing as few of these officers could be spared from the important details to which they have been assigned.

Lack of Ammunition.

The most serious feature of the present military situation and one that should be corrected immediately, in the opinion of Secretary Dickinson, is the shortage of field artillery material. The chief of ordnance already has called attention to the fact that much time is required to manufacture this material and it would be impossible to obtain enough to supply the army in time of war, unless provision were made accumulating the stock far in advance.

Touching the progress of the work of uncovering the wreck of the Maine in Havana harbor, the secretary says the appropriation of $300,000 already made will accomplish all of the preliminary work contemplated at present, but the actual removal of the wreck and the restoration of the harbor to its original condition will require a further appropriation.

For Volunteer Army.

The secretary says that a comprehensive act providing for the organization of a volunteer army only after congress has made a declaration of war would be of inestimable value if the country ever again is confronted with a foreign war. Such legislation would permit of the preparation in time of peace of all the necessary plans for the organization, equipment and supply of a volunteer army and the selection of places for mobilization, thus avoiding delays that might be almost fatal to defense.

Estimate for the Year.

The total estimates for military purposes for the next year aggregates $139,674,278, which is $3,257,904 less than the appropriations for the current fiscal year.

The report conculdes with a strong recommendation based upon personal observation and the reports of the chiefs of all the bureaus in the war department, that some provision be made for the retirement on annuities of employes who have become superannuated in the service, thus following the practice which many railroads and other large business enterprises have found it advisable to adopt.

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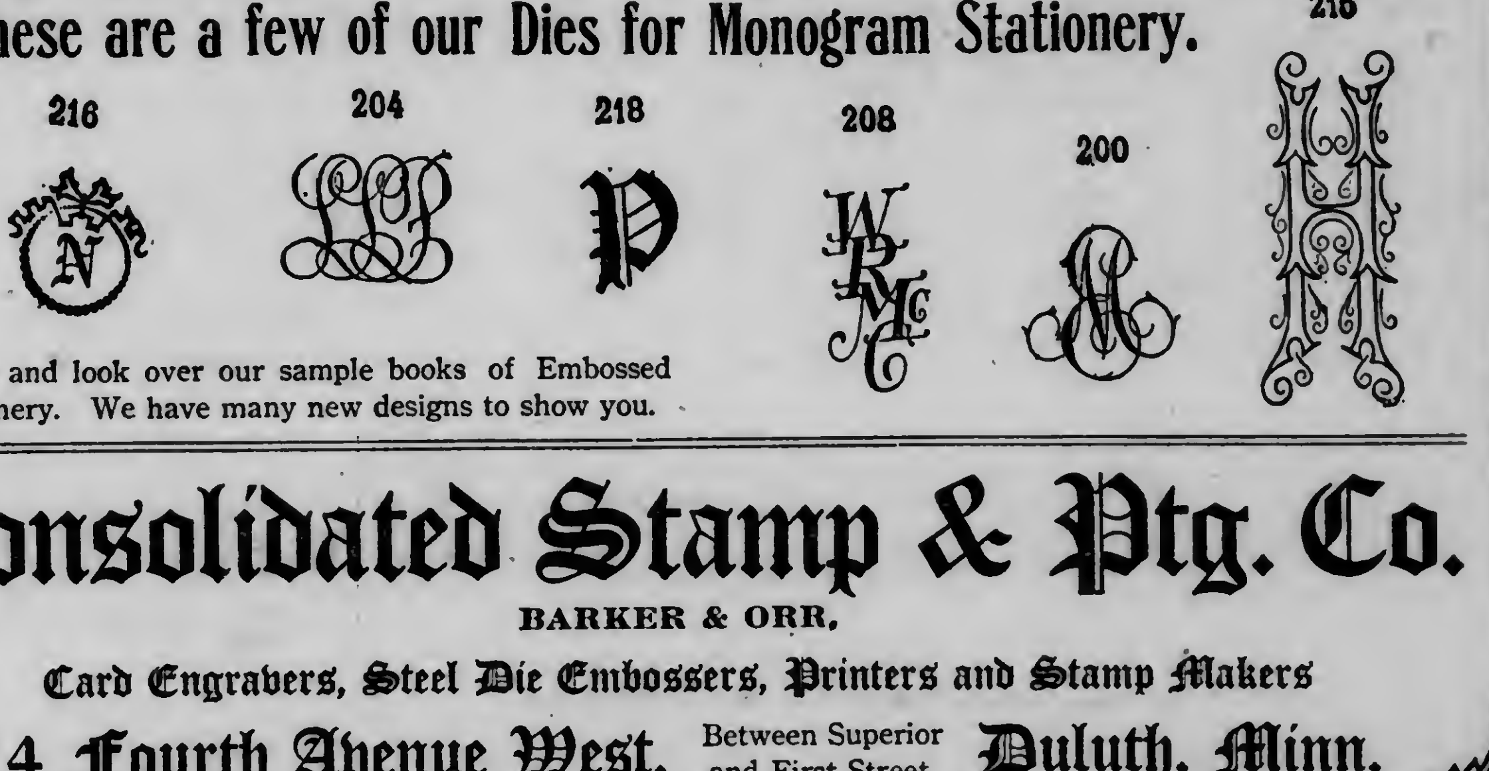

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WILL INTERVIEW THE LAWMAKERS

Trades Assembly Committee Will Call on Members of State Legislature.

At the meeting of the Duluth Trades and Labor assembly held last night at the Kalamazoo hall, a committee was appointed whose duty it will be to find out the sentiment of the representatives and senators from this district in regard to bills which favor union labor.

A committee composed of Richard Jones, S. S. McDonald and James Walsh was appointed. This committee will call on the representatives and interview them on the subject.

The committee will also inform them that the local assembly is heartily in favor of an initiative, referendum and a recall bill.

The city council was commended for the steps taken to secure legislation for an act which will enable the city to bond itself for the building of an electric plant. Several members of the assembly stated that the present price of light is too high.

An active campaign will soon be begun to increase the attendance at future meetings. Assistance to create more union labor sentiment in Duluth among working people, will be asked of the state federation. The Duluth assembly will ask that a live organizer be sent to this city at once.

Before adjourning the assembly voted to give its support to the sale of the Christmas seals which are for the aid of the fight against tuberculosis.

BANKERS WILL TALK CLEARING HOUSE METHODS.

New York, Dec. 10.—The clearing house section of the American Bankers' association has called a meeting of transit managers of banks to be held in Chicago on Dec. 1. Its object is the discussion of the question of symbols to be used on checks and drafts in line with a system devised by the clearing house section some two years ago, whereby cities are designated by letters and clearing house banks by their clearing house numbers. This is a labor saving device for transit departments. The state of Texas and the following cities will be represented: New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Boston, Pittsburg, St. Louis, New Orleans, Minneapolis, St. Paul, Cleveland and Denver.

INDUSTRIAL WORKERS MOBBED IN FRESNO.

Fresno, Cal., Dec. 10.—A mob last night burned the headquarters of the Industrial Workers of the World, severely beat members of the organization in the streets and surrounded the county jail, while other members were held.

The rioting was the culmination of a crusade against the Industrial Workers. Members of the organization began a "free speech" campaign several weeks ago. Many were arrested for making speeches in the street without police permits, but later it was discovered that there was no provision in the city ordinance prohibiting speech-making in the streets.

Goes Back to Wet Side.

Lynchburg, Va., Dec. 10.—Lynchburg has voted for the return of saloons which were ousted in March, 1908. The "wet" majority was 85 in a total vote of 2,653.

CLOQUET Y. M. C. A. BOYS' CAMPAIGN

Saturday Last Day and It Is Expected Membership Will Reach 100.

Cloquet, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—This is the last day of the campaign for new members in the boys' department of the Y. M. C. A. Two months ago the campaign for membership began, and at that time the number of members was in the fifties. Last night the clock in the boys' reading room, the hands of which are moved every time a member is secured, registered eighty-six. By tonight it is expected to register 100. E. W. Peck, state secretary of the Y. M. C. A., is here today, and will remain over Sunday in the special interest of this department. He spoke to the boys today and will talk to them again tomorrow.

The first meeting of the Gophers took place Thursday night. Harry Costigan was elected president. Open house for the box factory and paper mill boys was a big success, and the rooms at the Y. M. C. A. echoed with the merriest crowd that has been within their doors for a long time.

Since the completion of the big addition to the Y. M. C. A. building, which is alloted entirely to boys, enthusiasm among the youngsters has grown. The department is way ahead of many of the larger cities. There is an assembly hall, a reading room, a manual training room, superintendent's quarters, bath rooms, lockers for the boys, the use of the main gymnasium, and a gallery overlooking the same, pool tables, bowling and all the games that boys play. Mr. Gross, the manager, confidently expects his 100 boys tonight.

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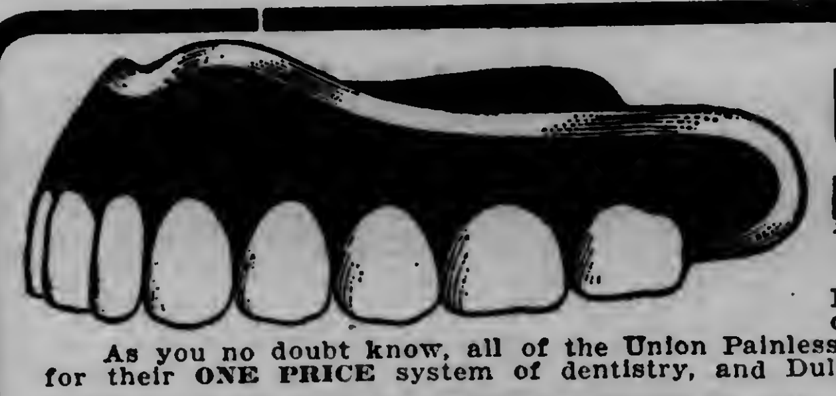

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ON THE IRON RANGES

EVELETH SOCIETY RENDERS PROGRAM

High School Organization Entertains Large Audience at High School.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—A large and enthusiastic audience attended the enjoyable program given at the high school last evening by the Crescent Literary society. The state song was sung by the audience with Miss Pauline Rabinowitz, as pianist. Miss Irene Campbell gave the history of the states, its educational, commercial and agricultural advantages and admission to the Union. Leslie Tobin, with Miss Hazel Tobin, accompanist, gave a fine violin solo. Della Stanaway rendered a piano solo in an entertaining manner. Misses Jane Mulligan, Lois Johnson and Ruth Damberg, rendered a popular song, accompanied by Leslie Tobin, violinist, and Miss Ruth Jesmore, pianist. They gave an encore.

Wilford Johnson read "A Colonial Thanksgiving," in an interesting and instructive manner.

The society elected Miss Elizabeth Greeley Marsh of the high school faculty in the contest that Rev. Phillip A. Schwarz, Jr., of the First Presbyterian church has proposed to the students.

The program closed with the presentation of stereopticon views of Minneapolis, St. Paul, Winona and Duluth views by Prof. John L. Peoples.

Following the program there was a ball.

INTEREST KEEN IN BOWLING CONTEST

Pin-Knocking-Down Competition at Oliver Club Absorbing Hibbing.

Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Interest is felt in the showing of the bowling tournament at the Oliver club which is drawing to a close. The leading teams run close for the championship. The contest commenced on Nov. 7 last, and the final game will be rolled Dec. 22. A handsome silver cup will be given to the winners. There are eight teams, composed of five men each, competing for this prize. Sellers' team leads, with Hull Rink No. 1 and the Hospitals running closely for second place. Jan. 1 at 8 p. m. is the time fixed for the annual meeting in the auditorium of the club. The president, secretary, treasurer, five directors and a house committee will be appointed at this meeting for the coming year. The mechanical engineer and shovel men will hold some interesting meetings after the holidays, when they will discuss and exchange ideas for the advancement of their work. A schedule for the coming season will be arranged shortly.

DISTRICT COURT HAS ADJOURNED

Session at Virginia Ends—Court Opens at Hibbing Monday.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—The jury in the case of L. Winer against Alex Hareja, in which the former sued for the recovery of a cow alleged to be owned by him, returned a verdict in favor of the defendant. Both parties to the action reside in Eveleth.

After hearing all the testimony in the case of Abbie A. Shea against W. P. Veitch, the Sparta Lumber company and others, Judge Hughes instructed the jury to return a verdict in favor of the plaintiff. Mrs. Shea brought suit against the defendants to recover 22,000 feet of pine lumber or the value thereof. At the close of this case court adjourned to meet at Hibbing next Monday morning, when a number of criminal and civil cases will be tried. The court has been in session here since the 25th day of October.

Deputy Sheriff Owen Gately took Joseph Judnick, convicted of assaulting an Oliver Iron Mining company police officer at Ely last June, where the latter will receive sentence by one of the district judges there. He was convicted of second degree assault, the penalty for which is from one to five years in the state penitentiary.

ASK LUMBER COMPANY TO SPARE ELY LAKE PINES.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Efforts are being made to have the Northern Lumber company, which is to cut the timber at the Ely and St. Mary lakes this winter, leave the pine on the Ely lake picnic grounds as that is the only summer resort in this vicinity. The secretary of the Commercial club has been instructed to request the lumber company to leave the pine and hardwood timber standing, and it is expected that the company will comply with the request.

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TEACHERS TALK OF THEIR WORK

Educators of Gilbert District Hold Regular Monthly Meet.

Gilbert, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—The last regular monthly meeting of the teachers of this district was well attended and profitable. The teachers responded to roll call with educational maxims and events of recent occurrence upon matters of educational interest. These were well selected and well rendered.

Miss Anna Anderson's pupils gave an interesting exercie in reading that was very creditable to the teacher, the pupils and to the supervisor of primary work. So excellent was the work that many assumed that the class had read the lesson before.

Principal C. E. Bell of McKinley-Elba school, outlined a plan for helping students who did not do their work successfully each month. He suggested that the pupil that does the best work during the month, be appointed for the week or month to coach the others. Give plenty of time for review work. Put drills on the board and drill until thoroughly mastered. Give easy lessons. Use drills, cards, etc., in history to fix epochs and dates.

Superintendent's Suggestion.

Suggestions were offered by Supt. Newberry for better methods of solving difficult questions of discipline. Some explanations were offered concerning the system of phonics and the use of diacritical marks above the third grade. Diacritical marks should be studied and used in connection with the dictionary from the fourth grade up to and throughout the high school.

The superintendent also recommended that pupils be permitted to finish their recitation before being corrected, and that the children be encouraged to talk freely in reciting. More freehand sketching with pencil and charcoal was urged, and that less color work and copying be given in the drawing outlines. In the work in music, it was urged that children be taught to love music and express through it, what there was of thought and feeling in the verse and notes. The rendition of America and other familiar songs was criticised on account of the lack of appreciation of what the words and music really intended to call forth. Suggestions were offered concerning the teachers' duty in the direction of songs used in schools and in their holiday programs.

After the close of the general session, the primary teachers met with Miss Ny, primary supervisor, and outlines of the work for the ensuing month were given out and explained and illustrated. Teachers were urged to read carefully their instructions as to the work outlined and materials to be used. Semi-annual examinations were announced for February. The schools will close on Dec. 16 for a two weeks' recess, convening again on Jan. 2, for the winter term.

ELY MOTHERS' CLUB ENJOYS PROGRAM

It Was One of Features of Regular Monthly Meet of Club.

Ely, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—The regular monthly meeting of the Mothers' club was held on Friday afternoon in the kindergarten room at the Pioneer school building. Reports were made by the standing committees after which the following program which was enjoyed, was rendered: Piano solo, Mrs. G. L. Fitzwilliams; vocal solo, Gladys Cosgrove; dramatization of Christmas story, three pupils from Miss Baribeau's room; vocal solo, Corine Leino; Brownie stunt, Miss Morey's pupils; reading, "Christmas at the Mines," Miss Jones; vocal solo, Miss Newsome; recitation, Cecelia Nancerois; piano solo, Marion Grabowsky. After the program a delicious luncheon was served by a committee of ladies.

Ely Personal Notes.

Mrs. M. E. Gleason is enjoying a visit this week from a sister and brother from Iron Mountain, Mich.

Miss Jones of Stillwater is spending a few days in the city with her friend, Miss Heritage.

Richard Whiteside of Duluth returned to his home Thursday, after a few days in the city.

Mrs. J. Forcia and daughter Eileen were visitors to the Twin Cities this week.

Dr. Owen Parker is confined to his home this week on account of illness.

The Ely entertainers gave another of their enjoyable dancing parties on Friday evening, many attending.

LADIES' AUXILIARY CHOOSES OFFICERS

Branch of Railway Conductors' Order Elects at Two Harbors.

Two Harbors, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—The ladies' auxiliary to the O. R. C. met Thursday afternoon and elected the officers for the ensuing years, as follows: President, Mrs. Rosa Burwick; vice president, Mary Brennan; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Bessie Boston; senior sister, Mrs. A. H. Clark; junior sister, Dora Fulton; guard, Ida Hiller; chairman executive committee, Melissa Finnegan; first member executive committee, Mrs. Bessie Elliott; second member, Mrs. F. A. Hall; correspondent, Mrs. Jessie O'Rourke; insurance secretary, Mrs. Dora Fulton; delegate, Mrs. Dora Fulton; alternate delegates, Mrs. Olive Clark, and musician, Mrs. Bessie Elliott. The installation services will be held on Jan. 12.

The Royal Neighbors, Lake Shore camp, No. 2928, met Monday evening and elected their officers for the coming year. The following were elected: Oracle, Mrs. Clara Peterson; vice oracle, Mrs. Bertha Miller; past oracle, Mrs. L. D. Rose; chancellor, Mrs. E. L. Blood; sentinel, Mrs. J. Hendrickson; delegate, Mrs. J. Hendrickson; alternate delegate, Mrs. E. L. Blood; recorder, Mrs. Mary J. Holliday; receiver, Mrs. Jennie Tennant; marshal, Mrs. Hanna Lundberg; doctors, E. P. Christensen and M. K. Knauff. Luncheon was served following the meeting.

The local order of Maccabees held their annual election Thursday evening and chose the following: Past commander, Andrew Anderson; commander, David Therrien; lieutenant commander, A. E. Sundberg; record keeper, William Towl; physician, Dr. E. P. Christensen; chaplain, C. W. Dawson; sergeant, J. J. Jelle; master-at-arms, Swan Force; first guard, George La Mere, second guard, J. B. Kontny; sentinel, Frank Glazier; picket, Ole Winter; trustee for three years, Odric Le Clair. Following the meeting five candidates were initiated and a smoker was held.

Debating Team Chosen.

The announcement of the debating team to meet Duluth in that city on Dec. 22 was made this week after a faculty meeting.

The team will be Carl Olson, '11; Leroy Pegelow, '11, and Edwin Strand, '11, with Lawrence Foster, '12, as alternative. The question to be debated is: "Resolved, That the cities of Minnesota should adopt the commission plan of government." The local team has the negative side. Miss Kate Mark will be head coach. The team is composed of good, strong members and of these two are from the two winning teams in the preliminary debates. This is the first year Two Harbors has been in the league. Last year the locals received an unanimous decision over Cloquet, the only time previous she has met outside teams. The members are working very hard and expect to defeat Duluth.

VIRGINIA BOWLING GAMES.

Interest Is Keen in the Sport in the Range City.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Much interest continues in the bowling game. A number of match games are being arranged. The Tigers expect to pull off two match games next week on the Lusk & Sigel alleys. Since the defeat of the Chisholm team here last week the latter is anxious for a return game with the Tigers, and the Aurora boys are also itching to get even with the Tigers for having been defeated on their own alleys some two weeks ago. Many good scores have been bowled on the local alleys during the past week, and a record of them is given below: Clark, 216; Edmonds, 219; Blanchard, 207, 211 and 216; Rogers, 216 and 230; Knutson, 213, 228 and 235; Morosini, 221; Taylor, 207 and 220; Currie, 213 and 219; Rivers, 231; Jacobson, 232. Knutson is at the head of the list with a score of 235.

VILLAGE OF ALICE TO HAVE FINE SCHOOL.

Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—The new Alice school building is rapidly being completed. Heasley & Hazelcamp, the contractors, are advancing well with the brick work, and are hoping to finish some time next week. The plastering and carpenter work will be finished with all speed, and every effort used to complete the contracts within the allowed time.

ITASCA COUNTY IS TO HAVE FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

Grand Rapids, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Farmers institutes will be held in Itasca county next week as follows: Grand Rapids, Dec. 16; Feeley, Dec. 15, and Deer River, Dec. 17. C. E. Brown of Elk River, C. O. Carlson of Erskine, and H. G. Larson, well known agriculturalists and institute workers, will participate in the proceedings

LADIES AUXILIARY OF HIBBING HAS ELECTION.

Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—The ladies' auxiliary of the Ancient Order of Hibernians has elected the following officers: President, Miss Demgen; vice president, Annie Currie; financial secretary, Mary Garland; recording secretary, Agnes Jenks; mistess at arms, Katherine Sullivan; chairman of standing committee, Mary La Plant; sentinel, Julia Byrnes; chaplain, Rev. Father Gamache. After the election a lunch was served.

ANOTHER MILITARY BALL.

Hibbing Organization Will Again Entertain at Dance.

Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—The members of Company M have decided to give another dance at their armory on Dec. 22. The Thanksgiving event was so successful that the members of the company desire to repeat the function. A most enjoyable lunch was partaken of last night after the regular drill, followed by a smoker and social evening, when it was decided that the above mentioned dance should be given. Some interesting matters were discussed at the smoker relating to company business for the united advancement of their corps.

MEADOWLANDS JOTTINGS.

Meadowlands, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—T. Burchard and family moved here Thursday from Central Ohio, having bought ten acres for truck gardening, a little south of town.

Fred Strong shipped his household goods to Turner Tuesday, where he is employed as watchman at the Agnew lumber mill.

Adolph Fratzke of Bovey was here Monday.

P. J. Peterson went to Duluth Wednesday.

Mrs. Joe Hasl of Elmer was here this week.

Mrs. C. Oachley of St. Joseph colony was here Friday.

John Turnquist purchased a fine team of horses at Duluth and shipped them here to work in his camp west of town.

Miss Lydia and Elizabeth McCarthy were visitors at Duluth Thursday.

G. Pickering and Mrs. Erwin, who were visiting with E. C. Speece and family returned home Monday.

Postmaster Worthing was in Duluth Wednesday.

H. T. Agnew shipped a car load of potatoes to his camps at Turner Tuesday.

Ely Man Sells Out.

Ely, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—John Bedford and family expect to leave soon for the Pacific coast, to reside Mr. Bedford has sold his livery business here, a thirty horse establishment with dray line, to Dr. R. J. Caffine, veterinary surgeon for the St. Croix Lumber company, for $15,000.

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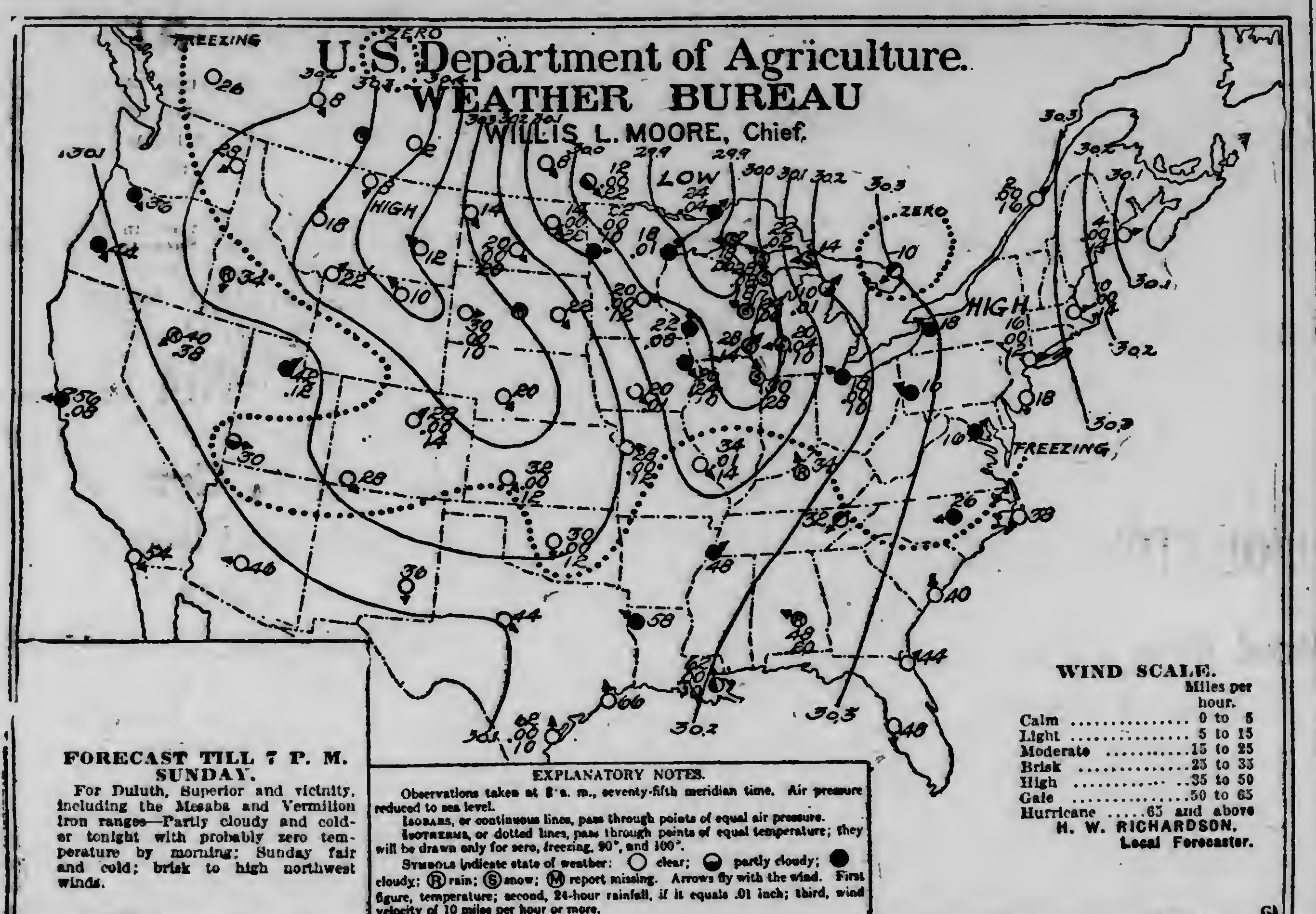

FORECAST TILL 7 P. M. SUNDAY.

For Duluth, Superior and vicinity, including the Mesaba and Vermilion iron ranges—Partly cloudy and colder tonight with probably zero temperature by morning; Sunday fair and cold; brisk to high northwest winds.

EXPLANATORY NOTES.

Observations taken at 8 a. m., seventy-fifth meridian time. Air pressure reduced to sea level.

Isobars, or continuous lines, pass through points of equal air pressure.

Isotherms, or dotted lines, pass through points of equal temperature; they will be drawn only for zero, freezing, 90°, and 100°.

Symbols indicate state of weather: ○ clear; ◓ partly cloudy; ● cloudy; Ⓡ rain; Ⓢ snow; Ⓜ report missing. Arrows fly with the wind. First figure, temperature; second, 24-hour rainfall, if it equals .01 inch; third, wind velocity of 10 miles per hour or more.

WIND SCALE.

	Miles per hour.
Calm	0 to 5
Light	5 to 15
Moderate	15 to 25
Brisk	25 to 35
High	35 to 50
Gale	50 to 65
Hurricane	65 and above

H. W. RICHARDSON,
Local Forecaster.

Warmer weather and a light snow last night were a relief after the intense cold of the early part of the week. Today is one of those gray days with a tendency toward softness. Tonight will be colder and tomorrow fair and cold, the weather man predicts.

A cold snap was breaking up a year ago today.

The sun rose this morning at 7:43 and it will set at 4:19 this evening, giving eight hours and thirty-six minutes of sunlight.

Mr. Richardson makes the following comment on weather conditions:

"A slight disturbance that has moved from Saskatchewan to Western Ontario has caused light snow in the Upper Mississippi valley and Western Lake region and snow or rain over the Lower Ohio valley, during the last twenty-four hours, besides much warmer weather over the Western Lake region, Lower Missouri and Mississippi valleys. Another depression off the Pacific coast has caused rain over Northern California, Nevada and Idaho. Areas of high barometric pressure overlie the upper St. Lawrence valley and Atlantic coast and Montana and Saskatchewan, the one in the Northwest being attended by decidedly colder weather. This drop in temperature includes British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Idaho, Montana, the Western Dakotas, Wyoming and Colorado and will doubtless reach the Head of the Lakes during tonight. Zero temperatures prevail in Saskatchewan."

General Forecasts.

Chicago, Dec. 10.—Forecasts for twenty-four hours ending at 7 p. m. Sunday:

Upper Michigan—Snow tonight and Sunday; colder Sunday and in west and central portions tonight.

Wisconsin—Threatening and colder tonight; Sunday probably fair and colder.

Minnesota — Generally fair tonight and Sunday; colder tonight.

Iowa — Fair tonight and Sunday; colder in extreme east and northwest portions tonight.

North Dakota—Fair tonight and Sunday; colder in east and central portions tonight.

South Dakota—Fair tonight and Sunday; colder in east portion tonight.

Montana—Fair tonight and Sunday; except snow in extreme west portions Sunday; warmer tonight.

Shippers' forecast: Protect 35-hour shipments of perishables against temperatures varying from about zero to 10 deg above in the Dakotas, Minnesota and Wisconsin.

The Temperatures.

Following were the highest temperatures for twenty-four hours and the lowest for twelve, ending at 7 a. m. today:

	High.	Low.		High.	Low.
Abilene	66	42	Miles City	40	12
Alpena	18	8	Milwaukee	28	24
Atlantic City	30	16	Minnedosa	30	6
Battleford	26	—6	Modena	52	30
Bismarck	40	16	Montgomery	60	44
Boise	38	34	Montreal	8	—2
Boston	28	8	Moorhead	30	18
Buffalo	20	14	New Orleans	70	48
Calgary	34	6	New York	28	16
Charleston	54	38	North Platte	50	20
Chicago	30	26	Oklahoma	58	30
Corpus Christi	80	62	Parry Sound	0	—10
Denver	60	26	Phoenix	74	46
Des Moines	30	18	Pittsburg	24	14
Devils Lake	34	14	Port Arthur	20	16
Dodge	62	28	Portland, Or	42	36
Dubuque	20	22	Prince Albert	20	0
DULUTH	18	14	Qu'Appelle	32	2
Durango	58	28	Raleigh	48	26
Eastport	20	4	Rapid City	46	26
Edmonton	26	—2	Roseburg	48	42
Escanaba	20	12	Roswell	76	36
Galveston	70	64	St. Louis	44	34
Grand Haven	24	12	St. Paul	24	20
Green Bay	16	12	Salt Lake City	54	40
Hatteras	48	30	San Diego	72	54
Havre	34	8	San Francisco	64	54
Helena	36	18	Sault Ste. Marie	10	4
Houghton		10	Sheridan	40	8
Huron	28	16	Shreveport	64	56
Jacksonville	62	44	Spokane	42	26
Kamloops	42	26	Swift Current	30	2
Kansas City	40	26	Tampa	62	44
Knoxville	44	30	Toledo	26	14
La Crosse		20	Washington	28	8
Louisville	38	28	Williston	32	14
Madison	24	20	Winnemucca	46	40
Marquette	20	12	Winnipeg	30	12
Memphis	52	46	Yellowstone	34	22

Small Hibbing Fire.

Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 10.—The fire department was called out by a fire at the store of Albertini & Co., on Washington street, last night. The blaze was confined to an attaic at the back of the store, caused through a defective chimney, which had set fire to the roof, and might have resulted in a serious outbreak, but for the timely response of the fireman, who with the aid of the chemical soon extinguished the fire.

Eveleth Notes.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Secretary Dr. N. C. Bulkley of the Eveleth Associated Charities, who has been authorized to take charge of the local Red Cross seal sale, expects 5,000 seals today that he has already ordered from headquarters. The stamps will be sold at local business places and also at public buildings.

The Boy Scouts this afternoon made their initial "hike" of the year to Troy mine, a distance of two miles under the directions of Commander-in-chief Burton O. Greening, Dale Cerveny, Maurice Levant and Percy Pryor.

Eveleth Wrestling Match.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Hackenschmidt, the Russian Lion, and Chris Person of Duluth, will wrestle to a finish here, two out of three falls, Wednesday evening, at the Othello theater.

Boyle's Appointment Pleases.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—The anouncement of the appointment of Edward Boyle to succeed his brother Senator-elect James P. Boyle, as assistant county attorney, was received with satisfaction by the attorneys and the citizens in general, although it had been hoped that County Attorney Norton and the board of county commissioners would select Attorney George F. Shea of this city for the position.

Another Blind-Pigger Fined.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Mike Lahine appeared before Judge Carey yesterday, charged with operating a blind pig at one of the mine locations, and paid a fine of $50 and costs This brings the number of blind piggers arrested during the past week up to twenty-four, twenty-two having paid fines, one being dismissed and one being out on bail bonds.

PROCTOR CLUB DOING THINGS

Commercial Club of Village to Meet Tuesday to Advance Various Plans.

Proctor, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Proctor Commercial club will hold an open meeting at the village hall next Tuesday evening. The Proctor band will attend and will give their first musical entertainment. The band has been organized within the past year and has been practicing under the direction of a competent musical director. Other entertainment will be provided for the evening. Several matters of vast importance to every resident of Proctor will be taken up and a large attendance is hoped for. The club since its organization last spring has done a great deal of good work for the town. It has a membership of about seventy-five, and it is expected that a number of new members will be added at the coming meeting.

The members of the cast of "The Old Destreek Skule" enjoyed a sleigh-ride to Pike Lake last evening. The start was made from here at 5 o'clock and on their arrival at the lake, supper was served. About twenty-five young folks comprised the party.

The Proctor basket ball team played the Brocklehurst Business College team of Duluth at the Y. M. C. A. on Thursday evening, the Proctor team winning by a score of 37 to 19. About seventy-five were present from Proctor to witness the game. On next Friday evening a double header will be played when the first and second Proctor teams will play the first and second teams of the Brocklehurst college.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. Charles Conners, Thursday.

Wedding Bells Are Ringing.

Send or call for my illustrated book of brides' hand and shower bouquets, the latest style. J. J. Le Borious, florist, 921 East Third street and 6 East Superior street.

CUBAN LAWMAKERS FIGHT FATAL DUEL.

Havana, Dec. 10.— Severo Moleon and Gen. Sanchez Figuera, both members of the house of representatives and the latter a negro, had an impromptu duel with revolvers in a crowded street. Severo Moleon was shot in the neck and died shortly afterward in a hospital. Gen. Figuera was wounded in the stomach, probably fatally. Two passers by were struck by bullets but were not mortally injured. The duel sprang from an old political feud.

EBERHART TO ADDRESS CHICAGO BANKERS' CLUB.

Chicago, Dec. 10.—L. A. Goddard, president of the Bankers' club, announces that at the dinner to be given at the Congress hotel Dec. 17, Governor A. O. Eberhart of Minnesota will make an address on the "Northwest" Robert F. Maddox, of Atlanta, Ga., will speak of "The New South."

MILK AND LUMBER ARGUMENTS ENDED.

Washington, Dec. 10.—Oral arguments were heard yesterday by the interstate commerce commission in the cases of R. F. Cobb et al, against the Northern Pacific Railway company et al, attacking the rates on milk and cream from points in Wisconsin, Nebraska, North Dakota and South Dakota to St. Paul and Minneapolis, and of the Conner Lumber & Land company against the Chicago & Northwestern Railway company, alleging undue prejudice in rates to Laona, Wis. The cases were taken under consideration by the commission.

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"Saturday Night Pop."

Tonight will be the inaugural night for the new social feature in the Duluth Y. M. C. A. to be known as the "Saturday Night Pop."

There will be an interesting program by the best talent obtainable this and each succeeding Saturday night throughout the winter.

They will be entirely free of any charge. Not the least of the attractions on these occasions will be the presence of the ladies, who are especially invited. Non-members invited by members will also be welcome.

C. E. KELLY FOUND LOTS OF VICTIMS

Suspect Under Arrest in Manitoba Alleged to Have Given Bad Checks.

Lakota, N. D., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—C. E. Kelly, under arrest at Brandon, Man., who will be extradited, is alleged to have made about $1,000 in Lakota and Michigan City. Kelly proposes to put up a stiff fight against extradition.

For about a year Kelly was a resident of Doyon, Ramsey county, making frequent visits to Lakota and Michigan City, having formerly resided in both of these places while engaged in the restaurant business. On these trips he made purchases of a larger or lesser amount, tendering checks in payment, and these checks were always accepted by the banks, Kelly's account being in good standing.

About ten days ago when Kelly decided to leave North Dakota, he withdrew his deposit in the Doyon bank and then came on to Lakota. In this city he made some purchases, while in Michigan City he also made some extensive purchases, tendering checks. The fact that these checks had always been good in the past, resulted in no query being raised until three or four days later when they were returned, marked "no account."

In Michigan City a jeweler was worked for a $350 diamond, while other merchants in both cities also fell for the game.

When arrested at Brandon about $1,000 in American bills were found on Kelly's person. He denies being the man wanted, but from all information received here there appears very little question that the Canadian suspect and C. E. Kelly of Doyon are the same.

NORTH DAKOTA HOSPITAL TO BE COMPLETED FEB. 1.

Jamestown, N. D., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—The state hospital for tubercular patients at the state asylum for the insane, will be ready about Feb. 1. The work on this building has been delayed from time to time, because of a shortage of material. When the building is completed, greatly improved sanitary conditions will bo brought about in the hospital, as the segregation of the tubercular patients will create a better condition.

MINNESOTA SOCIALIST NEW FERGUS FALLS PAPER.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Producers Publishing company, which has been publishing the Fergus Globe for some months past as a Socialist paper, has returned to the plant of H. E. Boen, the former publisher. The company is preparing to jublish a newspaper to be called "The Minnesota Socialist." The first issue of the new venture will appear next week. O. J. Arness will be the editor.

INDIAN BILL PAST HOUSE

Charges of Irregularity Made By Burke During Its Consideration.

River and Harbor Bill Also Reported By the Committee.

Washington, Dec. 10.—The house of representatives has passed the Indian appropriation bill. It carries a total of $8,277,985, being $97,000 more than the bill carried when it came from the committee. The rivers and harbors bill was introduced.

Charges of irregularity in connection with the allotment of certain Indian lands in Oklahoma were made in connection with the discussion and passage of the Indian bill.

Chairman Burke of the Indian affairs committee said that misrepresentations to the committee at the last session by certain members of the house had led to the passage of an act for the enrollment on the Kiowa tribe of Indians and the allotment of 100 acres of land to James F. Rowell, when he was not entitled to either.

Is Connecticut Yankee.

Rowell, a white man, from Connecticut, who had married an Indian woman, it developed, had been allotted land near the town of Lawton, Okla., which a United States inspector for the interior department declared to be worth from $75,000 to $100,000. The committee had been informed, Mr. Burke said, that the land which Rowell was to receive was no more valuable than that usually given to members of the tribe in which he sought enrollment. It was finally decided to let the question of his right to citizenship in the Indian tribe go to the courts, where the matter is now pending, to determine Rowell's right to an allotment. Representative Cooper of Wisconsin dubbed Rowell a "Connecticut Yankee who had gone West and as expeditiously as possible acquired an Indian wife and family of four children" with the right to an allotment for each member of the family.

Rivers and Harbors Bill.

A total of $21,894,861 in cash for 1912 appropriations and $9,154,363 for contracts authorized for the years subsequent to 1912 is carried in the rivers and harbors bill as reported to the house by the committee.

It is expected that the sundry civil bill will carry several millions additional for similar purposes, and that when the bill reaches the senate one of the amendments will provide for a survey of the harbor at Montauk Point, L. I., the plan for which was placed before the committee, as it states, too late for insertion in the bill. Montauk Point is the location of an old project for a sweeping change to meet the congestion of docking at New York, the idea being to make it a port for European liners and a big railroad terminal.

Some Larger Items.

Some of the larger items in the bill as reported are:

Locks and dams on the Ohio river, $2,000,000 cash and $3,000,000 in contracts authorized for subsequent years, and $5,500,000 cash for the Mississippi river. The Mississippi appropriation is divided to give $3,000,000 to the head of the passes to the mouth of the Ohio, $1,000,000 between the Ohio and Missouri rivers, $1,250,000 between the Missouri river and St. Paul and $250,000 thence to Minneapolis. Detroit river $375,000 cash.

Chinese Vermilion Makers Hold Secret of Ages.

The manufacture of vermilion, which is one of the foremost industries of Hongkong and entirely in the hands of the Chinese, is very ancient. They made artificial cinnabar long before Europe was a civilized country and some of the granite stones between which the pulverized ore is ground are almost prehistoric. The secret of good health is in keeping the body built up with a good malt tonic, such as Golden Grain Belt beer. It revitalizes the blood and rebuilds the muscles and nerve tissues. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by the Duluth branch Minneapolis Brewing company.

MANUEL OF PORTUGAL IS SAID TO BE BROKE.

Rome, Dec. 10.—The Tribuna prints an interview with a Portuguese personage whose name is not mentioned, but who is said to be a prominent royalist, concerning Manuel II, the exiled king of Portugal.

Manuel, he says, is poverty-stricken and unable to choose a place of residence. Owing to lack of money the dethroned king has been compelled to accept the hospitality of the duke of Orleans at Wood Norton, Eversham, England. For three months he has not had means wherewith to pay his servants.

Manuel, according to the interview, hopes that he will be resored to power, insisting that a republic in Portugal cannot exist. His friends predict that a congress of the powers will settle Portugal's affairs and say that otherwise the Royalists are ready to fight for the restoration of the monarchy.

Twice Tried Man Acquitted.

Bemidji, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Twice tried on the charge of assault in the first degree, and with a disagreement of the jury in both cases, Frank Van Tassel, an inmate of the county jail since last March, has been discharged from St. Anthony's hospital, where he was taken on Nov. 6, suffering with a severe attack of typhoid fever.

Van Tassel is accused of having assaulted John Lehner, an aged homesteader, living near Tenstrike, on March 24, by beating him over the head with a hatchet.

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DEFECTIVE PAGE

REUNION OF THE "CHINS"

Mrs. Yuen Shee Gin and Daughters Arrive From China.

Chin Fong Ying Sees Father for the First Time.

Mrs. Yuen Shee Gin is the latest arrival in the Duluth Chinese colony.

And incidental to the arrival of Mrs. Yuen Shee Gin, or Mrs. Chin Ah Gin, for that is the name of her husband the proprietor of the Oregon restaurant, though the girls in the place call him by the curb name of "Mike," is the arrival of Chin Fong Ying, aged six months, and Chin Fong Kay, aged about eight years. These are the daughters of Mrs. Yuen Shee Gin.

Chin Fong Ying was born in China and when she reached Duluth yesterday her large and innocent slant eyes gazed with apprehension upon her father for the first time. Now Chin Ah Gin and little Chin Fong Ying are reported to be the best of friends.

Chin Ah Gin went to China more than a year ago and arranged to bring his family to Duluth. The present trip is the first time "the Missus" has been in this country. She met some of the elite of the San Francisco and Los Angeles Chinese colony, staying for a month or so in California before her departure for Duluth.

Chin Ah Gin stated today that his wife was going to like Duluth. "I like it," and with an Oriental finality in the words, he gave you the impression that that contributed one of the big factors in the why and wherefore of his wife liking our fair city.

In addition to the two girls, there is also Chin Yuen Tuck, who is a boy. He came to this country with his father and had not seen his mother for something like three long years. You can imagine the joyful reunion there was in the abode of Chin Ah Gin, or "Mike" to be very American.

Others of the Chinese joined in the celebration, which has been one of the affairs of local Chinatown. In fact, the arrival of "the Missus and the kids" has been quite the event of Chinese social circles, for it is reported that Chin Ah Gin moves in the best of social circles.

Take Care!

Remember that when your kidneys are affected, your life is in danger. M. Mayer, Rochester, N. Y., says: "My trouble started with a sharp shooting pain over my back which grew worse daily. I felt sluggish and tired, my kidney action was irregular and infrequent. I started using Foley Kidney Pills. Each dose seemed to put new life and strength into me, and now I am completely cured and feel better and stronger than for years" Sold by all druggists.

HALL FOR RENT!

Parties needing room to hold conventions, annual meetings, club or lodge banquets, dances, lectures, etc., should rent Knights of Pythias Hall, 118 West Superior street. Apply to J. L. Cromwell, 18 Phoenix block.

COPPERS ADVANCE; UNDERTONE FIRMER

Market Walks Forward and Pressure Is Absent--- No Features.

The copper market was stronger today and there was a lack of pressure which changed the complexion of the market completely. The London market was higher and the bull pool started to buying stocks on this side from the jump. The report that the New York Central will place an order for 165,000 tons of steel rails in the near future helped to better the market's undertone. Sentiment in the business world, according to Dunn's review, is cautious and conservative.

The net earnings of the United States Steel corporation may show less than $30,00,000 for the current quarter compared with $40,982,746 for the corresponding quarter of 1909. The report on unfilled tonnage today while not as bearish as some people expected was far from favorable.

Amalgamated sold at $64, $63.75 and $64.62½, Butte-Ballaklava at $7.50, $7.62½ to $7.50, Calumet Arizona at $48 to $50 to $49.75, Greene was $6.87½ bid, Giroux sold at $6.75, North Butte at $30 to $30.25, Superior & Pittsburg at $13.62½ to $14.

Red Warrior sold here at $1.68¾. Superior & Pittsburg at $13.75, Amazon at $1.50, Calumet & Montana at 85c to 88c, Carman at 77c, Keating at 95c, St. Mary's at 15c and 16c, Vermilion Iron at $2.25 to $2.37½. The old Butte & Superior sold at 78c

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The Boston Fianancial News says: "The decrease of 8,872,845 pounds in the copper surplus during November makes a total decrease of 40,252,009 pounds in the total surplus in the past four months, thus reducing the stocks on hand from approximately 170,000,000 to 130,000,000 pounds representing a percentage decrease of 23.5 per cent. The surplus now stands at a figure lower than it was last April so that by averaging there has been a steady falling off in the surplus copper since the early spring. Perhaps the most interesting feature of today's statement is that the production of 119,353,000 pounds is smaller by over 7,000,000 pounds than it was for the previous month although November contained one day less than October. Yet it was the smaller production which was the main factor in reducing the surplus as domestic deliveries were 7,000,000 pounds smaller."

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It is now figured that Giroux will begin the hoisting of ore through its big Alpha shaft in January. The tenth level of the Alpha (which caved a few years ago, closing that portion of its mine,) has been reopened and connected with the new big shaft, and it is showing well in copper. The twelfth level is now being connected. It is in about 530 feet and has about 350 feet to go to reach the ore bearing territory. It is understood that the Giroux company will observe vertical lines—through agreement—in mining its ores, thereby avoiding any future litigation over apex rights.

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Closing quotations on the Duluth Stock Exchange today follow:

LISTED STOCKS—	Bid.	Asked.
American Saginaw	......	1¾
Butte Coalition	18¼	18½
Butte-Alex Scott pt pd.	......	2
Butte-Alex Scott fl pd.	4	4½
Butte-Ballaklava	7¼	7⅝
Calumet & Arizona	49⅝	50
Cactus Development	20c	25c
Copper Queen	......	20c
Cordova pt pd.	......	40c
Cordova fl pd	......	50c
Denn-Arizona	3⅝	3⅞
Duluth & Moctezuma	......	1¾
Giroux Consolidated	6⅝	6⅞
Greene-Cananea	6⅝	6⅞
Keweenaw	3	3¼
Live Oak Development	23	25
North Butte	30¼	30½
Ojibway	6½	7
Red Warrior	1⅝	1⅞
Savanna pt pd	......	1¾
Savanna fl pd.	4	4½
Shattuck-Arizona	22⅛	23½
Superior & Pittsburg	14	14¼
UNLISTED STOCKS—		
Amazon Montana	1⅜	1½
Black Mountain	5	......
Butte & Superior	7¼	7½
Butte & Superior old stock	76c	78c
Calumet & Montana	85c	90c
Calumet & Corbin	21c	30c
Calumet & Sonora	8⅛	9½
Carman Consolidated	75	......
Cliff	1½	1⅞
Elenita Development	......	4⅛
Keating Gold	......	92c
Mowitza	......	65c
North American	......	2¾
Rawhide Royal	......	2c
Summit	......	70c
St. Mary's	......	15c
Sierra	1⅝	2¼
Tuolumne	4⅝	4⅞
Vermilion Steel & Iron	2¼	2⅜

Total number shares, 2,700.

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The beautiful card, with its good wishes and its good news, will then be all ready for the Christmas morning **Surprise.**

Northern National Bank
ALWORTH BUILDING, DULUTH, MINN.

SUPERIOR HAS 40,384

Population Is Given Out By the Federal Census Bureau.

Figures Show Gain of 29.9 Per Cent in Ten Years.

Washington, Dec. 10. — Population statistics of the thirteenth census issued by the census bureau include the following:

The population of Superior, Wis., is 40,384, an increase of 9,293, or 29.9 per cent over 31,091 in 1900.

State of Wyoming 145,965, an increase of 53,434 or 57.7 per cent over 92,531 in 1900. The increase from 1890 to 1900 was 29,976, or 47.9 per cent.

The territory of Alaska 64,356, an increase of 764, or 1.2 per cent over 63,592 in 1900. The increase from 1890 to 1900 was 31,540 or 98.4 per cent.

In Hawaiian Islands.

The Hawaiian islands 191,909, an increase of 37,908, or 24.6 per cent over 154,001 in 1900. Honolulu has a population of 52,183, an increase of 12,877 or 32.8 per cent over 39,306 in 1900. The population of the islands of the Hawaiian group follow:

Hawaii, 55,382; Kauai and Niihua, 23,952; Lanai, Maui, Koohlawa and Molokai, 29,762; Ohu, including Honolulu, 82,028; Kalawao, 785.

The population of Ogden, Utah, is 25,580, an increase of 9,267, or 56.8 per cent, over 16,313 in 1900.

Two Gain On Recount.

The population of Tacoma, Wash., is 83,743, according to the revised figures. This is an increase of 46,029, or 122 per cent, over 37,714 in 1900. The first announcement of Tacoma's population in the thirteenth census credited the city with 82,972 inhabitants, or 771 less than today's revised figures.

A revision of the 1910 population figures for Augusta, Ga., gives that city a population of 41,040, an increase of 1,599, or 4.1 per cent, over 39,441 in 1900. The first announcement of the thirteenth census of Augusta was 37,826, a decrease of 1,615 from the 1900 figures.

THE POPULATION OF THE UNITED STATES

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861, or 20.7 per cent, over 62,947,714 the total in 1890.

The population of the United States with all her possessions is about 101,100,000. This number includes 7,635,426 in the Philippine Islands, as enumerated in the census there in 1903, and estimates for the population of the Island of Guam, the American possessions in Samoa and persons on the Panama canal zone.

The number of persons in the military and naval service of the United States, stationed abroad and on naval vessels, is 55,608.

Four States Withheld.

Statistics of the population of the four states, announcement of which was withheld until the country's total population was announced, follow:

Georgia, 2,609,121, increase of 392,790, or 17.7 per cent, over 2,216,331 in 1900, when the increase over 1890 was 378,978, or 20.6 per cent.

Montana 376,053, an increase of 132,724, or 54.5 per cent, over 243,329 in 1900, when the increase over 1890 was 100,405, or 70.3 per cent.

Washington 1,141,990, an increase of 623,887, or 120.4 per cent, over 518,103 in 1900, when the increase over 1890 was 160,871, or 45.8 per cent.

Wisconsin 2,333,860, an increase of 264,818, or 12.7 per cent, over 2,069,042 in 1900 when the increase over 1890 was 375,712, or 22.2 per cent.

Some Figures Corrected.

Corrected figures issued by the census office this morning give the state of New York population as 9,113,614, increase 1,844,720, or 25.4 per cent; Florida 752,615, increase 224,077, or 42.4 per cent; Maryland 1,295,346, increase 107,302, or 9 per cent.

Minnesota retains her place of nineteenth in the rank of states according to population. The positions are:

1—New York.
2—Pennsylvania.
3—Illinois.
4—Ohio.
5—Texas.
6—Massachusetts.
7—Missouri.
8—Michigan.
9—Indiana.
10—Georgia.
11—New Jersey.
12—California.
13—Wisconsin.
14—Kentucky.
15—Iowa.
16—North Carolina.
17—Tennessee.
18—Alabama.
19—Minnesota.
20—Virginia.
21—Mississippi.
22—Kansas.
23—Oklahoma.
24—Louisiana.
25—Arkansas.
26—South Carolina.
27—Maryland.
28—West Virginia.
29—Nebraska.
30—Washington.
31—Porto Rico.
32—Connecticut.
33—Colorado.
34—Florida.
35—Maine.
36—Oregon.
37—South Dakota.
38—North Dakota.
39—Rhode Island
40—New Hampshire.
41—Montana.
42—Utah.
43—Vermont.
44—District of Columbia.
45—New Mexico.
46—Idaho.
47—Arizona.
48—Delaware.
49—Hawaii.
50—Wyoming.
51—Nevada.
52—Alaska.

Blinded By Beer Glass.

Menominee, Mich., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Henry Albright will lose the sight of one eye as the result of being struck in the eye with a beer glass by Ames Lantier in a fight in Mike Bottkol's saloon.

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PAUPER HAS THE VICTORIA CROSS

George Smith Claims to Be Survivor of Balaklava Charge.

Oakland, Cal., Dec. 10.—George Smith, one of the immortal six hundred that rode in the charge of the Light Brigade at the battle of Balaklava is now, at the age of 84, seeking charity from the Oakland board of supervisors. He is asking for sufficient funds to carry him and his daughter to British soil in order that he may revive his claim to a pension from the British government.

Until recently Smith had earned his living as a wood cutter, but age and an old wound compelled him to abandon work.

For bravery in the Indian mutiny he was awarded the Victoria Cross and received a personal gift of twenty sovereigns from Queen Victoria.

After the Indian mutiny Smith came to America, later becoming a citizen.

JAPAN IS TRYING ALLEGED PLOTTERS

Twenty-Six Are Accused of Plotting Death of the Mikado.

Tokio, Dec. 10.—The public trial of Denjoro Kotoku and twenty-five associates, including his wife, was opened in the supreme court today. The special court which first examined the prisoners found all of them guilty of plotting against the life of the emperor, and recommended capital punishment. The alleged conspiracy was unconvered in September.

Kotoku, asserted to be the leader of the plotters, was formerly connected with a Tokio newspaper and at one time lived in America, where it is said he was associated with a political organization with headquarters in San Francisco. All of the accused are described by the police as anarchists.

Only Nominally Public.

Though the present proceedings are nominally public, those not directly concerned with the trial were admitted only during the formal questioning of the defendants. This over, the court room was cleared and the trial proceeded in camera.

It is expected that death sentences will be returned, though there is a possibility of commutation.

The present is the first trial in Japan in which the accusation has been plotting against the life of the emperor, and it is considered of great importance. The chief judge sitting is Joichiro Tsuru, and with him are Judges Shikata, Tsurumi, Suiyehiro, Okuro, Tsunematsu and Endo. Matsutaro Itakura, procurator of the court of Cassation, and Attorney General Matsumuro, with specially appointed assistants, are conducting the prosecution. For such of the defendants as could not secure counsel at their own expense, the authorities have appointed attorneys.

DANBURY HAT CASE ARGUED IN COAST

Anti-Boycott Injunction Is Sought By the Manufacturers.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 10.—Dietrich, Loewe & Co. of Danbury, Conn., has appeared in court here to ask a permanent injunction to restrain the California Federation of Labor from boycotting the hat made by the company in Danbury. A preliminary injunction had been issued several months ago. The attorneys for the union argued that the federal courts had no jurisdiction in the matter, but the opposing counsel contended that the influence of the California Federation of Labor extended outside the state and made an interstate issue of the boycott question. Briefs are to be filed on the legal points.

The Loewe company obtained a permanent injunction in Connecticut against the Journeymen Hatters of Danbury and a judgment for $24,000 against the members of the union.

MARINE CORPS HEAD RETIRES

Gen. Elliott Has Been in That Service Over Forty Years.

Washington, Dec. 10. — Maj. Gen. George Frank Elliott, commandant of the United States marine corps, has retired from active service, as he has reached the age limit. Gen. Elliott was advanced in rank for eminent and conspicuous conduct in battle during the war with Spain; he was an officer in the marine corps since Oct. 12, 1870, or over forty years, of which fourteen years were spent at sea. Gen. Elliott has been commandant of the marine corps since Oct. 3, 1903, and was commissioned to the rank of major-general from that of brigadier-general in May, 1908. Until the appointment by the president of the United States of a new commandant, Col. William P. Biddle, U. S. M. C., is at the head of the affairs of the marine corps.

Aged Bayfield Man Gone.

Bayfield, Wis., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Louis Baschand, aged over 90, died Thursday. He is survived by four sons and three daughters besides the wife, and many grandchildren. Mr. Baschand and family came to Bayfield over forty years ago. He was loved and respected here. Advanced age was the cause of his death.

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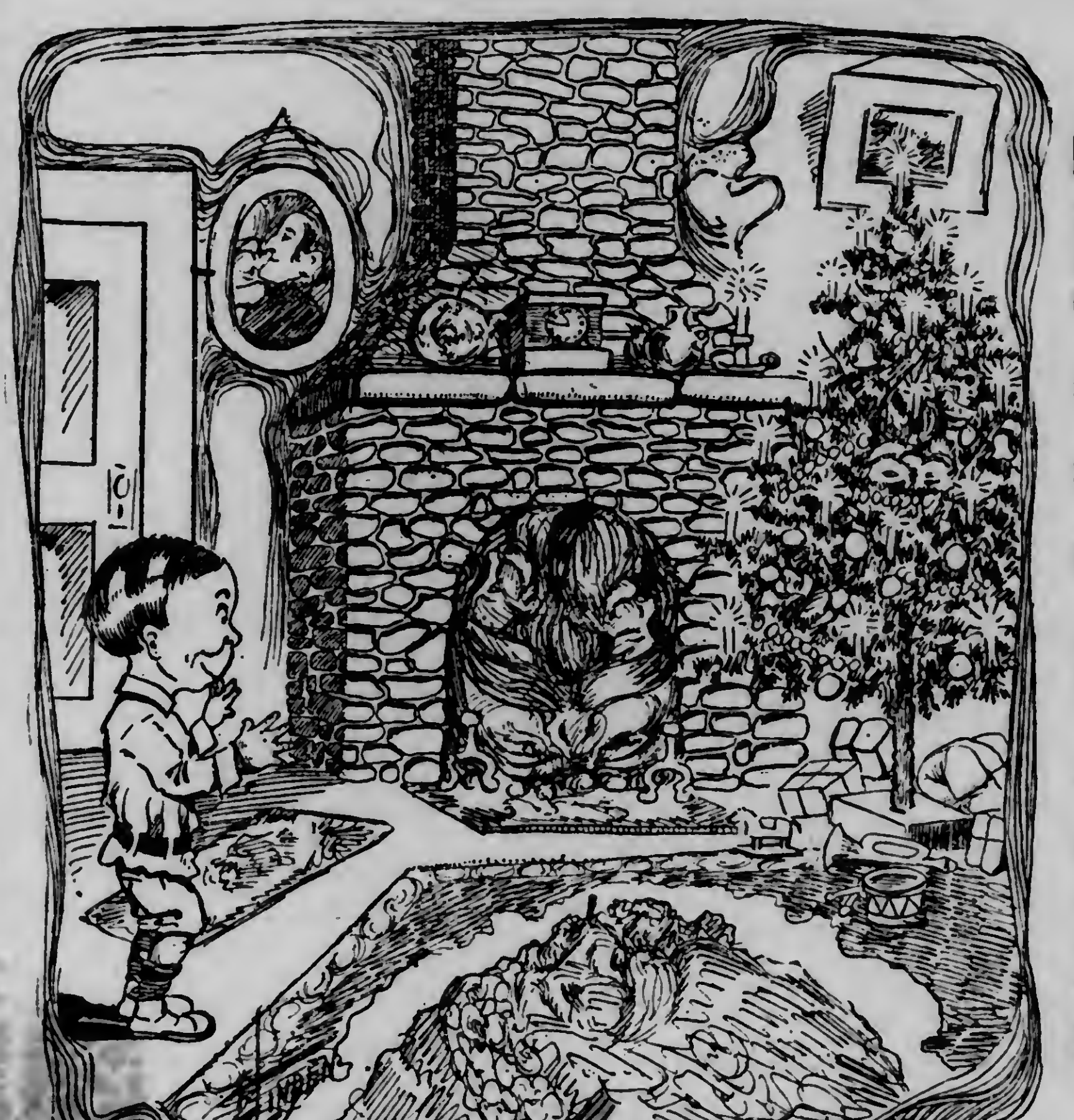

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JAIL BREAKER RETURNED.

Man Is Alleged to Have Broken From Ashland Bastile.

Ashland, Wis., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—F. O. Olson, alias Charles Sparks, alleged to have led a jail break here June 3, who was arrested in Saskatoon, Can., has been brought back for trial. Olson was brought before Judge Garvin yesterday, waived the reading of the charge against him, that of aiding in a jail delivery, and his examination was set for Dec. 22. He asked for a delay until Jan. 10, claiming that he wants time to get his witnesses together. The judge informed him that if he can show any good reason on the 22nd, why the case should be further adjourned he will grant further delay. His bonds were fixed at $500.

The man who "gave Olson away" is believed to be A. T. Coper, Olson's own brother-in-law. He worked for Olson in Saskatoon, where he received $6 per day wages as a steam fitter. Coper resided at Saskatoon, and it was for this reason that Olson decided to locate there.

DESPERADO KILLED IN REVOLVER DUEL.

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 10.—In a revolver duel at Wilhurst, Breathitt county, last night, "Bad" Bill Bailey, a mountain desperado, was killed by J. C. Shepherd, according to a report received here today. Shepherd was struck by a bullet during the fight and badly wounded.

MOTHER AND SON DIE IN SUICIDE AGREEMENT.

Boerne, Tex., Dec. 10.—Despondent because of ill health, Mrs. James Ransan, aged 80 years, and Oscar Ransan, aged 40, mother and son, committed suicide at their home near Boerne yesterday, the woman by taking strychnine and the son by cutting his throat.

EARTHQUAKES LAST NEARLY THREE HOURS.

Washington, Dec. 10.—A series of severe earth shocks was recorded by the seismograph at Georgetown university this morning. The tremors began at 4:04 and lasted until 7 o clock. The maximum vibration occurred between 5:23 and 5:34 o'clock. The direction of the vibrations was east and west. Both the horizontal and vertical instruments recorded.

The distance of the earthquakes from this place is not estimated.

Jury Couldn't Agree.

Ellendale, N. D., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—After deliberating twenty hours and unable to reach an agreement, the jury in the case against D. A. White of Oakes was discharged from further duty. The jury stood ten for dismissal and two for conviction. White was tried without the presence of the state's complaining witness, he having disappeared since filing his complaint with the authorities.

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ANOTHER BOY RECOVERED.

New York Police Are Breaking Up Kidnaping Gang.

New York, Dec. 10. — Another kidnaped boy has been recovered in the person of Michael Rizzo, 6 years old, a playmate of Giuseppi Longo, 8 years old, who was recovered Thursday. Both boys lived in Brooklyn. They disappeared on the same day. Giuseppi was taken from a locked room in an East side Manhattan tenament. Michael was found wandering the Harlem streets tonight, half dazed, but tagged with his name and address.

Although Giuseppi is the first kidnapped child ever re-taken by the police, Michael makes the fourth returned to his parents within the week. The police believe that they have made a beginning a tup-rooting the blackmailers who have bled respectable Italians of the city for years.

Eleven prisoners are held in $10,000 bail each, charged with kidnaping Longo. The police believe that the same gang was at work in both cases.

SENATE FIGHT BEGUN.

Woodrow Wilson Opposes the Candidacy of James Smith, Jr.

Newark, N. J., Dec. 10.—Governor-elect Woodrow Wilson has taken up the cudgels against James Smith, Jr., who wishes to return to the senate as successor to John Kern, telling him he must abide by the selection of James E. Martine, the winner in the Democratic primary. Dr. Wilson says he will fight out the issue even if it causes a party breach.

Dr. Wilson says the vote at the primaries shows the people do not want Mr. Smith to represent them, and their vote should be condusive for every member of the legislature.

Mr. Smith, in a statement issued last night, says that Dr. Wilson's statement "is a gratuitous attack on one who has befriended him, but whose candidacy has not been announced, and it is an unwarranted attempt to coerce the legislature."

Falls Into Pickle Vat.

Menominee, Mich., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Olaf Hansen, an employe of the pickle factory, fell from a vat and sustained very painful injuries. In order to save the young man from being maimed for life, it was necessary to piece the bones of the knee cap together with fine silver wire.

ONE REPUBLICAN SIGNS ARIZONA CONSTITUTION.

Phoenix, Ariz., Dec. 10.—The constitutional convention has adjourned after adopting a constitution designated by the majority members as the most progressive ever framed. It is said by the Republican minority to be the most Socialistic one ever compiled.

Only one Republican, John Langdon of Globe, signed the document. One Democrat, Ellingwood of Bisbee, declined to sign, explaining that he voted with the opposition because he believed the recall as applied to the judiciary would destroy the independence of state courts and invite the disapproval of President Taft. The final vote was 40 to 12.

Souvenir hunters looted the convention hall during the noon recess and the gavel of President Hunt was taken. He announced that he would not sign the payroll of employes of the convention until the gavel was returned.

The campaign for the ratification of the constitution by the people at the election on Feb. 9, will begin immediately.

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DIES ON HER RETURN TRIP

Wife of Former West Duluthian Expires at Superior Railway Station.

Wish to Spend Her Last Days at Home Not Granted.

Cheated by the grim reaper of her oft-repeated desire of spending her last days with her family, instead of at a health resort, Mrs. Mary Day, 37 years old, whose husband, Michael H. Day, is a former West Duluth man, died yesterday at Superior, en route from Mt. Clemens, Mich., to Chisholm. The body was brought to the Fillatrault undertaking rooms at West Duluth last evening.

Death occurred soon after the train had reached the union station, Superior, and before an ambulance could convey the sick woman to St. Mary's hospital. Dropsy of the heart, according to the death certificate, was the cause of death. Mrs Day was an invalid for six months and six weeks ago was taken to Mt. Clemens, Mich. On her return trip, she was accompanied by her husband.

The woman's maiden name was Mary Schlatter and she formerly lived at Swanton, Ohio. This evening the body will be sent to Ohio on the Omaha train, where her relatives will have charge of the funeral arrangements.

Mr. Day, who moved to Chisholm six years ago, is well known at West Duluth. At the West end, he has a number of relatives living on Twenty-ninth avenue west. Mrs. Day was also known in the western part of the city.

MORE THAN THEIR SHARE OF MISFORTUNE.

The family of Andrew Mejeski of 6413 Elinor street has been hit hard by misfortune.

Three weeks ago Mrs. Majeski was badly burned in an explosion resulting from the overturning of an oil lamp, and since that time she has been an invalid.

Shortly after the accident her 12-year-old son Walter contracted diphtheria, from the effects of which he died yesterday morning. Death came suddenly and apparently after he had recovered from the disease.

A private funeral under the direction of the board of health was held this afternoon, with burial at Oneota cemetery.

FOURTH DEATH IN FAMILY WITHIN YEAR.

Mrs. Genevieve Gauthier, 73 years old, for a number of years a resident of West Duluth, died this morning at the home of her son, Dolph Gauthier, of 119 South Forty-sixth avenue west.

She is survived by a number of children and several grandchildren. The body will be sent to Ausable, Mich., tomorrow afternoon. Interment will be at her former home town.

This makes the fourth death in the Gauthier family within a year. Last summer three of the children of Dolph Gauthier died.

Five Hundred Played.

Mrs. O. A. Bjorback of 109 South Sixty-first avenue west, entertained the Sunshine club at cards yesterday. Five hundred was played. The favors were won by Mrs. George Bothwell and Mrs. N. Seguin.

Those present were: Mrs. W. Seguin, Mrs. N. Seguin, Mrs. G. Bothwell, Mrs. G. O'Brien, Mrs. R. Day, Mrs. J. Whalen, Mrs. G Holmes, Mrs O. Bjorback, Mrs. M. Kurtz, Mrs. A. Jacobs

West Duluth Briefs.

West Duluth tent, No. 2, K. O. T. M., will hold its annual election of officers Monday evening at Great Eastern hall.

The funeral of Jacob Lindbeck, 25 years old, who died Wednesday at St. Luke's hospital, was held this afternoon from Bethany Norwegian Danish M. E. church to Oneota cemetery. Rev. C. W. Schevenius officiated. Lindbeck lived at Two Harbors, but has a number of relatives at West Duluth.

At its meeting last evening, the West Duluth Commercial club indorsed the action of the water and light board in granting a public hearing at the city hall, Dec. 28, for the purpose of discussing the water rates of the city.

Mary Hussey, the 4-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John O. Hussey of Proctor, died last evening. The funeral will be held Monday morning at 9 o'clock from the residence with burial at Calvary cemetery.

Mock trial, Victor hall, Friday night, Dec. 16.

A. M. Swingle returned yesterday from Southern Idaho, where he has spent the past eight months.

At the West Duluth curling rink last evening, Wade defeated Strand in the semi-finals of the Hurst event by a 12 to 7 score. This evening Olson and Keyes will clash for a place in the semi-finals. Last evening in a practice game, Iltis was victorious over Scott by a score of 5 to 4.

For rent—four rooms, water, sewer, gas, electric light and bath, $8 per month. 326 North Fifty-ninth avenue west.

Do not miss the last chance to get a bargain at the auction sale, 208 Central avenue, this evening. Sale commences at 7 o'clock. Everything must be sold.

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MINNESOTA MAN DIES AT PRAYER

Patrick Dempsey Found Dead; Has Sister Living at Akeley, Minn.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Patrick Dempsey, 36 years old, of Minnesota, who has a sister at Akeley, Minn., died at Worcester, Mass., while saying his prayers. He was found dead at his bedside in the attitude of prayer. He was a carpenter. Medical Examiner Baker said death was due to heart failure. Dempsey had been dead two hours when found.

PAYS HIGH COMPLIMENT TO SPALDING HOTEL.

"The Chocolate Soldier" company has departed from Duluth and its members took with them pleasant memories of the Zenith City, which they said had been a delightful host, and Charles A. Moore, the company's manager, took occasion before leaving the city to pay a high compliment to the Spalding hotel, its cuisine and its management.

Mr. Moore has traveled over the old S. Willard and William H. Crane, and he knows whereof he speaks when he talks of hotels and hotel accommodations. Mr. Moore said that under the management of Edwin H. Lee, the managing director, this hotel ranks with the best to be found anywhere. The geniality of the staff, the pleasant environment enjoyed in the hostelry and the multiple comforts of cafes and apartments won his unqualified approval. He said that nowhere has he seen more charming private dining rooms than the three new ones just opened on the parlor floor, and the Palm room and Flemish room he described as being unusually excellent in their appointments. Mr. Moore said that in the Spalding Duluth has a hotel of which it can and should be proud.

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West End Man Missing.
The police have been asked to help find Ole Tronstal of 129 South Twenty-eighth avenue west. He has been missing since Thursday and his wife, who is in poor health, is worried over his non-appearance. It is stated that he had $60 or $70 with him when he left his home.

Rev. A. H. Wurtele Returns.
Rev. A. H. Wurtele, pastor of Trinity pro-cathedral, returned to Duluth yesterday and resumed his duties after an absence of about two months. While absent he underwent a successful operation at Rochester. He also attended the general church convention at Cincinnati and visited his parents at Montreal. He believes that he has fully recovered his health.

Will Talk to Workers.
J. J. Stark of Spokane will be the speaker Sunday evening at the regular meeting of the Industrial Workers of the World, which will be held at their hall, 907 West Michigan street. The subject will be "Free Speech, Free Press and the Right of Peaceful Assemblage." The topic will be generally discussed following the address.

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Knights Elect Officers.
John D. Mahon was re-elected grand knight of Duluth council, No. 447, Knights of Columbus, at a meeting last night in Knights of Columbus hall. The other officers elected are: Deputy grand knight, W. L. Smith; recorder, J. E. Mannheim; financial secretary, J. T. Dunphy; treasurer, Vincent Grady; chancellor, E. J. Kenny; advocate, J. J. Courtney; warden, J. M. Vondrashek; trustee, M. K. Stack; inside guard, James Kinney; outside guard, J. F. McKanna.

Painters Will Entertain.
The members of the Painters' union, No. 106, will entertain at a social evening Tuesday of next week at Kalamazoo hall. All friends of organized labor and fellow unionists are invited to attend. A program of addresses and musical numbers has been arranged. There will be an address by the president, John E. Jensen and by D. M. Robinson and musical numbers by Miss Williams, Miss Bjorklund and Miss Irene Jensen and numbers by a quartet made up of the union members.

Card Party.
The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Sons of Veterans will entertain at a card party Wednesday evening at Memorial hall in the courthouse.

Professor Will Speak.
Dr. Vaughn of the Lawrence university at Appleton, Wis., will speak at the morning and evening services tomorrow at the First Methodist church.

Theosophical Society.
The Theosophical society holds its regular meetings for members only on Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock, in the rooms, 28 Winthrop block, Fourth avenue west and First street, avenue entrance, and public study classes on Monday evenings at 8 and Tuesday afternoons at 3, to which any one interested in theosophical study is welcome.

Lumberman Bankrupt.
John S. Elmhirst, a lumberman and contractor of Aitkin, filed a petition in voluntary bankruptcy in United States court today. His liabilities total $11,993 and his assets amount to $1,183, of which he claims $918 is exempt.

PERSONAL

F. A. Tupper has been called to Minneapolis on account of the death of his uncle, Lee Lawrence.

Dr. N. B. McNulty returned today from Ashland, where he was called by the death of his sister.

Misses Jessie McNeill and Violet V. Heininger of Virginia are in the city today.

J. A. Blackwell, C. G. Stritstad and Ed Toftey of Grand Marais are business visitors in Duluth from the north shore today.

H. Conrad of Port Arthur is a guest at the St. Louis.

John A. Healy and Miss Jessie Healy of Hibbing came to Duluth from the range today.

J. W. Wolvin and James Whalen of Port Arthur are in the city, guests at the Spalding.

O. A. Farrington of Bay City is in the city.

Louis Vincent of Chippewa Falls is a guest at the Spalding.

H. H. Riley of Coon Rapids is here today.

George C. W. Spink of the South Shore office staff is in New York city, taking a vacation.

Mrs. Howard, who was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. De Vey, has returned to her home at Fort Snelling.

Mrs. L. M. Dickinson, 1221 East Third street, has returned from a trip to the coast, extending over a period of ten weeks. Mrs. Dickerson visited Los Angeles, Pasadena, Seattle and Portland. At Portland she was the guest of A. McDonald and family, formerly residents of Duluth.

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Duluth has made a substantial gain over Superior in the past ten years, as shown by the 1910 census figures.

Superior's population is 40,384, while Duluth has 78,466 people, a difference of 38,080 or 94.3 per cent. In 1900, Superior's population was 31,091, while Duluth had 52,969 people, a difference of 70.8 per cent.

Duluth's growth in the past ten years was 48.1 per cent, while Superior grew but 29.9 per cent and the comparison is naturally pleasing to loyal Duluthians. They are content to see Superior grow into a large city, but they are anxious that Duluth keep well in the lead.

The growth of Duluth over Superior has been gradual and certain. In 1900, there were 21,878 more people in Duluth than in Superior. In 1905, Duluth had 28,391 more than the city across the bay, according to the state census figures, and now Duluth shows up with 38,080 more than the Wisconsin town.

While as far as the outside world is concerned, Duluth and Superior stand together as one under the title of the Head of the Lakes, the intercity rivalry is intense and Duluthians are well pleased with the growth which allowed the Zenith City to leave its rival in the rear.

At the same time, there is gratification in the fact that Superior made a substantial growth and that the two cities combined now have 118,850 people, where there were but 84,060 in 1900, a growth for the combined cities of 41.5 per cent in ten years.

TWENTY-ONE MORE LAWYERS

All But Two of Applicants Pass North Dakota Examination.

Fargo, N. D., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Twenty-one of twenty-three applicants for admission to the state bar were successful and were sworn in this afternoon before members of the supreme court.

Judge Pollock of the district court has just issued a handbook on the prohibition law of North Dakota. It contains every thing in connection with that measure and was published under auspices of the North Dakota Enforcement league.

TAKE LIQUOR CASE TO SUPREME COURT

Bemidji Injunctions Are to Be Used to Test Indian Land Drouth.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—It was decided at the conference held here this afternoon between Judge M. A. Spooner, E. E. McDonald of Bemidji, and Special Agents Thomas C. Brents and H. E. Coggeshall, with United States District Attorney C. C. Houpt, that the Bemidji saloon cases will be put up to the United States supreme court as soon as possible.

It was decided that the twelve Bemidji saloon keepers should be made complainants in an action in the federal court against Federal Officers Brents, Johnson and Coggeshall, in which efforts will be made to get a restraining order and then a temporary injunction prohibiting the officers from interfering with the saloon business or destroying the property. The case will then be appealed to the United States supreme court and final interpretation of the treaty of 1855 obtained.

The case will apply only to Bemidji and a small area around it. This section, it is claimed by Attorney McDonald, has been construed as not in the "Indian country" by treaties passed since 1855. All parties interested in the case will meet here Dec. 20 and file the suit. It is believed it can be heard by the federal court within thirty days and that when taken to the United States supreme court on appeal can be advanced upon the docket.

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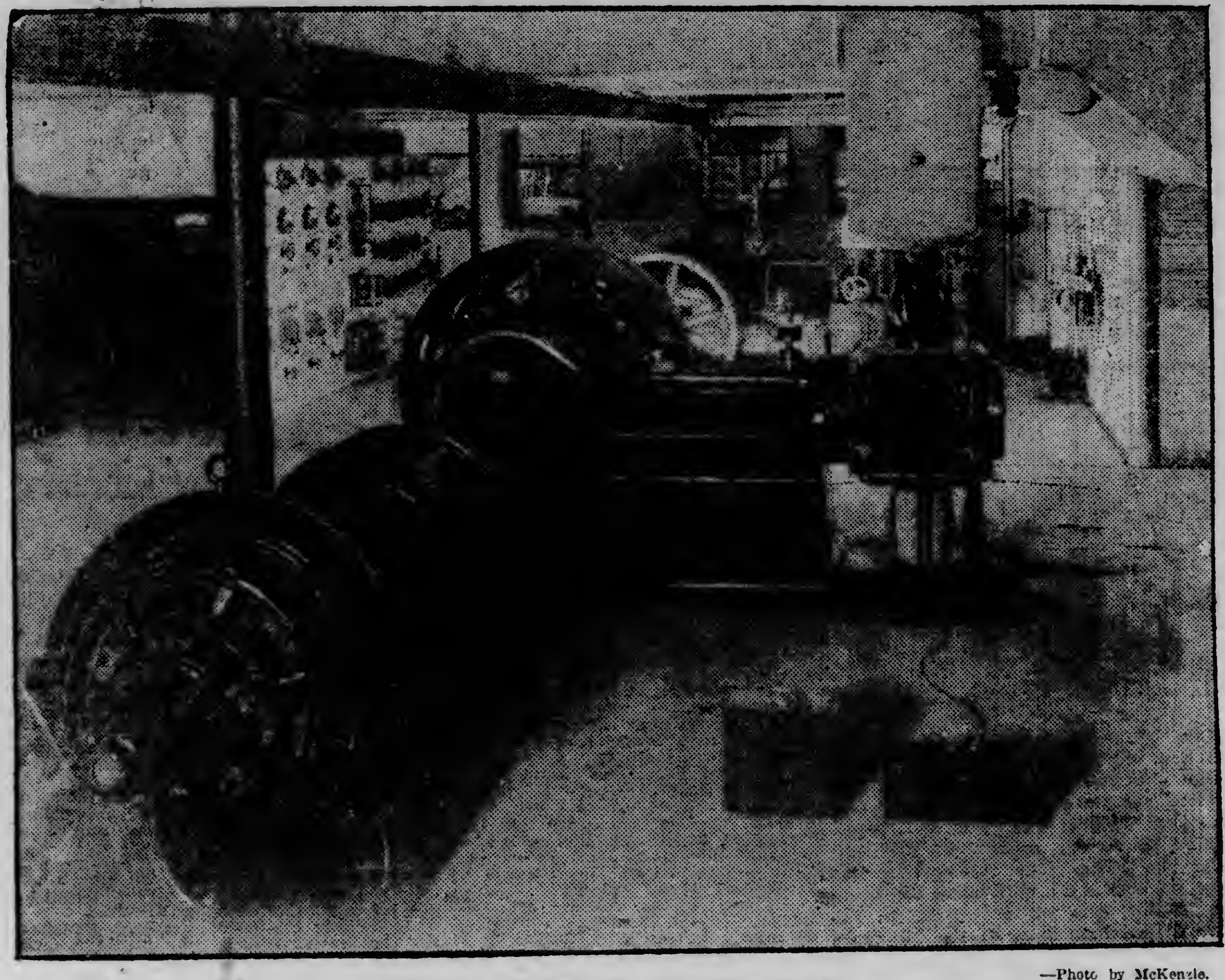
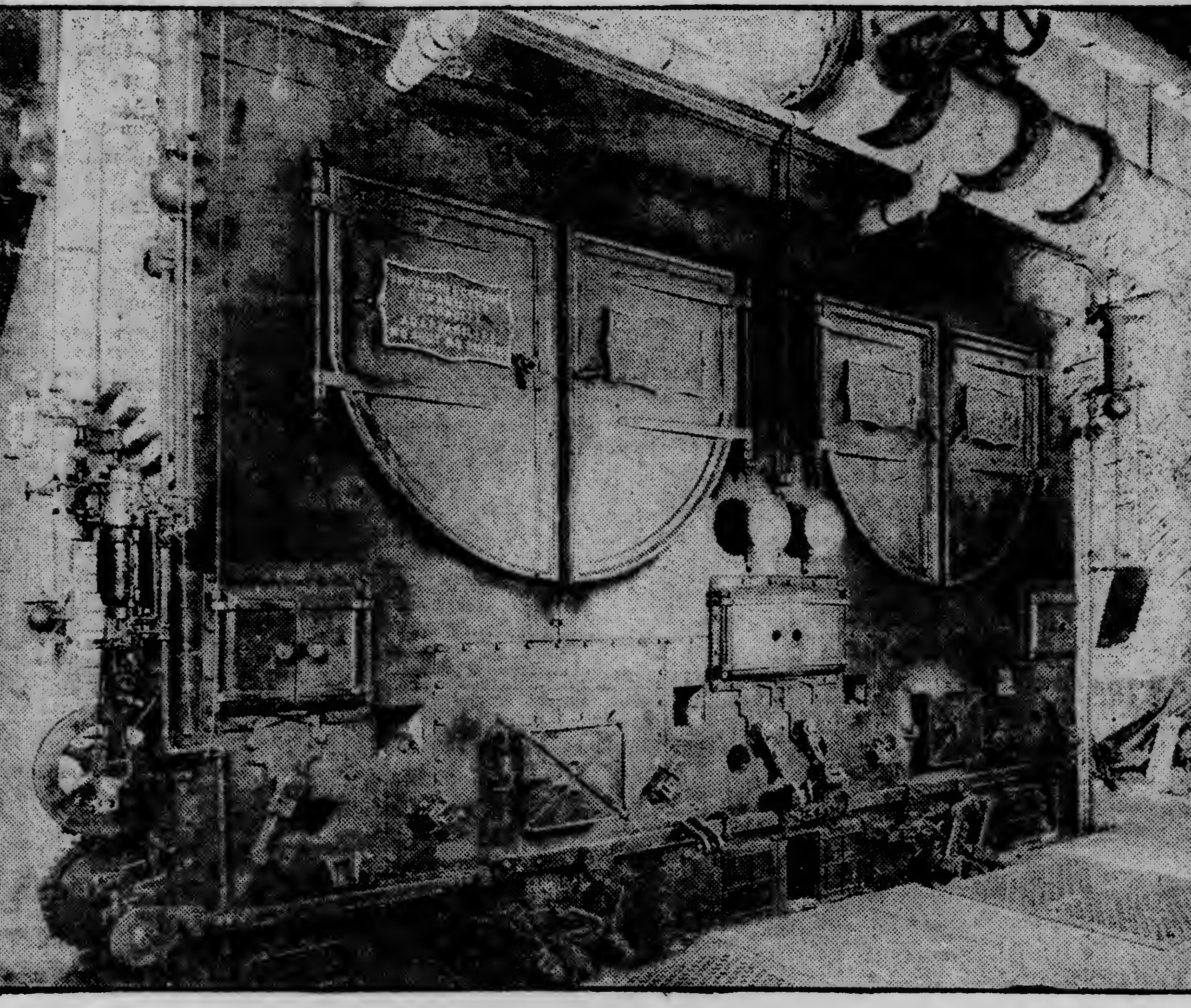


GENERAL VIEW OF ENGINE ROOM. —Photo by McKenzie.



BOILERS IN CENTRAL HEATING PLANT. —Photo by McKenzie.

In this day of advanced methods in sanitation, the heating and ventilation of a building is which public gathings are held are of the utmost importance. Great strides have been made in the past few years in the scientific heating and lighting of public buildings and in no class of buildings has the progress been greater than in the schools.

The days when heating was by direct radiation and ventilating by the opening of windows and doors have passed. Instead the closing of windows and doors is advised when mechanical ventilating apparatus is in operation and direct radiation is unknown in thoroughly modern school buildings, on account of the difficulty in heating all sections of a room to the same temperature.

A building in which children are gathered for five hours a day for study must necessarily be well heated and well ventilated. The temperature must be kept even and at a degree at which the rooms will be comfortable without being oppressively warm. The air must be clean and fresh and must be changed often during the day. To accomplish those results, intricate and expensive apparatus is necessary and the most careful construction is required to make the apparatus effective.

The central plant in the Central high school building is the finest heating and ventilating plant in the city and one of the finest in the Northwest for school purposes. It is located in the Central high school building and serves that building and the Washington grade and manual training building. The machinery is the most up-to-date obtainable and is almost perfectly adapted for the work it is called upon to perform.

Heat Through Tunnel.

The plant consists of two boilers, 84 inches by 20 feet in size, equipped with mechanical stokers, economizers and induced draft apparatus; one steam-driven 100-kilowatt generator, one steam-driven 50-kilowatt generator, one motor-driven 100-kilowatt generator, together with pumps, fans and other apparatus required in distributing heat and air through the two buildings. The heat and power are conveyed to the Washington building through a tunnel under the street.

The plant heats, lights and ventilates the two buildings. The Washington building is equipped with the most modern system. The heating is by hot air blasts from chambers over coils, passing to the rooms through ducts. Thermostats regulate the proportions of cold and warm air and maintain an even temperature. The ventilating is by an elaborate system of fans which accomplish excellent results in keeping the rooms filled with fresh air and free of all contamination.

The heating system in the Central high school is by direct radiation tempered by fan-driven air.

In addition to the heating and ventilating, the plant furnishes power for the electric lighting in the two buildings and after the opening of the new manual training school, twenty-eight or thirty driven lathes will also be attached.

The plant is equipped with city power so that one generator may be driven by a motor if anything should happen to the steam machinery or if the steam in the boilers should be required entirely for heating.

The system in the Washington school is the same as that installed in the new Salter school and it will also be installed in the new Merritt school. It is in quite general use all over the country and is regarded as a great improvement on the old system.

L. A. LARSON,
Chief Engineer of Duluth Schools.

The new plant was designed by Louis A. Larson, chief engineer of the board, and is operated under his direction. Mr. Larson has been with the board a number of years and has charge of all the engineering work in the schools of the city.

Sixteen Boys Wanted.

Wanted, sixteen boys to see the Empress show, free. Call stage door, Sunday morning at 10:30.

DIRECTORS TALK ON THE SEED PROBLEM.

Directors of the Duluth Co-operative Market association met at the Commercial club today. The chief item of interest to come up for their consideration was seed. Seed is what the crops come from and what potentially sways Wall street, so necessarily the association directors are intensely interested in the subject.

It was proposed that the association members pool their interests and buy seed in common, importing certain varieties from Europe. In this way the best results can be achieved at the least cost, and it is the hope of the directors that all members will take the fullest advantage of the opportunity presented by this proposed method of procedure.

Other subjects of importance were discussed and the directors continued their consideration of affairs relating to the work of the association at luncheon. It was one of the most profitable sessions the board has held.

CONFETTI THROWING AT WEDDINGS.

London Daily Mail: The Rev. R. W. Hunt, vicar of St. Giles's, Reading, in this month's parochial magazine expresses himself forcibly concerning the throwing of confetti at weddings, which he describes as silly, vulgar and irreverent.

"The old custom of throwing a few grains of rice," he says, "though a foolish one, was more or less harmless and it was probably viewed with favor at least by the birds of the air. But the throwing of thousands of small paper disks has nothing whatever to commend it. If there are people who really feel compelled to cover themselves and their friends with colored bits of paper by all means let them do so in their own homes, where they will be subjected to the wholesome discipline of themselves brushing up the mess they have made; but God's house is not the place for this kind of thing."

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LOST—BETWEEN FIRST AND THIRD avenue west on Superior street, sofa pillow; finder return for reward to 120 West Michigan street.

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MARRIAGES.

Teevi Niemi and Marie Pehalaia.
Charles A. Anderson and Ruth E. Ellstrom.
John C. Deminske and Marie E. Daniels.

BIRTHS.

WAHLSTROM—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Steve Wahlstrom of 1802 West Third street, Dec. 7.

HAUGAN—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Haugen of 1124 West Second street, Dec. 8.

HALL—A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter G. Hall of 1013 East Second street, Dec. 2.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

STANLEY—Word reached Duluth yesterday of the death of Mrs. C. B. Stanley at Oakland, Cal., last month. Her husband formerly had charge of the city directory company in this city. She was 57 years old and the body was taken to St. Joseph, Mo., for interment.

BOWMAN—The funeral of Lawrence B. Bowman, the 5-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence F. Bowman, who died Wednesday night of suffocation, took place yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from the residence, 528 East Fifth street. Interment was at Forest Hill cemetery. Rev. A. W. Ryan had charge of the services. The death of the infant was due to suffocation caused by sucking food into its windpipe. It was a grandchild of Dr. Bowman.

GALLAGHER—The funeral of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Gallagher took place this afternoon from their residence, 840 Lake avenue south. Interment was at Forest Hill Cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS.

G. W. MELDRUM AND FAMILY WISH to express their gratitude for the sympathy and numerous evidences of good will that have been tendered by our friends in our hour of sorrow and bereavement.

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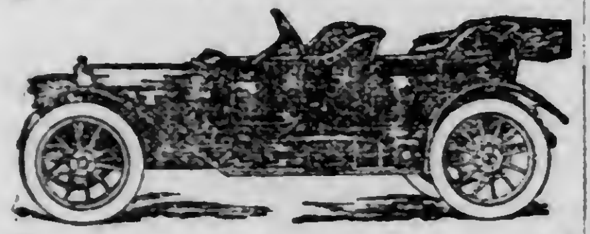

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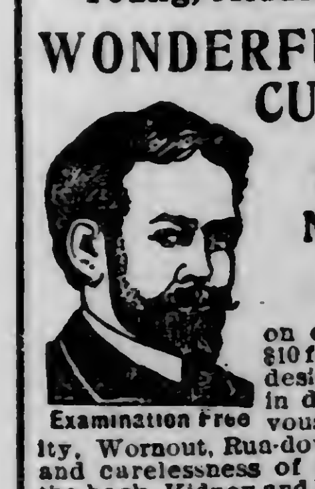

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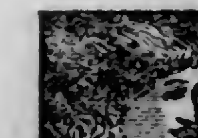

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Sunday Services in Duluth Churches

At Pilgrim Congregational church, services will be conducted by the Rev. J. M. Lewis, Ph. D. of Sandwich, Ill. The morning sermon will be on "Jehovah, the World's Ruler," and the evening sermon on "The Beradth of Christ's Redemption." The musical program follows:

MORNING.

Prelude .... McDowell
Quartet—"Praise the Lord"..Chadwick
Quartet—"Gently Lord, O Gently Lead Us" .... Blumerscein
Offertory .... Schumann

EVENING.

Prelude .... Verdi
Quartet—"The Day Light Fades"... .... Schumann
Offertory .... Old English

The choir consists of: Florence Hyland, soprano; Mrs. R. C. Buck, alto; Roland Morton, tenor; Harry Gearnart, bass; Faith Rogers, organist.

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At the Lakeside Presbyterian church, Forty-fifth avenue east and McCulloch street, morning and evening services will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. H. B. Sutherland. The theme for the morning sermon will be "Abounding More and More Toward All Men." The Sunday school hour is 12 m to 1 o'clock, R. S. Manley, superintendent, and A. L. McDermid, leader of McCollum Bible class. Christian Endeavor society will hold weekly devotional service commencing at 6 o'clock. The subject for the evening service at 7 p. m., will be "Safe-guarding the Inheritance of Our Fathers."

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At St. John's English Lutheran church, corner Lake avenue north and Third street, Rev. J. E. Shewell, pastor, there will be morning services at 10:30 a. m., the subject of the sermon being "Pioneer Work." Sunday school will meet at 11:45 a. m., and evening services at 7:30 o'clock. The topic of the sermon will be 'Strength From Weakness" Catechetical instructions will be given on Sunday afternoon from 4 o'clock to 5 p. m. The Sunday School Teachers' association will meet on Monday evening, Dec. 12 at the church. The men's club will hold its regular monthly meeting on Tuesday night, Dec. 13 at the church. The ladies' aid society will hold a bazar on Friday and Saturday of this week, Dec. 16 and 17, at 20 West Superior street.

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At the Bethel Rescue mission, 243 Lake avenue south, Sunday school will meet at 3 p. m.; gospel meetings are held every evening at 7:45 except Sunday evening, when the meeting is at 7:30. Sunday evening, Rev. J. T. Moody will speak, and Miss McGiffert will sing. Monday evening there will be Bible study by Rev. J. T. Moody; Wednesday evening, H. A. Sedgwick will speak.

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At the Norwegian Lutheran Trinity church, corner of Fourth avenue east and Fifth streets, services will be held at 10:30. Sunday school will meet at noon.

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At the First Church of Christ, scientist, there will be regular services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. at the church corner Ninth avenue east and First street, the subject being: "God the Preserver of Man." Regular Wednesday evening testimonial will be held at 8 o'clock. Free reading room at 411 Alworth building is open daily from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.

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At Trinity pro-cathedral, Twentieth avenue east and Superior street, Rev. Arthur H. Wurtele, dean and rector, the services for the third Sunday in advent, will be as follows: Holy communion 8 a. m.; Sunday school and Bible class, Christmas practice 10 a. m.; morning prayer, litany and sermon 11 a. m. The preacher will be Dean Wurtele and the subject "The Hand of God the Old Testament and the New Testament Interpretation." The musical program follows:

Organ prelude—"Romanza" .... Fidelis Ziterba
Processional—"Lo He Comes"...... .... St. Thomas
Venite and Jubilate............Elvey
Te deum—"We Praise Thee O God".. .... A. J. Dye
Litany hymn—"In the Hour of Trial" .... J. B. Dykes
Introit hymn—"Come Thou Long Expected" .... Hassler
Anthem—"No Shadows Yonder"..... .... A. R. Gaul
Recessional hymn—"Through the Night" ....Bambridge
Organ postiude—March in B Flat.... .... Winton

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At Park Point mission, Sunday school and Bible class will meet at 3 p. m., with practice for Christmas music. There will be evening service with sermon by Dean Wurtele at 8 p. m.

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At St. John's church, Lakeside, Sunday school will be held as usual in the morning and there will be a vesper service at 5 p. m. when Dean Wurtele will preach.

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At the Second Church of Christ, scientist, Burgess hall 312 West First street, service will be held at 10:45 a. m. the subject being "God The Preserver Of Man." The Wednesday evening meeting will begin at 8 o'clock. Reading room 310 West First street, open daily except Sunday from 2 until 5 o'clock.

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At St. Stephen's German-English Lutheran church, corner Sixty-seventh avenue west and Raleigh street, Rev. Walter Sievers, pastor, there will be German services Sunday morning at 10:15 o'colck. Holy communion will also be celebrated with preparatory services at 9:45 o'clock. At St. Stephen's East end branch, corner Fourth avenue east and Fifth street. Communion services will be held in the afternoon at 3 o'clock in the German language.

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Services for Sunday at Merritt Memorial M. E. church, Forty-sixth avenue west and Halifax street, will be as follows: 10 a. m. Sunday school; 11 a. m. preaching by the pastor; 6:45 p. m. Epworth league; 7:30 p. m. preaching by the pastor. At the morning service the pastor Rev. E. F. Stidd will deliver the third of a series of sermons on "Some Needs of Our Church."

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At the Lester Park Methodist Episcopal church, corner of Fifty-fourth avenue east and Superior street, services commemorating the 21st anniversary of its organization will be held. The pastor will preach at the morning service and at 7:30 p. m., Rev. John W. Powell, will preach. Sunday school will be at noon, and Epworth league at 6:30.

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In the First Norwegian-Danish M. E. church, Twenty-fourth avenue west and Third street, preaching will be at 10:30 a. m., topic, 'The Transfiguration.' Sunday school will be at noon, John J. Moe, superintendent. Epworth League will be at 6:45 p. m., Herman Hanson, leader. Preaching service will be at 7:45 p. m., topic, 'Opportunities.' The Junior League will meet Wednesday evning at 7 p. m., Miss G. Jorgenson, leader. Prayer service will be Wednesday at 8 p. m.

WILLIAM R. BENNETT,
Who Will Speak at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday.

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At the First Presbyterian church, Second street and Third avenue east, the pastor, Dr. Robert Yost, will preach at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. The subject for the morning will be: "A National Folly," and for the evening: "Unseen Environment." The Bible school will meet at noon. The midweek service will be held on Thursday at 7:45 p. m. The musical program follows:

MORNING.

Prelude .... Pullein
Quartet—"The Lord is Exalted." .... West
Offertory .... Rapartz
Quartet—"That Sweet Story." ...West
Postlude .... Vincent

EVENING.

Prelude .... Burgess
Quartet—"Incline Thine Ear." .... Himmel
Offertory .... Williams
Postlude .... Guilmant.

The choir consists of: Miss Reynolds, Mrs. E. C. Brown, J. R. Batchelor, P. G. Brown. Organist, William Hancock

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At the Endion Methodist Episcopal church corner of Nineteenth avenue east and First street, the pastor, Rev. John Walker Powell, will preach at 10:30 a. m. on "The Christian Knowledge." This is the second of two sermons on "The Problem of Religious Certainty." The subject of the Vesper sermon at 4:30 will be "The Father of Faithful," the sixth sermon in a series on "The Message of Genesis." The musical program is as follows:

Organ voluntary—Andaute ..Masseuet
Response—"The Lord's Prayer." .... Shepard
Anthem—"Prepare Ye the Way of the Lord." ....Garrett
Offertory .... Mendelssohn
Anthem—"Even Me" ....Warren
Postlude—March Pontificial .... Tonibelli

VESPERS.

Organ voluntary—Cantilene ...Salome
Response .... Shepard
Anthem—"Still, Still With Thee.".. .... Foote
Offertory .... Hofmann
Anthem—"Holy Spirit Come." .... Koshat
Postlude .... Lemnieus

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At the Second Presbyterian church, 1515 West Superior street, Rev. W. B. O'Neill, the pastor, will preach at 10:45 on "Possess Your Possessions." At 12 m. there will be Bible school and at 7 p. m. Young People's service. At 7:45 p. m. there will be Gospel service with a sermon on the subject, "The Proclamation of the World's Emancipation." There will be special music by the choir at each service, under the direction of Mrs. O'Neill.

The choir rehearsal and prayer meeting will be held every Thursday evening at the pastor's house, 2019 West Third street.

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Services at St. Paul's church, Dec. 11, Rev. A. W. Ryan, rector, Rev. R. S. Read, assistant, will be as follows: 8 a. m., holy communion; 10 a. m., Sunday school; 11 a. m., morning prayer, litany and sermon, "The Wedding Garment;" 7:30 p. m., evening prayer and sermon. The music will be as follows:

MORNING.

Processional—"O Heavenly Jerusalem" ....
Canticles .... Chanted
Benedicites, in A flat..........Jetleries
Solo—"God's Peace Is Peace Eternal" .... Grieg
Mrs. Alphin Flaaten.
Hyman—"O Come Emmanuel"...... .... Plain Song
Solo—"Bow Down Thine Ear"...Jenks
Mary Syer Bradshaw.
Anthem — "My Righteousness Is Near" ....W. Spinney
Recessionel—"Hark the Glad Sound"

EVENING.

Processional—"O Heavenly Jerusalem" ....
Psalter and Canticles..........Chanted
Hymn—"Just as I Am"............
Anthem—"The Lord Bless You".... .... Barnby
Orison—"God Is a Spirit"....Custance Quartette.
Recessionel—'Hark the Glad Sound".

A. F. M. Custance is organist and choirmaster.

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At the Asbury M. E. church, Sixtieth avenue west and Raleigh street, morning worship will be at 10:30 a. m., evening at 7:30 p. m. The subject of the morning sermon by the pastor is "The Unspeakable Gift;" evening, "The New Birth." There will be special music at both services. Sunday school will be at 11:45 a. m., I. G. Wollan, superintendent. Epworth league will be at 6:45 p. m., Miss Eva McLyman, leader. Junior Epworth league will be at 3 p. m.

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At the Swedish Baptist temple, Twenty-second avenue west and Third street, Rev. Swaney Nelson, pastor, services will be at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The pastor will speak in the morning on "Except the Lord Build the House," and in the evening on "The Hallelujah Chorus of Heaven." Sunday school at 10 a. m. will be conducted by A. Thoren. Young people's meeting will be at 5 p. m. with an address by Mr. Werner of the Y. M. C. A. The choir will sing at the evening service; Prof. N. E. Ericson, chorister.

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At the Central Baptist church, First street and Twentieth avenue west, Rev. J. Wilfred Loughridge will preach at 10:30 a. m. on "The Results of Honest Effort," and at 7:30 p. m. on "A Good Work Criticised." Sunday school will be at noon. Young people's meeting will be at 6:30 p. m. Mid-week meeting will be on Thursday at 8 p. m.

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At St. Paul's Lutheran church corner of Twentieth avenue west and Third street, there will be morning services, commencing at 11 a. m. The services will be conducted in the English language by Rev. B. A. Johnson. Sunday school will meet at 9:45 a. m. There will be catechetical instruction in both the Norwegian and English languages Monday evening at 7:30 p. m., at the church parlors.

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Services in Holy Apostles' Episcopal church, Fifty-seventh avenue west and Elinor street, next Sunday will be as follows: 10:45 a. m., morning prayer and sermon; Sunday school at noon; evening prayer and address, 7:45 p. m. Ellsworth B. Collier is rector.

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At the First Baptist church, corner of Ninth avenue east and First street, there will be morning service at 10:30, Sunday school at 12 noon, and evening service at 7:30 p. m. Rev. R. Edward Sales is pastor.

The following is the musical program:

MORNING.

Prelude—"Andante Con Moto" .... Guilmant
Solo—"Hold Thou My Hand"...Briggs
Mr. Alfred Wiley.
Postlude .... Rinck

EVENING.

Prelude .... Beethoven
Solo—"Glory to Thee, My God"...... .... Gounod
Mr. Wiley.
Postlude ....Dudley Buck

Miss Alfhild H. Nordby is organist.

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At St. Mark's A. M. E. church, Fifth avenue east and Sixth street, Jonathan Brewer, pastor, there will be preaching both morning and evening by the pastor. Sunday school will meet at 12:15. Mrs. W. C. Fox, superintendent; Mrs. R. C. McCullough, organist. Song and praise services will begin at 7:30 p. m., Mrs. A. S. Mason, leader. The choir will furnish music; Miss Elizabeth Johnson, organist; Harvey L. Pittman, director.

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Services of the Union church will be held in the K. P. hall, 118 West Superior street, Sunday morning at 10:50 and in the evening at 8 o'clock. The subject of the morning sermon will be "The Secret of Poise;" the evening theme will be "The Power of Poise." B. V. Black is pastor. Sunday school will be at noon; Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m; midweek service in the hall Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

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Vesper service at the Y. W. C. A. will be held at 4 p. m. Mrs. J. D. Morrison will speak. The subject will be "Devotional Use of the Bible." There will be special music. Women are invited.

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At St. Luke's Episcopal church, Nineteenth avenue west and First street, services will be as follows: Sunday school at 10 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon at 8 p. m., subject of sermon, "The Church's Mission." W. E. Harmann, pastor; Miss Lilly Whittle, organist. The musical program will be as follows:

Processional—"Lo, He Comes With Clouds Descending" ....'.....
"Gloria" ....Crotch
"Magnificat" ....Clemens
"Nunc Dimittis" ....Clemens
Hymn—"Jesus Shall Reign"........
Doxology ....Bourgeois
Recessional—"Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus" ....

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At Immanuel's Lutheran Synod church, Fifty-seventh avenue west and Roosevelt street, there will be services in the evening conducted in the English language by the pastor, Rev. B. A. Johnson. The holy communion will also be celebrated at this service. Sunday school will meet at the usual hour.

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At Bethesda Norwegian Lutheran church, Sixth avenue east and Fifth street, the pastor, Rev. Theodore J. Austad, will conduct services Sunday forenoon at 10:30 o'clock and in the evening at 7:45, in the Norwegian language. Norwegian Sunday school will meet at 9 a. m.; English Sunday school at noon. The young ladies' aid society will meet in the church Wednesday evening, Dec. 14, at 8 o'clock.

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At the Glen Avon church the pastor, Rev. John Culbert Faries, will preach at 10:30 a. m. on "A Great Woman." Tho Bible school will meet at noon and the Endeavor society at 6:45 p. m. The topic for the sermon at 7:30 p. m. by the pastor will be "Twice-born Men of the Bible—Paul."

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At St. John's Episcopal church, Lakeside, there will be Bible school at 10 a. m. and evening prayer and sermon at 5 p. m., Rev. T. W. McLean, officiating. Miss Frances Burris is soloist and Miss Lillian Potter, organist.

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At St. Matthew's German Lutheran church, Fourth stret and Sixth avenue east, Rev. Herman Drews, pastor, there will be services in the morning at 10:30 o'clock. Sunday school and evening services will be omitted on the two Sundays before Christmas. Instead there will be exercises at 2 p. m., when the Sunday school and Luther League's choir will practice and rehearse the program to be given on the evening of Dec. 25. Classes of confirmants will meet on Saturday at 9:30 a. m. in the church.

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At the Danish Lutheran church, service will be held at 10:30 a. m. and Sunday school at noon, in the Norwegian Lutheran Synod church, on Roosevelt street and Fifty-seventh avenue west. N. C. Carlson is pastor.

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At the First Unitarian church, First street and Eighth avenue east, Rev. George R. Gebauer, minister, Sunday school will be at 9:45 a m. General subject of study will be "The Beginning of Christianity." Church service will be held at 11 a. m. Subject of discourse will be: "The Message Christian Science Has For All." Mrs. Winton will sing "Hear Not Ye, Oh Israel," by Dudley Buck. The evening meeting will be held at the minister's house, 1209 East Third street at 8 p. m. Subject of study and discussion will be the chapter on the "sick Soul," in Prof. James' "Varieties of Religious Experience." Everybody interested is welcome at these meetings.

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At the Westminster Presbyterian church, Fifty-eighth avenue west and Ramsey street, Rev. John S. Leitch, pastor, morning service will be at 10:30 a. m., Sunday school will be at noon, Junior Endeavor at 3 p. m., and Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:45 p. m. The leader will be Miss Clara F. Goodhand. Teachers' training class will be held Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

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At the First Christian church, West Fourth street and Mesaba avenue, Ray E. Hunt, minister, there will be regular services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. The morning theme wil be "The Perfection of Jesus," and the evening theme, "Without Shadow of Turning." Bible school will meet at noon and Christian Endeavor prayer meting at 6:45 p. m.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR NOTES

Christian Endeavor societies throughout the city will study the subject, "How Must a Christian be Different From Others?"

The lesson is found in 2 Cor. 6: 14-18. Meetings will be held as follows:

First Christian society in the church at 6:30 p. m.

Pilgrim Congregational society in the lecture room at 6:30 p. m. Miss Fanny Lippitt will lead.

First Presbyterian society in the Sunday school room at 6:45 p. m. Miss Angermeier will lead.

Second Presbyterian society in the church at 7 p. m.

Glen Avon Presbyterian society in the church at 6:45 p. m.

Lakeside Presbyterian society in the church at 6 p. m. Leader, Merle George.

Westminster Presbyterian society in the church parlors at 6:45 p. m. The meeting will be led by Miss Clara Goodhan. The Junior society will meet at 3:00 p. m. in West Duluth Baptist church. Leader, Miss Minnie Blakeney.

Union Church Disciples in the K. P. hall, at 7 p. m. Arthur Manthey will lead. The program for this week includes a recitation by Miss Hillis and piano duet by Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Black.

Smithville society in the school house at 7 p. m.

Colbyville society will meet in the Colbyville school house at 7 p. m. This week's leader is Syvert Teigland.

Poor Farm meeting Sunday afternoon will be in charge of the First Christian society.

The First Presbyterian society will hold an election of officers on Sunday evening after the regular services. The society has just added forty-nine new members.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

The senior class held a special meeting Monday.

The class decided to postpone the midyear banquet, which was to take place before the Christmas dance, on the last day before the vacation. This decision arose from the fact that the kitchen and lunch room have been discontinued at the high school and there is no suitable place to prepare the banquet.

If the high school opens its new lunch room in the Washington school, it is the plan of the class to hold its banquet later in the year.

Arrangements are already well under way for the dance. All the classes are invited to attend and the committee is planning to give the alumni who return to Duluth for their Christmas vacations, a cordial reception. The lower hall of the high school, which will be used as a dancing floor, will be decorated with the Christmas evergreens and the senior class colors. La Brosse's orchestra will furnish the music for the evening.

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The Anonian Literary society will give a program, open to the students and faculty of the high school, on Dec. 19. After the program there will be a party for the members only. The committee in charge of the affair consists of Mildred Sayer, chairman; Dorothy Hanson, Erna Rakowsky, Clara Fider, Mable Harker and Rosalind Bondy.

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The musical society held a special open meeting Tuesday, and a large number of students attended. The following program was given:

"Jean" ....
Myrtle Hobbs.
"Garden of My Heart" ....
Marian Merritt.
"Years at the Spring" ....
Loretta O'Gorman.
"Oh Hush My Baby" ....
Ruth Taylor.
"Bonnie Charlie" ....
Annabel McLeod.
"Evening Love Song" ....
Mary Whitcomb.

The others who sang were: Ruth Hobbs, A. F. M. Custance, Josie Sanders, Myra Neuville and Ethel Moran. Because of the large attendance, Mr. Custance is planning another program to be given soon.

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The senior aspiratnts to debating honors met in Mr. Brackett's classroom Thursday afternoon. Those present were selected by Mr. Sprague because of their ability in this line of public speaking. The try-out for the fourth-year debating team will be held Jan. 13. The question for debate will be, "Resolved, That a Compulsory Form of Industrial Insurance Should Be Adopted in Minnesota."

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Mr. Phillips, the athletic member of the faculty, has been boasting of the ability of the faculty at indoor baseball and stated that they would be glad to arrange a game with the senior class, to be played in the new gymnasium. It is up to the seniors.

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The Formu held its regular meeting Friday. A large audience listened to the folowing program:

Oration ....
Gilbert Denfeld.
Reading ....
Max Latshaw.
Oration ....
Vergil Vincent.
Lecture on "Forest Control in Minnesota" ....
Walter Wilander.
Lecture on "Prohibition of Liquor Among Indians" ....
Dean Davis.
Lecture on "Betterment of Police Department" ....
Abe Miller.
Brief on "President Taft's Message to Congress" ....
Ivan Northfield.

A committee of ten was appointed to distribute the advertising material and sell tickets for the Two Harbors' debate. A second committee was formed to select the design for a pin and to purchase a banner for the society.

The Forum was aroused to the fact that there was a rival society in school when a banner of the Anonia, the girls' literary club, was presented at the auction. The boys are now trying to even up the score by selecting a pin before the girls.

The Forum will hold the much-talked-of mock trial next week. This affair promises to be a great success judging from the time spent on the work by the participants. It also promises to play an important part in the progress of the society, as an increased membership is expected after the trial.

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From the present outlook the debating team promises to play an important part in the high school activity the present year. Two teams have been chosen. Roger E. Lerch, Jr., Frederick H. Weinberg and Jesse L. Cohen compose one of the teams, and the other team members are Rolf Hovde, Norman A. Cook and Lawrence Wylie. Mr. Brackett is again coaching the teams and is spending a considerable amount of time with the boys.

The first debate of any importance will be a practical debate with the Y. M. C. A. and the boys are anxious to know what kind of a showing they will have against the young attorneys. This contest will take place on Dec. 16.

On Dec. 22, the first interscholastic debate will be held with Two Harbors, on the question which is of such vital importance to the citizens of Duluth at the present time. The subject for the debate is, "Resolved, That the Cities of Minnesota Should Adopt a Commission Form of Government." The boys are working hard and it is hoped that there will be a large attendance. Dates will also be arranged with Cloquet, Irving and the Superior teams.

Preparations are under way for a banquet at which all students interested in debating as well as the visiting team from Two Harbors will be invited.

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The Anonian society held a special meeting Friday, at which the members decided to choose a pin, and to form a debating team, which should challenge the Forum team to a debate.

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The report cards will be out again Monday and then the home stretch before final examinations will begin.

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Wood Mantel Men Elect.

Knoxville, Tenn., Dec. 10.—The National Wood Mantel Manufacturers' association, which has been in session here this week, elected S. M. Dame, Harriman, Tenn., president. Cedar Point, Ohio, was selected as the place of the next annual meeting.

BETTER LATE THAN NEVER.

Sam F. Fullerton, who is traveling with the Minnesota exhibition car of the Great Northern through Illinois and adjacent states, has written a letter to a Duluth man in which he says that the car is attracting much attention. He writes that thousands of people are passing through it and that they are greatly impressed by what they see. He states that Minnesota has been late in advertising her resources and expresses the opinion that had this been done sooner, this state would have secured many of the thousands of settlers who have gone to Canada or other states further west.

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GOOD BASIS FOR INDUSTRIAL GROWTH

New York, Dec. 10.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade today says:

The year now drawing to a close will be notable for its harvests, the money value of its farm products being computed at close to $9,000,000,000—a record figure. This fact forms the best possible basis for industrial advance next year. There is, however, little change in financial and business sentiment, which remains conservative and cautious. The holiday trade is, nevertheless, opening up well and in certain important centers the jobbing trade in staple merchandise is reported as improving. The colder weather has been beneficial to most merchants and the heavy fall of snow is most seasonable.

Continued restriction of output has not prevented steady accumulation of pig iron stocks, and the movement to curtail operations is expected to be carried still further. Existing conditions in the pig iron market reflect increased dullness and sellers are offering concessions in some instances in order to stimulate business. In structural lines, however, prospects are quite encouraging as new construction work will call for a substantial tonnage of material, especially at the West. Rail orders constantly appear, yet purchases are usually in moderate amounts.

In the drygoods markets the holiday trade is shaping up well and reorders for merchandise are going into jobbing houses steadily.

While there has been some improvement in the shoe trade business is considerably below normal for this season of the year. The leather trade continues dull and prices on most varieties are easy.

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NEWS AND VIEWS OF LEGISLATORS AND POLITICIANS

H. H. Dunn Cinches His Claim to the Speakership—What He Says About His Attitude Toward Certain Measures—Whalen Expected to Be Walsh's Successor—Wirth-Handlan Senatorial Contest Is Dropped.

Dunn Has Speakership Sure

The speakership fight is over, apparently. It has been generally believed for some days that there is no further doubt about the election of H. H. Dunn of Albert Lea, who has conducted a clean, aggressive fight for the honor the place confers. Besides the honor, there is the power, second only to that of the governor. The use to which that power may be put is what is of chief interest, now that Dunn is known to be the man who will exercise it.

L. C. Spooner of Morris, who was a candidate for the honor, concedes that Dunn will be elected, saying:

"It is my best judgment that the speakership contest is over; that Dunn will be the speaker of the next house of representatives; that to continue the contest will be productive of no good to the party or to the people, and will be likely to be harmful to the party.

"Dunn was not my choice, but is an able, and, I believe, sincere man, and will make a good presiding officer; and if given the united and loyal support of the party, will give us a successful legislative administration."

Mr. Dunn's attention was called yesterday to the charges that have been brought against him by his opponents in this fight, including allegations that he is in fact an opponent of reapportionment and an active agent of the brewery interests. As to the reapportionment, he said:

"I stand on that question just as I told the people in my district," said Mr. Dunn. "I am in favor of a fair and just reapportionment of the state on the basis of population. As to the time for it to take effect, the constitution requires that it shall take effect at the next election, and there is no other way to make it."

Asked if he would appoint a temperance committee with a chairman and enough other members favorable to county option to form a majority to receive a county option bill, he said:

"I can hardly agree to define the membership of the temperance committee to that extent. I have said that I will appoint a county option chairman, and he will be a man who will command universal respect and approval when his name is announced. The other members of the committee will be pledged to report the bill on its merits, so it will be disposed of on the floor of the house. I want to make the representation on that committee as even and fair as I can, and I could not afford to do anything else. To say that I would name a majority of county option men or anti-county option men, would lay me open to criticism on the charge of stacking the committee, but now that the fight is over, I can say that I feel sure every fair, reasonable county optionist will be satisfied with the membership of that committee."

Mr. Dunn denied that his campaign expenses were borne by the brewery companies, saying that charge was made and refuted in his campaign for election to the house, adding:

"The people of Freeborn county know it to be false. I am a man of comfortable means, and I pay my own campaign expenses. Not a dollar of the money spent to nominate and elect me came from the brewing interest or any other interest, directly or indirectly. I wear no collar and I am under no obligation except to the membership of the house and the people of the state."

The attitude of the St. Louis county delegation was voiced by Representative C. T. Knapp of Chisholm.

"I am firmly convinced that Dunn will be elected speaker," said Mr. Knapp. "To continue the speakership fight might possibly endanger some important legislation which will be brought to the attention of the legislature at the next session. While Dunn was not my personal choice I feel that he will be a fair and impartial presiding officer and I deem it advisable to assist in eliminating factional differences that might arise from a prolonged speakership fight and possibly react on important legislation.

"Speaking for the St. Louis county delegation, consisting of four members, including myself, as it seems evident that Burnquist is eliminated, I go on record for H. H. Dunn."

At the windup of the speakership fight there seems to be a disposition to stampede to Dunn. Burnquist's support is dissolving despite its dryness, and with Spooner conceding the election of the Albert Lea man "there's nothing to it." Fifty-six votes are claimed by the Dunn leaders, and they seem to have them, but P. J. Youngdahl, true to his reputation of being a fighter of bulldog tenacity, shouts that the optionists have the votes and that Dunn will be defeated. But it sounds more like the rousing cry of a revivalist than the triumphant yell of a victorious politician.

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Whalen Picked to Succeed Walsh.

It seems to be the general expectation that "Eddie" Whalen will be Capt. James Walsh's successor as state free employment agent in Duluth. A good many people have wished that Capt. Walsh be kept in the place, but the fortunes of war are not to be avoided and the warriors are not be be denied the spoils of victory. It was said that Mr Whalen was to be appointed deputy oil inspector to succeed M. J. Lynch, but that seems to have been only a feeler and now the story is told circumstantially that he has the employment agency cinched.

Capt. Walsh has been an excellent man in that place. He is fitted for the work, not only by his experience of years with the laboring people, but also by reason of his unfailing kindliness and generosity of heart. If he is to be displaced, it will require of his successor an exceptional measure of effort and attention to the duties of the office to reach the standard established by the captain.

Some of the best known men of the city, irrespective of party affiliations, would be pleased to see Capt Walsh kept in charge of the state agency, but there is no chance of that.

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Wirth-Handlan Contest Dropped Suddenly.

Dr. Carl Wirth has dropped his contest against James Handlan, senator-elect from the Thirty-fourth district, which is in St. Paul. Handlan, the winning Democratic candidate, was a member of the house two years ago. He beat Senator McColl in the primaries and defeated Wirth in the general election by a plurality of 434. The ballots of three precincas had been counted when Dr. Wirth's attorney threw up his hands. Wirth's gain in these recounted precincts was only two votes.

Three interesting senatorial contests remain to be decided by the senate. A. D. Stephens asks that the election of John Saugstad be set aside in his own favor, on the ground that there were gross irregularities in the election of Saugstad by the sticker method; S. D. Works is confronted with the task of proving that B. C. Taylor is wrong in contending that his election is illegal, and John J. Ahmann has the same situation to face, his opponent being Henry Emmel.

Works is a Democrat, Taylor a Republican, Ahmann and Emmel are Democrats and Saugstad and Stephens are Republicans.

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Five Candidates Are Remiss.

Four Democratic candidates for state office have made themselves liable to penalties for gross misdemeanor by failing to file statements of their campaign expenses. They are Fred W. Johnson, candidate for secretary of state; Thomas Meighn, candidate for state auditor; Charles F. Ladner, candidate for state treasurer, and John M. Freeman, candidate for attorney general. The statute says that those who do not file such statements shall be deprived of their offices, but as they have none that penalty cannot be imposed. It is true that they may be fined, but it's hardly likely that any one will be so inconsiderate as to rub it in by prosecuting them.

J. D. Engle, Prohibition candidate for lieutenant governor, also has failed to give the state an accounting of his own money.

The St. Paul Dispatch, discussing this election sequel, says:

"In general, it seems to be held that the act violates the Constitution, which provided the qualifications for an officeseeker, filing of an expanse account not being one of them. The opinion is prevalent that there should be such an act, but many feel that the only way to get it into force would be by a Constitutional amendment. This raises the question John Lind brought up last summer when he said he was not eligible for the governorship because he was a member of the board of regents. There is no hesitancy on the part of many of the state's lawyers in saying that act is unconstitutional.

"The act applicable in this case is section 379 of the general election laws, which says that failure to file the expense account is a gross misdemeanor.

"In chapter 6, section 349, code of 1905, the penalty for a gross misdemeanor is set down as imprisonment for a year or a $1,000 fine. But this same section uses the words 'for his nomination' without the slightest reference to the 'election.' This is a point which must in time be decided."

"MALT SHOPS" WILL SECURE LICENSES

Deerwood Council to Issue Them Until Indian Controversy Is Settled.

Deerwood, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—The council passed an ordinance providing that "malt shops" be allowed to pay their license monthly until the Indian treaty controversy is settled.

The Commercial club appointed the following committee. Charles G. Osterlund, C. J. Rathvon and Emil Carlson, to confer with Supt. K. M. Nicoles regarding a new depot and freight shed.

D. M. Stoner of Bemidji is making rapid progress in the construction of his electric light plant. The brick walls are up above the first story.

The First National Bank building is being plastered and will soon be ready for occupancy.

The fire hall and jail are about completed. The jail is of modern concrete and brick construction and has two up-to-date steel cells.

Street lamps similar to Brainerd may be installed as soon as the village gets electricity.

PICKPOCKET GETS $366

Alex Martell, a saloon keeper at 709 West Superior street, reported to the police this afternoon that his pocket had been picked of $366 in the doorway of the American Exchange National bank shortly before noon today. Martell said that he had cashed a number of checks, getting the money in $5 and $10 bills, which he placed in an inside pocket when he left the bank. In the doorway he got into a crowd and was jostled about, he said, and when he returned to his place of business, the money was missing.

OMAHA RAILROAD GATHERING LOGS

Picking Up Timber Along Right-of-Way and Will Saw Them.

Couderay, Wis., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Omaha Railroad company has a steam log loader and crew here picking up all the logs on the right-of-way. This crew expects to cover the whole Northern district of the Wisconsin division of the road, picking up all the logs along the track that have fallen off cars that the lumber companies have shipped over this road in the last few years.

If the logs are not removed by the lumber companies within a certain length of time the railroad company cliam them. Logs are being shipped to Spooner, where the company will put up nearly 1,000,000 feet in this way. This will give them a good supply of all grades of lumber and building material for the bridge and building department for many years to come. This experiment is the first on this road and something new, but looks as a very wise move and is another step in economizing.

MASS MEETING OF SOCIALISTS

The Socialists of Duluth will hold a general mass meeting at Odd Fellows hall, 18 Lake avenue north, Sunday afternoon at 2:30.

The meeting will be open to the public and everyone is invited to attend. All Public Ownership candidates will be present and will make short talks.

Government by the commission form and from the Public Ownership point of view will be discussed. Anyone may take part in the discussion.

The platform for the coming campaign will be outlined and adopted. The meeting is absolutely free and women are especially invited.

There will be music by the Normanna chorus and the Svea Glee club.

At the coming election several candidates have filed on the Public Ownership ticket, and the party plans to get behind its candidates and conduct a most energetic campaign.

POTS PLACED ON STREET

Salvation Army Collecting Money With Which to Buy Christmas Dinners.

Pots Complete the Christmas Aspect of Duluth's Shopping District.

The Salvation Army this morning placed its pots on the streets and the nickles, dimes and quarters began to clink as passers by contributed toward the Christmas dinner of the poor families of the city.

The pots on the principal street corners make Superior street look more like Christmas time, for the practice has been in vogue for a number of years and it does not seem as though Christmas is really near until the pots make their appearance.

Some of them are watched by the male members of the Army and others by women. It has been noticeable in other years that the pots guarded by the women were the more popular.

Five pots were placed on the streets this morning and as the crowds in the shopping districts become larger with the approach of Christmas, more will be added.

The Salvation Army has published an attractive advertising blotter which is being distributed throughout the city. It asks that help be extended the Army that the poor can be made happy Christmas day.

Besides giving dinners this year the Army wants to do more and is extremely anxious that enough money to carry out its plans be raised on the street or turned in at the Army headquarters on Fourth avenue west. They intend to add this year a Christmas entertainment at which the children will be given small presents.

The blotter shows in colors one of the baskets that are given out each year. It contains a chicken or turkey, bread, butter, vegetables or several different kinds, cranberries, celery, coffee, sugar, a small packet of flour, and a copy of the War Cry, the publication of the Army.

As the Salvation Army reaches some people that others do not reach, and as it has been proven in Duluth in years gone by that particularly at this time of the year they do a great deal of good, their work is generously supported by Duluthians.

Last year they provided nearly 200 dinners. They were all good dinners, too, and they went into homes that would have been without a Christmas dinner had not the Salvation Army provided it.

Adj. and Mrs. Martin, the head of the local Army are working hard to make this the biggest Christmas in the history of the local work and the other members are digging in with a will.

Few realize how hard these people labor at this time of the year to make Christmas a joyous period in the lives of those who have been unfortunate.

At the time the baskets are prepared it often happens that they work day and night. During the day they watch the pots and after the religious services at night they go to work on the baskets.

It is a big undertaking to collect the money, buy the groceries and prepare them for delivery in addition to attending the street and hall meetings held each day.

Last year the hall was located on East Second street but this year better although smaller quarters are occupied by the Army on Fourth avenue west between Superior and First street.

The dinners will be given out and the annual Christmas entertainment will be held on Christmas eve.

MAY OPEN A BRANCH HERE

Canadian Dredging Concern Likely to Invade Duluth in Spring.

James Whalen of Port Arthur, head of the Canadian Dredging & Wrecking company, who is in Duluth today, refuses to confirm a rumor that his concern is to establish a branch in Duluth.

Mr. Whalen not only refuses to discuss the possibility of his firm coming here, but stubbornly abstains from talking of anything that might remotely relate to that subject, but in a moment of comparative loquacity he did say that it is possible a branch will be established here next spring.

Members of Mr. Whalen's party volunteered the information that Duluth might expect to see three dredges of the Canadian company in the bay here in the spring, which was naturally interpreted to mean that plans already are under way for the opening of work here on a large scale.

Mr. Whalen withheld confirmation of the statements made by his friends.

ASA WALLACE WILL BE STATE LIBRARIAN.

Governor Eberhart will announce next Tuesday, the appointment of Asa Wallace as state librarian, to succeed John E. King, who was appointed by Governor Johnson. Strong pressure has been brought to bear on the governor in behalf of Elias J. Lien, the chief assistant librarian, but it appears that the governor will ignore the pleas made for Mr. Lien by the supreme court justices, and many others, and will appoint Mr. Wallace because of his political services. Mr. Wallace is an editor.

JOINT COUNTY BRIDGE.

Brainerd, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Crow Wing and Morrison counties will join in building a $1,500 bridges at Fort Ripley. The county commissioners of Crow Wing county authorized the auditor to advertise for bids for a 60-foot steel bridge across the Nokay Sebie river at Daggett Brook, deeming a new bridge better than the continual repairing of the old wooden structure. The $5,700 in the county ditch fund was used to cancel Drainage Bonds Nos. 6, 7 and 8, held by the Farmers & Mechanics Savings Bank of Minneapolis and some held by the state of Minnesota.

MUNICIPAL LIGHT PLANT

Watson S. Moore Argues for City Ownership of Electric System.

Says Dividends Are Now Being Paid on Over-Capitalization.

The necessity of legislation which will allow the city of Duluth to own and operate a municipal lighting system was the theme of discussion at the meeting of the Lakeside club last night. Watson S. Moore made a strong argument in favor of a municipal electric light system, contending that it would give the people cheaper light and enable the city to light every dark street and avenue from Lester Park to Fond du Lac at less cost than that of the lights now in use. Harry W. Cheadle, senator-elect from the Fifty-first district, also expressed himself in favor of needed legislation so that the city may enter the new municipal ownership venture.

Mr. Moore recalled the numerous contests the Duluth legislators have had in the legislature over the bill, which is needed to allow the city to own an electric lighting system. As in the case of the water and light plant, it would be necessary to issue bonds in excess of the limit of bonded indebtedness. A bill would be necessary to allow the city to issue bonds being a specific lien on the property of the plant and a general charge against the city, they being in excess of the charter limitation. There would be no danger to the credit of the city in such a venture, he said, but every bill giving the city power to take such action had been stubbornly opposed in the legislature, he claimed.

Mr. Moore pointed out that the water and light department has in the last ten years earned $700,000 above operating expenses and interest charges and has saved in water rates a million and a quarter of dollars and in gas rates a million dollars by reductions.

Over-Capitalization.

He said the city is not well lighted now, especially in the suburbs, because rates are so much higher than they would be if the electric light plant were not over-capitalized. Mr. Moore drew a comparison between the water and gas system and the lectric light system. He specified the assets of the water and light department, including the expensive plant at Lakewood, the numerous reservoirs, the many miles of mains and the booster plants. Against those assets, there is a charge of $3,125,000 in bonds. He then pointed out that the only assets of the electric light company are the poles and wires, $60,000 worth of conduits and a small plant. Against those assets, there is a charge in stocks and bonds of about $2,625,000, earning from 5 to 6 per cent a year, he claimed.

According to the city engineer's estimate, Mr. Moore said, the electric lighting system in Duluth could be duplicated for $400,000, while the most conservative estimates run under $750,000. The capitalization is nearly four times the real value of the plant, he said, at a most conservative estimate. If Duluth should own and operate an electric lighting system, the city would get light at nearly one-fourth the cost, carrying out the same system of figuring, he said, and there would be lights enough to illuminate every dark street and avenue.

During his talk, Mr. Moore referred to the project for municipal docks and said the city should acquire the dock property owned by the state.

In his speech, Mr. Cheadle made a strong expression in favor of the initiative and referendum. He said he is also greatly interested in the subject of a soil survey and believes that such action would aid greatly in the development of this part of the state.

Log Rolling in Legislature.

Mr. Wilson talked on the subject of "log rolling," and decried the tendency of legislators to trade votes. He said that legislators would gain much more respect for themselves and be able to do more for their districts in the end if they would stand up staunchly for their rights and decline to enter into petty political bickerings, trading off their convictions for the accomplishment of desired results.

C. S. Mitchell also discussed "log-rolling," and said that the day of trading votes in legislative bodies is passing. Legislators will continue such methods as long as the people want them, he said, and no longer. He pointed to the case of Congressman Lindbergh, who was indorsed by his district, despite the fact that he was unable to swing any patronage.

Alderman W. B. Getchell of the Eighth ward expressed his opposition to the commission form of government.

D. A. Reed spoke of "log rolling" in the city council and said the only way to eliminate it would be by the election of legislators from the city at large.

Oil on London Road.

The club adopted a resolution calling upon the board of public works to discontinue the sprinkling of London road with water and the substitution of oil, calcium chloride or some other substance that would lay the dust and still not damage the road. D. A. Reed, H. R. Spencer and G. A. Everest were appointed on a committee to take the matter before the board.

The committee on the mail service reported that no better service can be obtained until after the 1st of July of next year. The committee on street car service also reported inability to obtain results, but the committee was continued and will work on the proposition until the next meeting, at least.

CONSULTATIONS ON THE INCREASE

Many People Visited Free Dispensary During the Last Month.

At a meeting of the St. Louis County Sanitarium commission held this morning at Dr. Hart's office in the courthouse, the doctor read his regular monthly report, which showed that the work of the free dispensary is on the increase.

So much is the dispensary used by the public that it was found necessary a few weeks ago to put on an assistant to Dr. Hart Dr. Ignatius Murphy is now helping regularly with the work. Dr. J. M. Robinson is still attending to the nose and throat departments.

Last month there were seventy-eight consultations. This was a gain of 21 per cent over the number of consultations of the month previous. The number last month exceeded the number of the first two weeks.

Work on the site of the new St. Louis county sanitarium will begin at once with the clearing. A road is being constructed from the main road to the site of the buildings.

Outside the report but little outside the routine business was transacted. Commissioners Grey, Twohy and Getty were present at the meeting.

WOULD STOP SUNDAY WORK

Postoffice Employes Believe Sunday Distribution of Mail Is Unnecessary.

Move to Eliminate All But Most Essential Handling of Mail.

Clerks and carriers of the Duluth postoffice have begun a systematic campaign to obtain public approbation for a movement to eliminate as much Sunday work as possible in the postoffice and give the government employes a day of rest with people engaged in other employment. Carriers are taking cards out to the people whom they serve and patrons of the office will be asked to express an opinion of the movement. If public sentiment is with the employes, the new Sunday rule will be put in effect.

The officials of the postoffice department and the employes also are anxious to give good service, but they believe that much of the Sunday work is not necessary. Few people in business require their mail on Sunday, for they cannot attend to it if they get it. Idle curiosity draws many people to the carriers' windows every Sunday and the inconvenience that would come to those required to wait until Monday morning for their mail, would be slight.

At present one-half of the postoffice force works every Sunday from 7 o'clock until 10:30 in the morning, the men alternating. The carriers' windows are open from 9:30 until 10:30. In the afternoon, seven men collect mail from the boxes, one in the business district and six in the residence districts.

The employes claim that if one man were to cullect mail in the business district and hotels and the outgoing mail, including letters deposited at the postoffice, were given attention, all of the other work could be eliminated. Collections in the residence districts on Sunday are unnecessary, they claim, and the distribution of mail at the postoffice is not essential.

A similar movement is in force in many cities throughout the country. In Detroit, Mich., 25,000 cards were sent out to patrons of the postoffice and only twenty-five people expressed themselves against the cessation of Snuday work at the postoffice. In St. Paul, the sentiment was overwhelming in favor of the move, and it is expected that Duluth people will be no less reasonable. The postoffice employes do not intend to shirk any necessary work, but they think that much of the work they perform on Sunday is unnecessary and they believe the public will back them up.

ADDITIONAL SPORTS

DULUTH WILL PLAY DETROIT

Hockey Players Have Two More Games on Present Trip.

A telegram from the members of the Duluth hockey team, through Ed Furni, who is managing the All-Star aggregation on the present trip, states that a game has been arranged for Detroit for Monday evening. That will conclude the trip of the team.

The message also states that the members of the Chicago team were for the most part professional players. The Duluth players are not kicking about the defeats sustained at Chicago, but merely wish the home guard to know the facts in the case. Most of the members of the Chicago seven are former Copper country players, and the Duluth boys were in no shape to go against them without any preliminary practice whatever.

Another game will be played with Cleveland this evening. On the showing made last evening at the Forest City, it is hoped that the Duluth boys may win the game, as the success of the touring aggregation will boom the game in this part of the country. The boys are much elated over the victory last night.

POLICE ARE PLAYING SANTA

"Hello, is this Santa Claus?" is a salutation which is coming to the police operators at headquarters frequently these days.

Numerous children from many parts of the city are turning in their wishes for Christmas presents which they would like from the sturdy old man of the Northland. They cover the entire catalog of children's toys and many other things, which often surprise the man at the other end of the line.

Always they get the most pleasant of receptions. The officers listen to their wants and assure them that they will be looked after to the best of Santa's ability. Sometimes the mother of a child will call the police station and ask if Santa is present, stating that her son or daughter wants to talk to him. Again the youngsters will ask central to give them Santa Claus and she obliges them by turning them over to the police department if their 'phones are not busy. Even if they had time the young ladies at the switch board would have difficulty disguising their voices to meet a child's conception of Santa Claus, and at the station they know that a man will always answer the call with a deep bass that thrills the "kids'" hearts.

RUN AS A BUSINESS, NOT AS A DEBATING SOCIETY

Mayor Wooldridge of Austin Praises the Commission Plan.

Says Tax Rate Is Lower and Floating Debt Is Paid.

The city is run as a business corporation and not as a debating society under the commission plan, according to Mayor A. P. Wooldridge of Austin, Tex., a progressive city of 30,000 people.

Mayor Wooldridge declares that the best of results have been secured as a result of the change from the old to the new form, explaining that the present charter was adopted because that formerly in force was expensive and inefficient.

Since the adoption of the commission plan in March, 1909, less than two years ago, he says that the tax rate has been reduced 24 cents on the $100; that a floating debt of $24,702 has been paid; that $29,000 in bonds have been redeemed, and that more municipal improvements have been made than in any other similar period of the city's history. He adds that the assessed valuation of the city is less than $19,000,000, making the accomplishments notable.

The Austin charter was modeled after those of Des Moines and Galveston, differing only in minor details. Its framers endeavored to get a combination of the excellencies of both, favoring that of Des Moines.

"I would suggest that the recall feature be carefully guarded, says Mayor Wooldridge. "With us, the recall calls for a petition signed by 25 per cent of the vote cast at the next preceding general election. That might, with propriety, be increased to 33 1-3 per cent of the vote, for sometimes at the general election the number of voters voting is small, and a recall ought not to be made too easy of accomplishment; otherwise good men will be deterred from running for office."

He asserts that the new form has brought about concentration of authority and responsibility and adds that there is no sentiment in favor of a return to the old form.

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The opinion of Duluth business and professional men is that the Zenith City long ago should have adopted a form of the commission plan of government. That is the conclusion reached as a result of extensive and careful inquiry and it is borne out by the opinion of E. P. Towne, who said today:

"It is undoubtedly true that Duluth, perhaps more than any other city, needs just such a medium of reform as is afforded by the commission form of municipal government. There is now altogether too much discussion of authority and responsibility. We have tried to secure the accomplishment of a needed reform here in the abolition of the board of public works, uniting in one individual the powers and responsibilities of that department of municipal administration, but all the efforts of the public affairs committee of the Commercial club in that direction resulted in failure. that department of municipal administration, but all the efforts of the public affairs committee of the Commercial club in that direction resulted in failure.

"I believe that the sooner Duluth adopts the commission form of government, the better off the city will be, and it is beyond question that this is the time to discuss and inquire into the phases of this municipal project, to the end that the city will be able to deal intelligently with it when it is presented in concrete form."

Jesse Norton is one of those advocates of the adoption by Duluth of the commission form of government, who have but lately given attention to what is offered in that system for the correction of existing handicaps.

"There is no question in my mind as to the desirability of adopting the commission form," he said. "So far as studying the proposition is concerned, that should have been done long ago, and it would have been largely to the advantage of Duluth if the new system had been inaugurated here years ago. As it is now, under the old system, there is such a diffussion of authority that one can't get anything done. It is possible for the officials of a city to pass on this and that responsibility, with the result that nothing is accomplished. I've been under the weather of late or I would have made it my business to take a more active interest in this movement. I want to see something of a constructive nature done on this proposition. It is good and we need the benefits it will confer. I have no doubt but that when the people get a chance to vote on it they will vote for it. I will."

GOES TO SOUTHERN FIELD.

C. T. Fairbairn Given Southern Post By Republic Iron and Steel Co.

C. T. Fairbairn, who was formerly general manager of the mines of the Lake Superior district of the Republic Iron & Steel company, with headquarters in Duluth, has been made general manager of the Southern district with headquarters at Birmingham, Ala. He will assume charge of the new district the first of the new year.

Mr. Fairbairn left Duluth in September, 1909, going to Pittsburg to become manager of the company's interests, from that district. This position he holds at the present time.

He is in Duluth at the present time combining business with pleasure. While living here Mr. Fairbairn made many friends who wish him well at Birmingham. It was announced a few days ago that he would return to Duluth, and again make this city his headquarters, but he has since been ordered to Birmingham.

F. J. Webb of Gilbert is general superintendent for the company and may succeed Mr. Fairbairn.

BRAINERD ALDERMAN FOR MUNICIPAL SKATING RINK.

Brainerd, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—At a recent council session Alderman R. A. Henning, Socialist, broached the proposition of a municipal skating rink. Something like this would not cost the city much money and would provide innocent amusement and be free from the usual dangers of skating on ice not proven safe. The council took no action on the matter but Alderman Henning gave notice he would bring it up again for consideration.

Candidates' Expense Accounts.

In the list of expense accounts filed with the county auditor, Col. C. D. Johnson, senator-elect, spent the most, his election expenses amounting to $289.15. Senator S. F. Alderman and Ex-Sheriff O. P. Erickson, who were defeated in the race, spent respectively $245.60 and a total covering printing, hotel and railroad fare and filing fee. Mrs. Irma Camp Hartley spent $125.87 to be elected county superintendent of schools and Prof. P. V. Malm, whom she defeated, spent $104.03. A. R. Holman, elected court commissioner, received and spent not a cent.

Daniels-Deminske.

Miss Marie Daniels and John Deminski were quietly married at the home of the groom's sister, Friday evening at 8 o'clock by Rev. Solomonson. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Anna Daniels and Miss Kathryn Olmem. The groomsmen were M. S. Daniels, brother of the bride and William Platt. The bride was gowned in cream messaline with a lace veil and carried bride's roses.

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A certified check for ten per cent of the amount of the bid, payable to the order of the Treasurer of the City of Duluth, must accompany each proposal.

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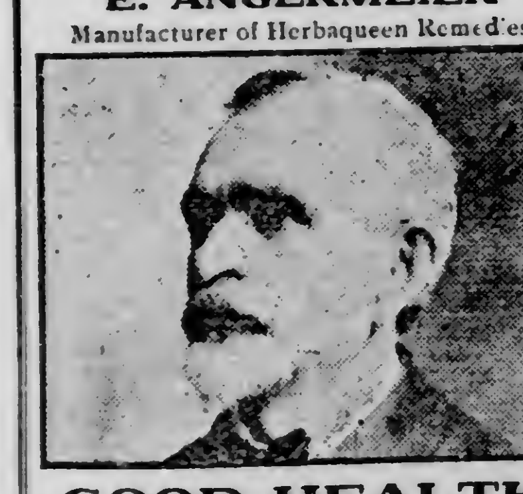

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Rural School, Social Meeting Place of Its Respective Community.

The Northwestern Minnesota Teachers' Association Addressed on Education.

East Grand Forks, N. D., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—That the rural school should be the social center of the community in which it is located, was the thought of an address delivered today before the Northwestern Minnesota Educational association in this city by Dean J. H. Shepperd of the North Dakota Agricultural college.

"The rural school should be, can be, and is largely the center of community interests," said Dean Shepperd. "It is the only public assembly hall in the neighborhood. The smaller villages have their town hall and churches, many of them have one or more lodge rooms and other assembly places of a public or semi-public nature, but the rural community has but one hall for all purposes, religious, political, social and educational. It offers a splendid point of contact for extention among the residents of the farming community. It can easily be made the meeting place, farmers' club, a night school, seed corn contest center and other pleasant and profitable features of rivalry.

"Scores of lessons can be taught and illustrated in this rural center if the school is provided with a suitable leader in the person of the teacher.

"Long ago we were cautioned against setting the blind to lead the blind lest both fall into the ditch, and here we are face to face with that problem.

Need Social Entertainment.

"The rural school is surrounded by a neighborhood of people who have abundant time to think, who need social entertainment, who can take time to attend public meetings during the five months of the winter season and who would greatly profit by, and appreciate the services of a good leader. It is indeed a great field for education and I feel that we can say in the language of scripture that the harvest is ripe indeed. But that the competent teachers are few and at present the means for the compensating of the teacher is too meager to expect to command the service of one who can do the work."

He closed his address by making a plea for the securing of a good, wide-awake, competent teacher.

Prof. E. G. Quigley of the department of education of the University of Minnesota gave a splendid address yesterday on the trained teacher. The trained teacher at a salary of from $75 to $80 a month is far more preferable than the untrained teacher at a salary of from $40 to $50 a month.

Rural Life Opportunities.

Supt. C. G. Selvig of the Crookston school of agriculture dealt with the opportunities of rural life. He pointed to the fact that despite the recent census has disclosed a change in Minnesota in favor of the cities, that a smaller percentage of the people were living in the country than in the city. The rural school and the improvement of its work, Supt. Selvig said, would do a great deal toward increasing the charm of rural life. Industrial education as it is being developed at the present time should have a tendency toward keeping the child on the farm.

Another speaker yesterday was State Supt. C. G. Shultz, who spoke of the mutual obligations of the board and the teacher. John Clemenson of Euclid also gave an address, telling of his experience as a schol director and of the opportunities present for increasing the efficiency of the work.

DUNN COUNTY IS BEING CHANGED

Greatest of North Dakota Counties Rapidly Being Settled Up.

Manning, N. D., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Thousands upon thousands of acres of Dunn county's virgin soil will be given over to the agriculturist next year and the last county in the state to be claimed by the farmer will be wrested from the ranchman and turned to the production of grains.

Dunn county, located in the heart of Western North Dakota, has experienced an influx of homesteaders bent upon building homes for themselves and who have, by reason of their previous agricultural experience and because they have found that farming pays in this section, come to realize that their salvation is the tilling of the soil.

Dunn county, the scene of Gen. Sully's most notable battle in his campaign against the Indians, that of the Kildeer mountains, has assumed a greatly different appearance than it presented years ago when he was here. The ranchman who held sway for so many years unmolested has been crowded back; he has been taught to use conservation methods and is getting more out of the land than before, while the farmer has at the same time rapidly encroached, and during the last two years especially, have broken over 80,000 acres of virgin soil and put it to crops of small grains.

Comprising an area of 1,057,330 acres, of which about 250,000 acres are in the Fort Berthold reservation, which is to be opened for settlement next year, Dunn holds a unique position in North Dakota today, the last available reports on its area under cultivation showing that only 40,000 acres of land were so used. Since that report the acreage has about trebled.

START CO-OPERATIVE STORE.

Farmers Around Badger, Minn., Are Going Into Business.

Badger, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—A farmers' co-operative store, to be known as the Badger Co-operative company, has been organized here. The company has a capital stock of $15,000, in 150 shares of $100 each, of which 102 shares have already been sold.

No stockholder is allowed to hold more than three shares. The stock and fixtures of Anderson & Frycklund have been purchased at appraised value and they intend to be ready to have their share of the Christmas rush. The following were elected directors to hold office until the annual meeting: Ben Setran, B. L. Sundal, B. C. Sater, Jalmer Wellin, Peter Eklund. The officers are as follows: Ben Setran, president; B. L. Sundal, vice president; Jalmer Wellin, secretary; and B. C. Sater, treasurer.

THREE MEN HAVE VERY CLOSE CALL

Septic Tank at Rainy River Collapses and They Barely Escape.

Rainy River, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—The roof of one of the sceptic tanks here caved in and three people who were working in it, nearly lost their lives. They barely had time to get under the more heavily braced part. The hat of one was taken off by the uprushing current of air and carried out through a man-hole.

The loss is about $2,000. The cause of the disaster seems to be due to a fault in the original plans. There was a span 100 feet long by 13 feet wide with no adequate support for the great weight of cement and earth on top of it.

FOUGHT AT GETTYSBURG.

Another Member of Famous First Minnesota Regiment Called.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Charles Malcolm Hoag, one of the few remaining veterans, who participated in the charge of the First Minnesota regiment at Gettysburg, died this week at his home here. Mr. Hoag was 75 years old and was well known in Grand Army circles. He leaves a son, Henry Hoag; three daughters, Mrs. Ida McKay of Minneapolis, Marie and Louise Hoag, and a brother, Fred Hoag, all of Minneapolis. Members of the Grand Army acted as pallbearers and the interment was in the Soldiers' lot at Lakewood.

MYTH OR MIRACLE

Is Professor's Theory of the Star of Bethlehem.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 10.—The story of the Star of Bethlehem is characterized as either a myth or a miracle by Prof. Francis P. Leavenworth, head of the department of astronomy at the state university.

"It is not in keeping with science," he said, "to think that a star would move ahead of the three men and then stop in one place, as the legend tells us. Some say it was Venus, others a combination of Venus and Jupiter. I doubt both. According to the story as given us, without any attempt at interpretation, it is hardly a scientific phenomenon, and it may be characterized as either a miracle or a myth."

NEGAUNEE MAN KILLED.

Struck By Chunk of Ore in Mary Charlotte Mine.

Negaunee, Mich., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—As the result of the falling of a chunk of ore in the Mary Charlotte mine, Charles Long of Negaunee was instantly killed Thursday.

Long and his partner, a Frenchman, were drilling holes when a large chunk of ore fell, piercing Long's brain and fracturing his leg. The Frenchman was very slightly injured.

The deceased was a carpenter by trade and had been working in the mines only a few months. He was 32 years of age.

KNOWN IN MENOMINEE.

Sumner Prescott, Who Married Nan Patterson, Figured in Tragedy.

Menominee, Mich., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Sumner Prescott, formerly secretary and treasurer of the Prescott company, who married Annie Martin (Nan Patternson in St. Paul, Oct. 24, was at one time one of the most prominent society men of the Twin Cities and he has had rather a sensational career. He was at the wheel in an automobile accident two years ago in which Lieut. Brent of Marinette was killed. He disappeared suddenly from this section just before the Prescott company was reorganized, leaving the accounts of the company, of which he was secretary and treasurer, it is alleged, confused.

He was not included in the reorganized company and it is understood that he was employed, on leaving here, by the Regal Packing company of New York. He has severed his connection with this concern and is now said to be with the Vulcan Iron company of Tacoma.

It is said that Nan Patterson visited the Twin Cities in October. She is represented as being a very beautiful woman and since the Young tragedy has left the stage and has been leading a retired life.

CHURCH CONVENTION.

Held at Argyle This Week By Scandinavian Young People.

Thief River Falls, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—The young people's societies of the Scandinavian churches of the Red River valley, which are affiliated with the Baptist church, held a convention this week at argyle. A large attendance was present and addresses were delivered by Rev. M. Berglund, state Sunday school missionary; Rev. Nels Ekstrom of Thief River Falls, Martin Loeger of Lancaster, and several other speakers. Special music was rendered by select choirs.

Mrs. Christina Johnson, wife of Severt Johnson, residing near Liner postoffice southeast of this city, was brought here Tuesday for examination as to her mental condition. The cause of her insanity is attributed to overwork and worry over religious matters.

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PHONE EXCHANGE FIRE.

Northwestern Telephone Company Has Loss at Fergus Falls.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Fire started at noon yesterday in the switchboard of the new Northwestern Telephone exchange here, and destroyed the new switchboard and badly injured the entire inside of the new exchange building.

The Northwestern Telephone Exchange company has been rebuilding their entire exchange system in Fergus Falls, erecting a fine new brick building of their own, putting their wires in cables, and these in underground conduits over the entire business section.

It was expected that the new system would be ready for use in a few weeks, but this fire has set the date off for an indefinite time, as a new switchboard will have to be made for the system.

The cause of the fire is unknown, but the loss is very heavy. The estimated loss from the fire is $15,000.

TEACHERS TO ORGANIZE.

Instructors in Butte, Mont., Are Forming a Union.

Butte, Mont., Dec. 10.—The school teachers of Butte and Silver Bow county are planning to organize a union and obtain a charter from the Montana State Federation of Labor. The teachers believe conditions in Butte make it necessary for them to protect themselves. A committee visited a representative of the Silver Bow Trades and Labor council a few days ago and was informed that the council would do everything in its power to secure the teachers a charter in the federation.

INDICT ST. CLOUD DOCTOR.

Alleged to Have Set Fire to Automobile for Insurance.

St. Cloud, Minn., Dec. 10.—A sensation was sprung in the district court when the grand jury of Stearns county returned an indictment for arson in the second degree against Dr. J. C. Boehm, a prominent physician of this city. It is alleged in the indictment that Dr. Boehm set fire to an automobile belonging to him in order to collect $800 insurance on the machine.

A bench warrant was sworn out and the prisoner was arraigned before Judge M. D. Taylor. Bail was fixed at $1,000, which was furnished.

HINCKLEY CONCERN HAS CHANGED HANDS.

Hinckley, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Hinckley Flour & Grain company's business changed owners this week, the North Branch Milling company buying out the Pine City Milling & Electric company. The business will be conducted as in the past and Charles Williams remains as manager but whether the name of the company will be changed or not could not be learned.

The subscribers of the Farmers' Co-operative Telephone company have been paying in their subscription for stock and for material furnished and for tolls and the company is now in excellent shape financially. Messrs. Wallick and Opsahl have been out this week looking over the line to anticipate any trouble to come during the winter and prevent it as much as possible.

ALLEGED MAYBRAY GANG MEMBER IS ARRESTED.

Billings, Mont., Dec. 10.—Charged with being a member of the famous Maybray gang, convicted of swindling operations in the line of sporting events, Frank Meyers was taken into custody by the sheriff in this city. According to the officers, Meyers is wanted in Minneapolis and when apprehended he admitted that his father-in-law is a liveryman of that city and that his name is Ronan. When questioned further he admitted that his arrest was no surprise, in fact, that he was expecting it. Other than that, he refused to talk.

It is understood that Meyers was pointed out to the officers who knew hi m and when taken he was engaged in posting bills for the "Honeymoon Trail" company.

DAKOTA COUNTY SHERIFF IS REMOVED BY GOVERNOR.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 10.—James McDevitt, sheriff of Dakota county is ordered by Governor Eberhart removed from office for neglect of duty in not stopping a steer-killing contest, which took place at Premo Park, West St. Paul, Sept. 18. The removal is effective at once, and the county board will have the election of a successor. McDevitt's term would have expired Jan. 1, as he was defeated for renomination at the primaries held two days after the famous contest.

The charges against McDevitt were made by officers of the humane society, who contended that the sheriff failed to do his duty in not stopping the contest, which was declared to be a brutal affair and not a proper exhibition to which to admit the public.

ALLEGED HORSE-POISONERS ARE GRANTED NEW TRIALS.

Minot, N. D., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Alleged horse poisoners, three in number, convicted in the district court of Ward county, will be given new trials because of errors made in the original trial. That is the effect of a decision handed down by the supreme court, Maxim Hakon, Zenko Hakon and Lodmere Rodak being the men implicated.

These three men were found guilty of maliciously poisoning horses, and among the errors cited by the supreme court is that of sustaining an objection made to the cross-questioning of a complaining witness on the subject of whether or not he had offered a bribe to a person to appear as a witness against a defendant in court. The court also holds that it is not permissible to prove another and independent offense against the defendants on the ground that it shows a motive for the commission of the crime charged, unless such proof fairly and reasonably tends to show such motive.

TWO MINNESOTA MEN ARE GIVEN PENSIONS.

Washington, Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—In the omnibus private pension bill passed by the house, George Campbell, a resident of Volstead's district, was placed on the pension roll at $36 per month.

John A. Reamer, a resident of Linbergh's district, gets on the roll at $12.

New Badger Bank Building.

Badger, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—The new Scandinavian State bank building, which has been under construction the past six months, is completed. The building is of concrete, 25 by 40, with full basement, and is practically fireproof. The interior is finished in stained oak and the ceiling is covered with oxidized steel. The fixtures, of stained oak, are of the latest and most improved pattern. The vault is absolutely fireproof and the safe is a manganese all-steel burglar-proof of the ball shaped kind.

WISCONSIN BRIEFS

Eau Claire—City Engineer Charles Moore has just finished making a big map of the city showing the complete sewer system of the city. He has started on another map showing the entire water works system of the city, the location and extent of the water mains, pumping station, etc.

Milwaukee—Miss Myra Dietz arrived in Milwaukee Thursday to remain for several weeks to aid in raising funds for the defense of her family. Miss Dietz has regained some of her strength following her shooting by deputy sheriffs while driving through the forest from the Dietz home.

Fond du Lac—Frank Kranzer, 14 years old, may die as the result of exposure, following the drinking of half a pint of whisky. Christ Schaefer, alleged to have sold the liquor to the youth, is in jail. The youth purchased the whisky when about to go on a skating trip, it is said, and becoming cold, drank the liquor.

Madison—The industrial insurance bill, in the form in which it will be handed to the governor, has been completed by the special legislative committee and will probably be delivered to the executive next week.

Appleton—Representatives of the Wisconsin Telephone company and connecting companies in the Green Bay district are holding a two days' district meeting here. The company is represented by Alonzo Burt, president; M. J. Carney, H. O. Seymour, J. F. Krizek, Leslie Kiliam, F. H. Lincoln, Jr., W. R. McGovern, O. B Koepke, W. W. Hiller and L. G. Barnes, all of Milwaukee.

Milwaukee—Mrs. Emma Herbst, wife of S. C. Herbst, president of the S. C. Herbst Importing company, died Thursday after a short illness. Mrs. Herbst was born in this city on Sept. 16, 1849. She was a member of many charitable and benevolent associations. She is survived by her husband and three daughters.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Northome—The Library association has elected as follows: President, Mrs. C. R. Ward; vice president, Mrs. H. J. Engelking; secretary, Mrs. C. W. Speelman; treasurer, Mrs. L. D. Beach; librarian, Mrs. J. B. Parken; board of managers, Mesdames O. A. Sarff, John Morgan, M. C. Paul and P. R. Scribner, Messrs. O. A. Sarff and P. R. Scribner.

North Branch—The Merchants' State bank has again assumed business at the bank building, the new tile floor and plate-glass front having been placed in position.

Brainerd—L. T. Noggle had his foot smashed at the shops on Tuesday and is now hobbling around on crutches. An engine truck ran over his left foot.

Moorhead—The will of the late Wulf C. Krabenhoft has been admitted to probate, and Mary Krabbenhoft has appointed executrix. A ptition has been filed with the court for the appointment of an administrator for the estate of the late Henry E. Peterson, and an order made for hearing on same.

Isanti—W. A. Smith, aged 76, an old and respected resident of Isanti county, died at Zimmerman Dec. 1, at the residence of his son Jay, with whom he and his wife have been making their home the past two months. He leaves, besides a wife, three sons and four daughters: George C. Smith, Cambridge; Jay A. Smith, Bertha Thompson and Eva Foley, Zimmerman; Emma Walker, Hattie Walker and Ray Smith of Spencer Brook.

Perham—Paul Wendt and Miss Martha Poser were married by Judge Gans Tuesday morning. The bridesmaids were Misses Anna Poser and Emma Wendt, while Robert Wendt and Herman Poser acted as groomsmen. A largely attended wedding reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Poser, during the afternoon and evening.

Stillwater—A warrant has been issued by a justice of the peace of Cottage Grove for the arrest of Edward Matthews and placed in the hands of the sheriff for service. It is alleged that there were stolen a gun, two razors and clothing worth $41. Joseph T. Tauer makes the complaint.

St. Cloud—Game Warden True Osgood recently captured Gus Carlson illegally netting fish in Browns lake, in the town of Eden Lake, and Carlson paid Judge Alden $10 and costs. The game warden destroyed five gill nets because they had too small meshes, and also because they did not bear the tag of the game commission.

Anoka—Fire broke out in the livery barn of George Merrill early Thursday, and in a short time the building was completely destroyed. The loss is between $5,000 and $6,000. The twenty-four horses in the building were removed to safety, but the vehicles and other stable equipment were burned. Mr. Merrill was considerably burned about the hands while leading out his horses.

PENINSULA BRIEFS

Calumet — The funerals of the late Miss Alida Babys and Matt Koski of Wolverine and Albion, respectively, were held Thursday afternoon, with joint services at the Finnish Apostolic church, Rev. Charles Ojala officiated in the absence of Rev. A. L. Heideman, who has left for Florida.

Houghton — George Millar camp, United Spanish War veterans has elected officers as follows: Commander, Capt. George Miller; senior vice commander, Lieut. Henry Hecker; junior vice commander, Lieut. W. J. Sanders; officer of the day, Ray Eggleston; chaplain, Carl Jensen; trustee, S. L. Lawton.

Laurum—The funeral of Charles, the 1-year-and-four-months old child of Mr. and Mrs. John Hill of Willow avenue, was held Thursday afternoon, with services at the residence and interment in Lake View cemetery.

Hancock—Dr. A. D. Ferguson has severed his connection with the medical staff of the Quincy mine, and will return to Furniss, Ont., for a visit to his former home.

Houghton—The Ladies Aid Society of the Hurontown M. E. church has elected these officers: President, Mrs. W. G. Prout; vice president, Mrs. William Champion; secretary, Mrs. E. Colenso; treasurer, Mrs. E. Bennett. A meeting was held Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. E. Colenso.

Calumet — Calumet Elks, under the direction of S. A. Grubbs have begun actual preparations for their minstrel performances which will be conducted at the Calumet theater next week.

Hancock—Ensign Hansen, in charge of the Houghton corps of the Salvation army, announces that perparations were going forward for the collection of our 100 baskets to the deserving poor of Portage lake on Christmas day.

Houghton—Frank A. Shuart of Lansing, special agent of the Michigan department of labor, visited Houghton Tuesday to confer with John A. Doelle, superintendent of schools, on the enforcement of the child labor law in the village.

Laurium—The village of Laurium, according to bills received from the Calumet & Hecla Mining company, will pay the smallest amount for water used during the month of November, just ended, that has been paid in any one month in several years. This bill, for water alone, both pond and lake, amounts to less than $1,000, the exact amounts being $960.36 for lake water and $37.15 for pond water.

Negaunee—Ethel Cox, aged 12 years, daughter of Michael Cox, a well known Negaunee man, died Thursday in the Negaunee hospital, where she had been confined since Tuesday. Appendicitis was the cause of her demise.

Ishpeming—The next attraction of the Presbyterian ladies' entertainment course is Rev. Andrew Gilles, who will be at the Ishpeming theater on Friday evening of next week.

Marquette—Appointive officers of Ahmed Temple, Nobles of the Ancient Order of the Mystic Shrine, are as follows: Ceremonial masters, H. A. Holden, Munising, and A. P. Johnson, Negaunee; director, Frank E. Stople, Marquette; marshal, Frank G. Jenks, Marquette; captain of the guard, Alex P. Meads, Marquette; outer guard, Percy J. Delf, Marquette; alchemist, Angus W. Kerr, Calumet; stewards, John A. Lewis and Louis G. Pendill, Marquette.

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DAKOTA BRIEFS

Aberdeen, S. D.—Charles A. Ward, the stranger who left Aberdeen after stinging several citizens with bad checks, passed under the colors of the general manager of a huge oil refining company of Milwaukee, was arrested Wednesday in Butte, Mont., by T. P. Enright, the special agent for the Milwaukee road, according to a telegram received at the Milwaukee offices here.

Fargo, N. D.—The new assistant superintendent of schools for Cass county will be W. H. Otterburn. The appointment was made recently by J. W. Reilly, who becomes county superintendent Jan. 1. At the present time Mr. Otterburn is assistant superintendent of schools for Stutsman county.

Bismarck, N. D.—The government has decided to put in a great deal more revetment work or rip-rapping along the banks of the Missouri river from the end of the old work near the Bismarck Indian school extending south. It is not definitely known how much rip-rapping will be laid, but the estimates vary from 3,000 to 4,000 feet.

Fargo, N. D.—The death of M. D. Ross, age 65, occurred Thursday at the county hospital. His end came rather unexpectedly and the demise was due to an attack of paralysis. He had been an inmate of the county infirmary since Dec. 9, 1908.

East Grand Forks, N. D.—The remains of the late Mary Ford, who passed away on Wednesday, were taken to Portage, Wis., and the funeral services will probably be held there on Saturday. The body was accompanied by Charles and Grace Dunigan, brother and sister of Mrs. Ford, and by her daughter, Catherine Ford.

Jamestown, N. D.—Children, grandchildren and great grand children of the deceased attended the funeral of Mrs. A. I. Warren of Spiritwood. The services were held at the residence and were attended by over 100 persons, several of whom were unable to get inside. Rev. C. H. Phillips officiated and interment was made at Spiritwood cemetery.

Bismarck, N. D.—St. Elmo lodge of the Knights of Pythias has elected these officers: C. C., E. M. Thompson; V. C., W. E. Sellens; Prel., B. J. Duncan; M. W., C. B. Winter; K. R. & S., L. K. Thompson; M. F. W. F. Harris; M. E., Gilbert Haugen; M. A., J. W. Bliss; I. G., Leonard Sather; O. G., Leroy Lewis; trustee for three years, B. E. Jones; Gd. Rep., C. L. Vigness.

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LATEST SPORTING NEWS OF THE DAY

DAVIDSON IS WINNER

Defeats Bryant in Spectacular Race at Lincoln Park Pavilion.

Champion Shows Wonderful Speed and Agility on the Rollers.

Last night at the Lincoln Park skating rink, Harley Davidson showed, before a large crowd, that he is one of the fastest, if not the fastest, man in the world on the rollers. In a mile race he won handily from Frank Bryant, and every inch of the way the veteran skated with the ease and beautiful stroke that stamps the champion. There is no mistake about this Davidson boy; he is the clear goods and bears the hall mark of world championship form.

At the crack of the gun Bryant got away in the lead. For sixteen laps he was ahead of Davidson, though it could be seen that the champion was not exerting himself, but was simply flying around the track with a long and beautiful machine-like stroke.

When the bell rang for the last two laps, Harley passed Bryant on the inside corner and skated home to a victory. The Duluth youngster claimed a foul on the ground that Davidson had touched him in going by. The protest of Bryant was not allowed by the officials. The sprint that took the world's champion by the flying Bryant was one of the most wonderful exhibitions of speed ever witnessed on a local track.

Before the race Davidson gave an exhibition of fancy skating that was superior to anything ever witnessed in this city. When Davidson circled the rink on one leg, the other twisted behind his foot forcing himself along by motions of his body, the audience gave him a great ovation. Every feat he performed last night was marked with the ease and finish of an artist.

Rolls, dances, revolutions, swinging stunts and some very difficult tricks were accomplished with an ease that made them look simple. Those who have seen every performer who has ever made this city, stated after the Davidson exhibition that the St. Paul man has it on them all.

Davidson caps his performance with a sensational jump over chairs placed in the center of the rink. He even makes this feat look easy by the ease with which he accomplishes it. Davidson is a master of the rollers, and it is very doubtful if this country has ever produced his equal.

The medals won by Davidson are on exhibition at Klein's window on Superior street. The world's championship medal, won by Davidson at the London Olympia, with which there was a purse of $2,000, is in the collection. Many of the champion's medals were destroyed in the San Francisco earthquake, as Harley was skating at the Mechanics' pavilion at the time of the destruction of the greater part of San Francisco.

Davidson and Bryant will race Sunday afternoon and evening. The style will be the Australian pursuit race, the contestants starting from the opposite sides of the rink. Davidson will also give two more exhibitions of his skill in the fancy skating line.

LEHTO MATCHED WITH ORDEMANN

Finn and Norwegian Will Wrestle for American Heavyweight Championship.

Arrangements were closed yesterday for a finish match in this city between Henry Ordemann, the big Minneapolis Norwegian and holder of the American wrestling championship, and Karl Lehto, holder of the Finnish title, which will be for the American championship.

For over a year negotiations have been carried on for a match between these two great mat stars. The Copper country has made several bids for the match, recent negotiations having been carried on to land the big contest for Calumet.

Ordemann is better known in this town than any of the big stars. He came to this city once to work, and for a while rowed on one of the crews of the Duluth Boat club. He is a Minneapolis boy, a former pupil of Frank Gotch, and recognized today as the greatest of the American school, with Champion Gotch out of the game.

If Lehto makes a good showing in his match with Hackenschmidt Tuesday evening, he will go into the Ordemann match with the confidence of his many countrymen behind him. The match will be staged next month.

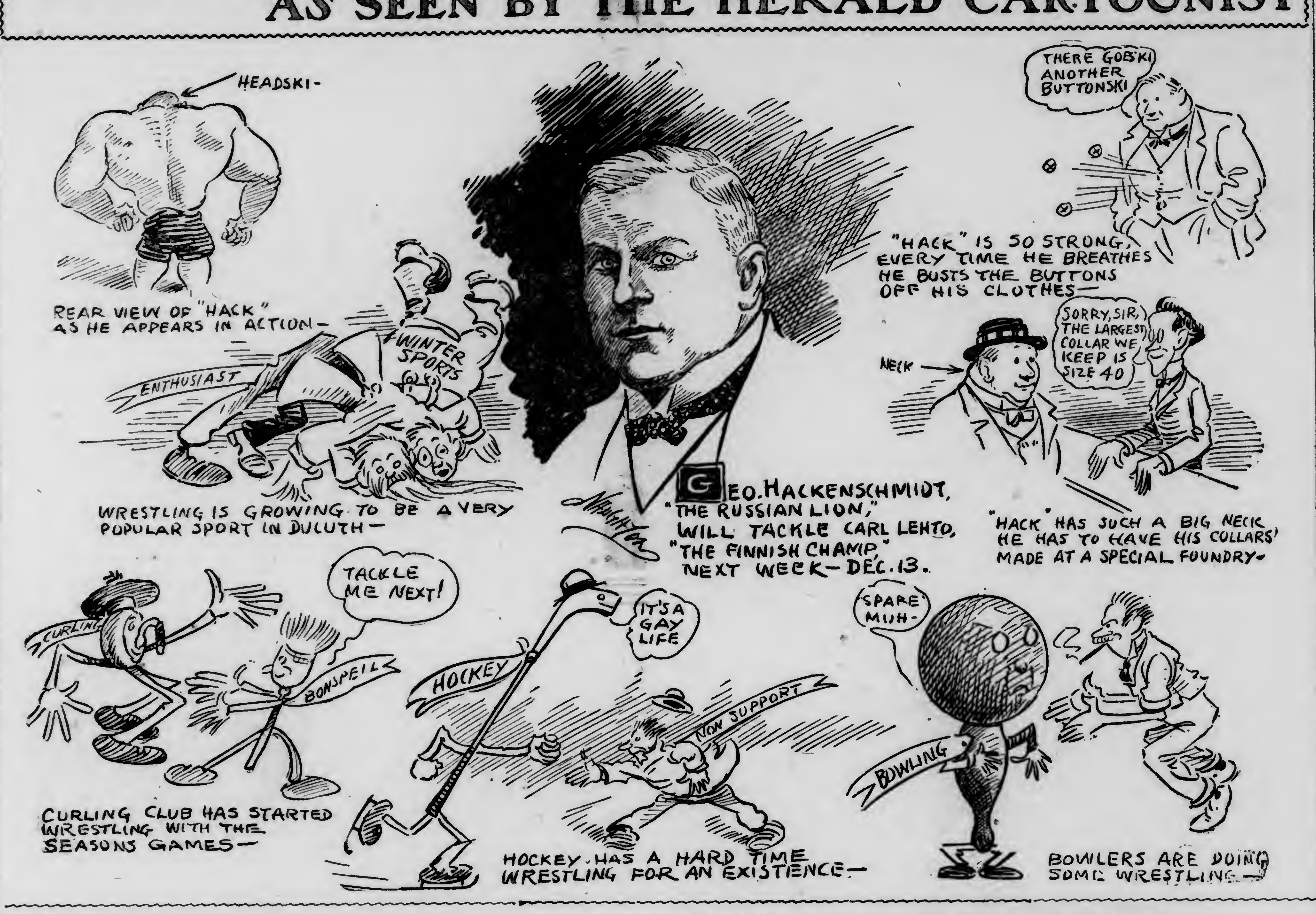
BOWLING SCORES

The Duluth Candy company's bowling team last evening on the Central alleys defeated Floan & Leveroos team. On the Grand alleys the Stanley Shoe company, a late arrival in the ranks of the Commercial league, took two out of three games from the Grand team. All of the games were well rolled.

The scores in detail:

Stanley Shoe Co.			
Foote	158	129	172
Anderson	188	83	148
Hanson	180	148	193
Streeter	185	163	168
Nobls	185	174	214
Totals	896	702	895
Grand.			
Ferguson	134	170	155
A. Lindgren	180	200	158
G. Olson	183	150	191
G. Massey	184	232	189
K. Compton	194	200	190
Totals	875	952	885
Duluth Candy Co.			
Michalek	190	170	190
Summers	149	170	162
Taylor	166	171	184
Placek	160	163	217
McKenna	210	135	156
Totals	875	809	909
Floan & Leveroos.			
Austin	175	169	169
Trout	148	178	141
Brown	147	183	169
Schultz	166	194	148
Elsmeach	142	169	188
Totals	778	893	815

SPORTING EVENTS OF THE PAST WEEK AS SEEN BY THE HERALD CARTOONIST


HEADSKI-
REAR VIEW OF "HACK" AS HE APPEARS IN ACTION-
WINTER SPORTS
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WRESTLING IS GROWING TO BE A VERY POPULAR SPORT IN DULUTH-
GEO. HACKENSCHMIDT, "THE RUSSIAN LION," WILL TACKLE CARL LEHTO, "THE FINNISH CHAMP," NEXT WEEK-DEC. 13.
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"HACK" IS SO STRONG, EVERY TIME HE BREATHES HE BUSTS THE BUTTONS OFF HIS CLOTHES-
SORRY, SIR, THE LARGEST COLLAR WE KEEP IS SIZE 40
NECK
"HACK" HAS SUCH A BIG NECK HE HAS TO HAVE HIS COLLARS MADE AT A SPECIAL FOUNDRY-
TACKLE ME NEXT!
CURLING
BONSPEIL
CURLING CLUB HAS STARTED WRESTLING WITH THE SEASONS GAMES-
IT'S A GAY LIFE
HOCKEY
NON SUPPORT
HOCKEY HAS A HARD TIME WRESTLING FOR AN EXISTIENCE-
SPARE MUH-
BOWLING
BOWLERS ARE DOING SOME WRESTLING-

GOSSIP PICKED UP ALONG THE SPORTING HIGHWAY

The Most Popular Football Player—Wise Move By High School Authorities—"Who's Looney Now?"—Tommy Burns and His $19 Debt—Old Stars as Umpires.

(BY BRUCE.)

WHO IS THE MOST POPULAR FOOTBALL PLAYER IN THE COUNTRY?

If you had asked that question last season, there would have been the unanimity chorus working overtime to get in the bright name of Ted Coy. The Yale captain and fullback was the most popular and widely known warrior of the age.

But, getting down to figures, you will find that Kilpatrick, the great Yale end, and also an athlete skillful in almost any old athletic game that is played, has been chosen on every one of thirty All-American or All-Eastern teams that have been selected the present season. Going further back, it will be found that last season this really remarkable player was chosen on twenty-nine mythical teams, only one of the critics failing to place the Yale star.

Judging from these figures, it would seem that Kilpatrick is the most popular in the gridiron world today. It was his playing that enabled the sons of Eli to triumph over the Princeton Tiger, and it was also largely due to his playing that the sons of John Harvard were unable to defeat the sturdy boys in blue.

Kilpatrick is a wonderful athlete; one of the greatest that Yale's system has turned out, and for years they have been moulding the greatest college athletes of the country. It is very difficult for any one to determine the most popular baseball or football player, and the best rule to follow is choosing the best.

When practically every critic of the East selects this player for his All-American or All-Eastern team, this is pretty certain evidence of the abilities of the athlete. Walter Camp has not announced his famous All-American team as yet, but there are very few who doubt but that the dean of American football will place Kilpatrick on his mind machine. This will be the cinch in the girth binding public opinion to the ability and popularity of Kilpatrick, among the critics of the country at least.

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High School Officials Are on Right Track.

FACULTY REPRESENTATIVES OF the Central high school, who have charge of the athletes of the school, announce that hereafter all students trying for any of the athletic teams, will have to secure a doctor's certificate showing good health and absence of organic weakness.

If this plan had been followed in high school and college athletics throughout the country for the past fifteen years or so, there would have been fewer deaths and serious accidents resulting from the game that at the present time is the subject of so much harsh criticism.

Not to compare prize fighting in the least with scholastic or collegiate sports, but merely citing this branch of athletics as an example of the need of thorough medical supervision, it might be stated that had promoters in the past secured this professional opinion of the fitness of two men to engage in a contest, there would have been fewer fatalities in the ring and naturally much less agitation against the sport from all sections of the country.

The Duluth Central high school officials have exercised a clear bit of judgment. Instead of frowning on the game—as have many less broad-minded men in charge of other schools, these officials have chosen rather to exercise sane and sensible methods of safeguarding the players. In this action there is a lesson for some of the collegiate authorities who have failed to use common sense, in an imitation of an effort to help the game.

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Jack Has Another Amusing Diversion.

WHO'S LOONEY NOW? THAT IS what Jack Johnson wants to know. Someone, a doctor of something, examined the funny shaped head of the champion and stated that he was dippy. That statement got the cranial angora of the big black. He ran for help.

Down in Chicago he had them put the X-ray machine on his dome of higher reason and psychic research. The medical man glued his intelligent orb on the white ray of light tube and gaped with expanding interest at the contents of the skull of the champ. After several long and scrutinizing looks at the brain area, he informed the champion that he was not crazy.

Since the experiment with the little interior investigator the big black is as tickled as a kid with a new toy. He wants to gaze at the palpitating brains of others, and gazes with growing satisfaction at the photograph of what the X-ray machine showed in his own case. When we find a man so easily satisfied as the holder of the heavyweight title, we are reminded of the days when men carved toys and trinkets out of stone and were vastly and highly amused at the results of their own efforts.

Johnson has the mind of a child, seeking simple pleasures. When one thinks of this strutting negro, with his flashing of $1,000 bills and his speeches before police magistrates, his attempt to break into the limelight upon every possible occasion, it is to laugh—not one of those simple laughs, but a loud guffaw of derision.

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Perhaps Tommy Burns Is Through Forever.

YESTERDAY CURLEY ULRICH read with interest that Tommy Burns was through with the ring for good and all. He looked somewhat reminiscent and pondered for a moment. Then he burst forth—"That guy owes me $19 and if I ever see him I am going to ask him for the money."

As Tommy Burns has something in the shape of $100,000 or so, it is mighty ungrateful of him not to pay attention to the debts contracted in the days when the sun shone with less radiance.

"I was rubbing at Harry Gilmore's Chicago bath house and fighting in some of the semi-windups down there, when the Burns boy broke into the game," continued Curley. "There were very few of us at that time who imagined for one shining moment that this rough chap from Detroit would ever be the world's heavyweight champion. He was tough and willing to fight and that is about all you could say for him in those days. Noah Brusso was his name at that time, and he was just one of the bunch, fighting for meal money and glad to go on in a curtain raiser.

"I gave him several rubs—in fact, $19 worth—and I have never seen a cent of the money. I would like to see him, just once more, in order to renew old times—and to buck in for that $19.

"Burns was a well developed, thick-chested youth, and even in those days was fond of the dollar. I think he won the world's championship easier than any other fighter, unless that fighter was Jack Johnson. His gameness in the fight with Johnson gave him a lot of standing with the fight fans, for though he was beaten by the negro his gameness showed that he possessed the fighter's heart, and that is what the people admire."

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Old Stars Can't Keep Away From the Game.

THE STORY OF THE APPLICATIONS of Fred Tenney, one of the greatest first basemen that ever hovered around the initial sack, Carl Lundgren, Kid Gleason, Heinie Peitz and Jack Doyle for the position of umpires, brings to mind the familiar story of the old star's inability to keep away from the glare of the game.

Sometimes we wonder why a prize fighter does not retire when everyone in the world knows he is all through and every time he starts he is due for a good licking. Sometimes we wonder why a business man does not quit the game of accumulating money after he has got his millions. The excitement of the game is in their blood; it is as meat and drink to them. The blare, the excitement, the call of the wild, if you will, gets them through the years of work, and then you wonder why they can't retire.

The old ball player will stick to the game until he reaches the lowest rung of the baseball ladder. Battling Nelson won't retire, though he is all through. The veteran wants to be there, even if he is merely ground keeper, and it is not strange that the old stars would like to come back in the game in the role of umpires.

EMERGENCY TEAM GAINS TWO LAPS

In Sensational Sprint Rutt and Clarke Catch Leading Bike Riders.

New York, Dec. 10.—In one of the most exciting series of sprints in the history of Madison Square Garden cycle racing Rutt and Clarke, the emergency team formed in mid-week, early today gained the two laps that separated them from the leaders in the six-day race and were then on even terms with the Root-Moran, Hehir-Gouilet and Fogler-Hill combinations.

The Rutt-Clarke team was three laps in the rear at midnight last night but got back one lap before 2 a. m. Then at 5:30 Rutt shot out from the bunch and in a jiffy had put an extra lap to the credit of his team.

Then, three minutes later, Rutt and Clarke, relieving each other frequently, by some of the hardest and best riding on record and amidst a tremendous demonstration, drew away from the bunch inch by inch until a full lap was to their credit and they were up with the three teams which had been heading the procession.

A gained lap was claimed by Hehir at one time but the judges would not allow it because of the jockeying methods adopted by some of the riders. On this score fines of $25 each were imposed on Clarke, Moran and Hill. Cameron and Moran were mixed up in a tumble in one of the early sprints, but neither was badly hurt. Drobach earlier had broken his collarbone and the Collins-Drobach team was withdrawn.

After 6 o'clock the pace was steadier and at 8 o'clock the relative positions of the riders were unchanged, the score standing:

Hehir-Goullet, Fogler-Hill, Root-Moran and Rutt-Clarke, 2,321 miles, 7 laps; Mitten-Thomas, 2,321 miles, 6 laps; West-Demara, 2,321 miles, 5 laps; Cameron-Halstead, 2,321 miles, 4 laps.

The record is 2,469 miles, 9 laps, made by Demara and Hill in 1908.

ATHLETES MAY NOT COMPETE WITHOUT CERTIFICATE.

At a meeting of the high school boys, who are interested in basket ball, Mr. Shilling announced that a doctor's certificate and permission from the parents were necessary for all participants in any sort of athletics at the high school hereafter.

About thirty boys here handed in their names as candidates for the school team, and Mr. Shilling told the candidates to report for active practice next Monday.

IS JOHNSON NEARING END OF FIGHTING DAYS?

Black Champion Has Given Signs of Loss of Wonderful Health.

Other Great Colored Fighters Have Gone Back Because of Fast Pace.

(By W. W. Naughton.)

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 10.—So Jack Johnson, conqueror of Jim Jeffries and proud possessor of the championship of the world, has developed a case of nerves.

Too bad, isn't it? But while we offer our sympathy to the temporarily rattled ring hero we are wondering whether it is simply a passing jar—a little protest from overtaxed nature—or the beginning of the end, so far as Johnson, the fighter, is concerned.

Collapses Are Sudden.

It will take a little time to tell. The lives of other one-time celebrities in Johnson's line remind us that men of brawn and boxing ability collapse very suddenly sometimes. I have known them to go to pieces like a circlet of beads when the string is broken. And in such cases all the king's horses and all the king's men could not put them back where they were before their "nerves" gave out.

This thing of going to the woods for rest and recuperation—or going to the mountains—sounds very well and has a reassuring ring to some people, but as the young lady remarked when she heard a friend rhapsodizing over a gin guzzler who had reformed, "the fellow who does not have to reform is a safer proposition."

Choice Morsel For Gossip.

Johnson's breakdown, whether passing, partial or complete, is a choice morsel for the gossips just now. It causes a number of questions to arise and the first of these is "What is the matter with Johnson, anyhow?" Is it, as he says, too much work unmixed with relaxation since his triumph at Reno, or has the "pace that kills" claimed another victim?

The pages of pugilistic history make evident that the negro champions cannot assimilate the rewards of victory with as little damage to their systems as do the white kings of the ring. It is only necessary to recall the cases of Peter Jackson and George Dixon to make this argument stick, to say nothing of poor Joe Gans, who probably succumbed to the wear and tear of many training spells rather than to the effect of riotous living.

Negro Fighters Short Lived.

But whatever the cause, many dusky skinned fighters, whose records are still in print, have passed away while the men they fought are still on deck and likely to reach a green old age.

There is a report that fondness of champagne is one of the contributing causes to Johnson's attack of "nerves." I do not know if that is so, but I do know that Jack considered an occasional sip of the vintage. At least such was his claim when explaining the presence of a pint bottle of the "imprisoned laughter" on a table by his side one night at his ocean beach quarters while he was preparing for Jeff. And as other bottles were noticed there on other nights, Jack could claim to be consistent if not sincere.

Now it seems reasonable to suppose that a fellow who considers the blood of the grape beneficial as a training beverage, would so pin his faith to it when battling with the discomforts of one night stands, to say nothing of the difficulty in avoiding the seductive stuff when being dined and supped and paraded as the hope of the black race.

Will He Retire?

Here is another question. If Johnson becomes dubious about the condition of his nerves, what will it mean? Will he abstain from fighting entirely and in addition to enjoying the distinction of being the first negro to gain the heavyweight championship go down in history as the first champion of any complexion who went out of the game undefeated?

There is something in Johnson's attitude toward Sam Langford which suggests that Jack is not what might be called a reckless matchmaker, and a suspicion exists that if he feels he has endured a physical setback he will stay out of the ring and let the championship go by default. If he follows such a course he will be one man in 1,000, however. The champion who isn't imbued with the belief that he has "one more fight" left in him hasn't appeared on earth so far. Sullivan, Corbett, Fitzsimmons, Jeffries—not a one of them was licked until after he had been slowed down by long service and impaired nerve force, and Johnson, if the forging of the chain of destruction is to go on, is expected to test his ability to "come back" along with the rest of them.

Who Will Get the Plum?

If Johnson decides to retire, who will he designate as his successor?

He can't designate anybody, says Mr. Stickler for prize ring ethics, but such things have been done. Jim Corbett willed the title to Peter Maher and old Bob Fitzsimmons, when the opportunity presented itself, knocked Maher down and took it away from him.

It caused complications, of course, for when Fitzsimmons and Corbett met subsequently at Carson different opinions were held as to which man was attacking the championship and which was defending it.

Therefore, I ask again, no matter whether Johnson has a right to toss his laurel wreath to another fighter or not, who will he be likely to name in such a connection?

Doesn't Like Langford.

He does not like Sam Langford well enough to deck him out with any unearned peacock feathers, and if race pride was strong enough in Johnson to impel him to leave the title to a man of his own color, he would probably be beset with the fears that Langford would treat the man of his choice the way Fitzsimmons treated Maher.

It may be for that matter that Johnson would prove selfish enough to wish to be remembered as the only negro that held the heavyweight championship and that he would resign in favor of some pale face brother. Who can tell?

COLLAPSE CAUSES LITTLE SURPRISE

New York, Dec. 10.—News from Chicago of the reported collapse of D. A. Fletcher's "third league" movement caused little surprise and seemingly less regret in baseball circles here today. It was understood that Fletcher had reached some kind of an understanding with the leaders in control of organized baseball.

Discussion in this connection now chiefly centers on the status of the star players who signed optional contracts with the outlaw organizations promoter. One of these men is Russell Ford, the premier twirler of the Highlanders. Ford is said to have had a chance to sign a $4,800 contract with Owner Frank Farrell for 1911 but instead put his name to the $5,000 Fletcher option. There is considerable interest now in the terms the young slabman will make with the American league.

DE ORO HAS COME BACK

Cuban's Defeat of Keogh Shows Complete Reversal of Form.

Several Years Ago Present Pool Champion Looked Down and Out.

"Do they ever come back?" Well, Millicent, that depends. For instance, there's old "Doc Cook; he's not back, but he threatens to come back and spend the holidays in Brooklyn, which is our idea of a bad way to come back.

And Millicent, there's Alfredo de Oro, the greatest pool player that ever caressed a cue. He came back in New York with a vengeance, rewinning the continuous pool championship of the world from Jerome Keogh of Buffalo, N. Y., after quite a prolonged absence from the baise cloth.

And in rewinning his pool laurels, De Oro shattered his own old high run record, making 81, without a break as against 79, which was his former world's record.

From the press dispatches, De Oro exceeded his old spectacular self. Against Keogh he ran five straight frames and a part of the sixth, which is going much in pool.

The last block of 200 points in the 600-point match, started with Keogh 30 points ahead of De Oro, the score being Keogh 411, De Oro 381. But De Oro ran up 219 to Keogh's 59, making a total for the three nights' play of 600 to 470.

The Cuban marvel played in wonderful form. From the ninth to the sixteenth inning he played alone, establishing his new world's record. He rounded out the necessary 219 points in twenty innings, which gave him the match.

The victory marked the eleventh time that De Oro has won the world's championship at pool. He is also the three-cushion champion of the world.

After winning from Keogh, Billy Clearwater of Pittsburg challenged De Oro for the title in January. The Cuban accepted and promised Clearwater the first chance at his title.

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De Oro has beaten Keogh several times beaten Tommy Hueston, Cowboy Weston, Frank Brumby, Frank Sherman, Billy Clearwater, Stofft of Cleveland, Johnny Kling, "Banker" Horgan, and every great pool player in the world.

The Cuban for years has been the greatest pool player in the world and it is very doubtful if the world ever saw his equal, or when he passes, will ever see another pool player with as much class as De Oro.

De Oro's life reads like a page from one of Dumas' books. Born in the purple and brought up on a silver spoon, the De Oro's, one of the old Loyalist families of Cuba, never expected Alfredo to turn pool player. They had it all planned out for young De Oro to become a sort of courtier or diplomat. The De Oro's stood well with the Royalists of Spain, and Alfredo was intended to do bright honors in the royal service.

De Oro's parents were among the wealthiest and most cultured of Cubans. They had great tobacco plantations in Manzanillo, Cuba.

Young Alfredo was bundled up and sent to a preparatory school in New York. It was later intended to send Alfredo to the university at Seville, but when De Oro had been in New York a few days he happened into a billiard parlor. He took up a cue, played a few frames and was so fascinated with the sport that he devoted his time to the game and gave up all idea of the other life his parents had intended for him. He had not been playing two years when he beat both Frey and Malone and became the title holder.

In the old days De Oro was a splendid type of the physical. He has always been a splendid type of the mental and moral. But while De Oro was yet in his prime serious illness necessitated several capital operations and it was thought that he could never play pool again.

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De Oro's abdomen was cut so often that when he tried to play pool again he found it necessary to bolster himself up with great padded cushions. From an athletic man of 200 pounds he fell away to a puny invalid of slightly more than 100 pounds.

When they held the famous "World's Fair" tourney in St. Louis in 1904, De Oro attended that tournament, forcing himself from a cot in a New York hospital to Frank Benson's billiard hall. He was so far gone in health that he had to take stimulants to participate in the tournament, but he managed to play and play in such brilliant form that he won that tournament, and there were such great players as Keogh, Eby, Clearwater, Sherman, Weston, Hueston and Brumby in it. The tournament ended in a three-cornered tie between Hueston, Keogh and De Oro. De Oro beat Hueston and Keogh in the play-off. It was in the final game of this tourney that De Oro established his former world's record of 79 against Keogh.

Probably De Oro played the greatest game of pool ever played in the world in his final effort in the St. Louis tournament against Keogh. The Cuban had 84 points to go to win the final game, while Keogh had to pocket only four balls to make himself the champion.

By the greatest stroke of pool genius ever shown on a pool table, De Oro managed to gather his 84 points, while Keogh could not pocket a ball.

De Oro has always seemed to have Keogh "buffaloed." Somehow or other, Keogh can beat other great players, but De Oro always holds him safe, ties his hands and makes him look like a novice in the stretch runs for honors.

So brilliant was De Oro's playing against Keogh in the St. Louis tournament that several of the current magazines sent special representatives to write articles about the Cuban.

There have been plenty of crack pool players in the world, but the equal of De Oro has never been known. He's always been in a class by himself.

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DULUTH WINS FROM CLEVELAND

Roy Deetz Scores Only Point of Game After Sensational Play.

Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—In the opening game of the series here last night, the Northern hockey team of Duluth defeated the Cleveland seven by the score of 1 to 0. The game was played in the Elysium, and was witnessed by an immense crowd.

The only score of the game came after five minutes of play in the second half. Getting the puck near the center of the rink, Deetz with good team assistance upon the part of Bartlett and Jones, took the rubber through the Cleveland defense and lifted it into the net. The play that resulted in the score was the feature of the game.

Until the very last minute the Cleveland players fought hard to stem the tide of defeat. Shot after shot was made, but clever blocking by Cummings and Deetz, and the great goal play of Fenton saved the day for the Northern visitors. The Duluth boys were elated over their victory, as they have only played a few games this season.

CURLING CLUB TEAM JOINS CITY LEAGUE.

Yesterday it was decided to enter the hockey team of the Duluth Curling club in the City Amateur league. The decision of the skating committee of the club means that there will be six rinks in the organization. The curling club seven, the Fairmonts, Big Duluths, Park Points, Adams and Kodaphas will make up the organization. The games of the Curling club team will be played on the club's rink. The entrance of the curling club team will strengthen the city league, will add more interest to hockey, and and in every way will assist materially in making the present season the most prosperous the game has ever known at the Head of the Lakes.

GAME IS DEAD, SAYS JOHN L.

Sullivan Says Crookedness and Johnson Supremacy Have Ruined Fighting.

Chicago, Dec. 9.—That old gladiator and landmark of the prize ring, John L. Sullivan, blew into Chicago yesterday from Kansas City and beginning next Monday will open a two weeks' theatrical engagement at West side theaters. Sullivan was accompanied by his bride of less than a year, who was a sweetheart of boyhood days. He talked freely of the fight situation while he sat in his room at the Congress hotel and pulled on a finely colored meerschaum pipe.

John L. is convinced that fighting is dead in this country, and said the only way it can be resurrected is to have some strong, young fellow of 22 or 23 years of age come along, wrest the title from Jack Johnson, and then fight on the square while he is in possession of the championship. Sullivan believes that crooked fighting has killed the game in America and that no fair minded person can blame the authorities for putting a stop to it.

Crooks Should Be Barred.

"In my mind, the persons who pull off three crooked deals in this country, no matter whether it be in fight, turf, baseball, or anything else, should be dealt with just as they are in France and England," said John L. "Over there, when the crooks are caught they are forbidden to mix any further in sports, and I think such a thing should exist in this country.

"Why, I can name over a hundred crooked fights in which the public has been fleeced, including the last big fight we had in this country. I mean the fiasco at Reno between Johnson and Jeffries. It was the biggest farce I ever saw or heard of in the history of the prize ring. Jeffries never wanted to fight the negro, and he was so scared when he crawled into the ring that a third or fourth rater woud have handed him the same dose as Johnson did. Jeffries was not knocked out, but he simply quit, and all the stories which have been printed to the effect that he was doped are erroneous. In my mind, Jeffries never was a game fighter, and I saw a number of his fights. Why, my wife saw the pictures of that fight, and she said it looked like a hugging match or the beginning of a waltz.

No Superior of Negro.

"We have no fighter known to the pugilistic world today who can beat Johnson, but time wil give us a man who will turn the trick. Since he beat Tommy Burns for the championship in Australia I am firmly convinced that Johnson is on the level, but I know he was not before. It was unfortunate for Jack that he was handled by persons who would tell him to let his opponents stay so long or he would not get anything. At that time things were not breaking the best for Johnson and he had to abide by their demands in order to live. This I know is true but I think Johnson will be on the level as long as he is independent."

"I was sorry to see Battling Nelson lose to Owen Moran for I believe the Battler was one of the gamest boys that ever stepped into the ring. He simply is an example of a fighter whose vitality had left him and he did not have the physical energy to carry out what the mind ordered. The heart was there, but the strength had flown. This period is sure to come to every man who takes part in any kind of sport and I am sorry Nelson did not quit the game when he lost his title to Wolgast.

Hopes to Meet Johnson.

"I am going to try to meet Johnson before I leave town and have a little talk with him for he certainly treated me with more respect than any member of the Jeffries camp when they were training at Reno."

HALLOCK BOYS HAVE FORMED HOCKEY TEAM.

Hallock, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Local boys have organized a hockey team and the first clash will come next week when they play Warren. Chester Gunnarson, one of the players from the star team of two years ago, has been chosen captain, and C. I. Moore, manager. The following is the present lineup: Richard Rustad, right wing; Chester Fowler, left wing; Chester Gunnarson, center; Oscar Anderson, rover; Henry Lindegard, cover point; Alfred Pearson, point; Helge Olson, goal.

A league between the neighboring teams at Lancaster, St. Vincent, Emerson, Pembina and Warren has been talked of and the matter will be decided next week.

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HOPPE READY TO MEET SUTTON

Champion Says He Will Defend His Title at Any Time.

New York, Dec. 10.—Willie Hoppe is on record today as ready to meet George Sutton of Chicago at any time for the billiard championship Hoppe holds. His announcement was drawn forth by reports that Sutton intended challenging for a match.

"I am willing to defend my claim to the championship titles at 18.1 or 18.2 balk-line billiards at any time," said Hoppe. "Sutton or anyone else can have a game and just as soon as Mr. Sutton sends us notice of challenge and posts his money as required, a game or games will be arranged."

JOHN HUNTER IS PRESIDENT

Fulton, N. Y., Man Is Elected Head of Trap Shooting Association.

Jersey City, N. J., Dec. 10.—At the annual meeting of the interstate association for the promotion of trap shooting held here yesterday the following officers were elected:

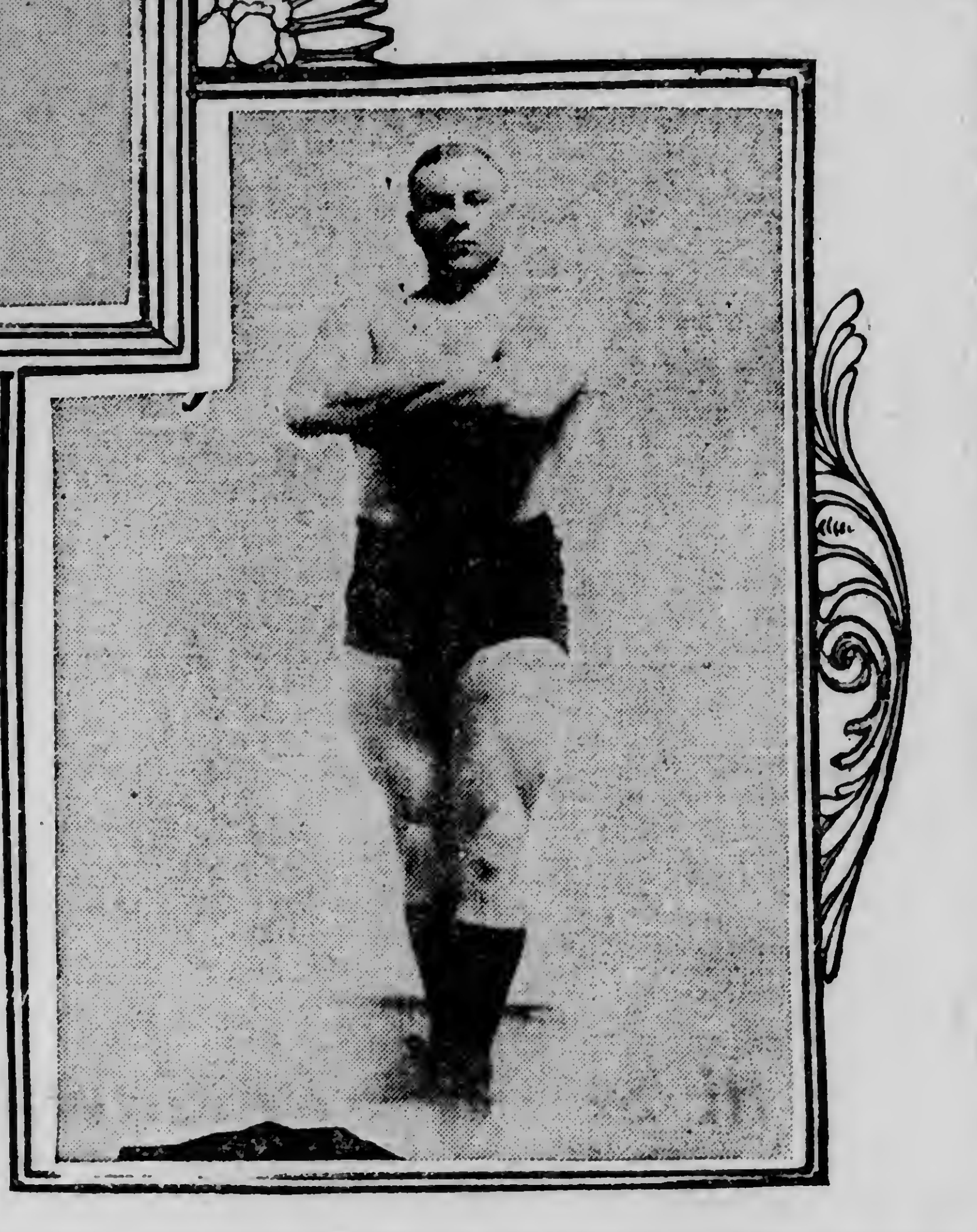
President, John Hunter, Fulton, N. Y.; vice president, Harry Ball, Boston; secretary-treasurer and tournament manager, Amore Shaner, Pittsburg.

Plans were formulated for the organization of state associations and the general encouragement of trap shooting throughout the coming season. Twenty-five thousand dollars in cash and trophies will be distributed and the Squires system of handicapping will be adopted.

The Eastern handicap will be held at Wilmington, Del., and the Western handicap at Omaha, Neb.; the southern handicap at Charlotte, N. C.

The places for holding the grand American and Pacific coast handicaps, and the post series tournament, will be decided on later by the tournament committee.

KARL LEHTO, THE FINNISH CHAMPION, AND TWO VIEWS OF GEORGE HACKENSCHMIDT, "THE RUSSIAN LION"



Tuesday evening George Hackenschmidt, the famus Russian Lion, who has defeated every wrestler of any fame in civilized Europe, will make his first appearance in this part of the country.

The big Russian, hailed as the strongest man in the world, will wrestle to a finish, Karl Lehto, the young Finnish giant who has gained so great a reputation in so short a space of time.

While even the most sanguine of the many Finnish friends of the young wrestler can hardly hold the hope of victory, it is believed here that Lehto will make a great showing against the man who has been making one grand triumph of his tour of the country.

As a physical man, there is no athlete in the world today who possesses the really marvelous development of the Russian Lion. His measurements have been the wonder of students of physical proportions, and yet with his immense development of limb and body, the Russian wrestler is said to be unlike the other giants produced by the wrestling game of Europe, in that he is surprisingly quick and active on his feet.

In Europe the name of Hackenschmidt has long been one that spelled absolute supermacy in the wrestling field. The students of the game on the other side have for some years believed the Russian simply invincible. Then came the sensational Chicago victory of Frank A. Gotch; a victory that surprised even the most loyal friends of the able Iowan. Since that time the American students of the grappling game have realized what a great master of the mat game America has in the person of the farmer from Humboldt, Iowa.

In meeting the European strong man, Lehto will be going up against the biggest game of his career. He has wrestled Zbyszko, one of the greatest wrestlers in the world today, even though he was defeated by Frank A. Gotch, but the Russian athlete is believed by the majority of close followers of the game to outclass the Pole.

In his physical makeup Hackenschmidt seems to have no weak parts. His mighty thews and sinews are awe-inspiring to the average man. He seems to represent that link of the past, when history tells us that man were mighty giants, performing miraculous feats of physical strength and endurance.

His proportions are greater than those of Gotch, and while not weighing as much as the giant Zbyszko, he is of finer athletic mould. He is one of the greatest modern examples of physical development, and we are told that much of his development has resulted from sysmtematic and intelligent exercise of every muscle of his body.

In addition to his wonderful skill and strength on the mat, Hackenschmidt is one of the greatest, if not the greatest weight lifter in the world. He holds several world's weight lifting records, and only recently offered to break any record that a committee should select.

That he has been able to develop such tremendous strength and at the same time possess athletic skill and speed—a combination strange indeed,—has been the wonder of students of physical development and athletics.

Since the retirement of Sandow this man has come to be looked upon as the most perfect man that this age has produced.

Hackenschmidt's victory over Jess Westergaard, the big Des Moines grappler, removes one more from the list of high class men the Russian is meeting with the hope of a match with Gotch, should the Iowan come out of retirement, which he says he won't. Ordemann and Cutler are about the only men who oppose the progress of Hackenschmidt, unless the promoters decide to take Mahmout back in their graces again.

Mahmout is one of the greatest wrestlers in the world. But he played crooked, and in line with the policy to purge the game of all wrestlers who engage in questionable practices, the Bulgarian has been barred for the time being. Therefore it would seem that "Hack" is one step nearer the throne of his ambition—a desire to wrestle Gotch.

By his remarkable string of sensational victories, that have extended from New York city to the heart of the West, Hackenschmidt is showing that he is a human horse for work. He has been showing the greatest form of his wonderful career on the mat; a career that has taken him to every large city in the civilized world, that enabled him to wrestle in private before the czar of Russia and has made him today the most talked of athlete and most marveled at wrestling champion in the world.

Negotiations are on at the present time for a meeting between Hackenschmidt and Henry Ordemann. This match will probably be held in Chicago or Minneapolis. If the big Russian throws the Minneapolis Norsk, who is placed at the head of the American school, he will have a clear title to the world's championship, barring the retired farmer.

When you come to think of it, Hackenschmidt is the only famous wrestler of the foreign stars whom Gotch has not flattened on the mat. The belief that he can defeat Hackenschmidt and show the wondering wrestling world that he is the absolute master of the strong man of Europe, would be the only consideration that could possibly induce Gotch to leave the fertile Iowa acres.

It is Hackenschmidt and Gotch, and Duluth will see in this wonderful man perhaps the highest development ever seen in wrestler, boxer, weight lifter or all-around strong man. He represents the highest type of physical development, a wonderful example of persistent and systematic exercise.

IN THE MOTOR WORLD

MANY ELECTRICS ARE BEING SOLD

This Class Has Featured Local Auto Market During the Week.

One surprising feature of the week in auto circles has been the large number of electrics sold. This shows that people are getting over the speed bug and are now looking for a quiet, easy-running, conveyance for use on the streets, to the theater, on shopping tours and the like.

Those who have not owned automobiles up to this time will not, of course, have anything but a gasoline car. They figure that any man with real blood in his veins wants a car that will get there and back again, quickly.

Those who have owned automobiles are the ones who are now buying the classy looking electrics. Some of them resemble the gasoline runabout, in fact, many of them are made to resemble the gasoline car purposely. Then there is the surrey and the enclosed, cab-like, aristocratic looking conveyance. All styles are popular.

Some gasoline cars are being sold too. They are mostly in the class that sells from $1,000 to $1,700. Duluth dealers report that prospects are good for 1911, much better, they say, than on the eve of the 1910 season.

Several new cars have lately been seen on the streets. New agencies are being established. Among the more noticeable of the new cars are the Locomobile and the Regal.

AUTO PRICES WILL BE LOWER

Manufacturers State That Profits Have Been Shaded to Minimum.

During the past two or three years many predictions have been made by persons both inside and outside of the trade to the effect that there will be a tremendous slump in automobile prices soon and this idea has become generally prevalent.

The December number of The Cycle and Automobile Trade Journal, an automobile publication, furnishes abundant evidence of the unlikeliness of a general reduction in automobile prices. This magazine devotes, in its current issue, considerable space to editorials and letters written by the leading men of the automobile industry upon the generally predicted fall in prices. These men present striking unanimity of opinion that prices are not going to be lowered. And more than an expression of opinion, good, clear, cogent reasons are given, facts of much interest to those who have given the subject even a passing thought. James Artman sums up the situation as follows:

"As with any industry, the first prices were high, and as methods and machinery became perfected the cost lowered. This attracted a lot of 'get rich quick' operators, who have found that it isn't as easy as they thought. The failure of some of these promoters has dumped some cars on the market at a low figure, as has been the policy of some short-sighted manufacturers in not taking into account the inevitable over-production of automobiles caused by the phenomenal growth of the business, and reducing their own output to avoid over-stocking. The necessity for moving this over-stock has placed many cars upon the market at low prices.

"Today the automobile manufacturer is giving far better value than could be obtained three years ago for the same price. That is, practically a reduction in price, is the only reduction the automobile trade will see, seems the inevitable conclusion."

BIG YEAR FOR CYCLE RACERS

Motor Racing in 1911 Promises to Be Very Popular.

Bigger and better things are promised for the motorcycle racing game next season. This promise is held out to followers of the sport in the constantly swelling ranks of professional motorcycle racers. Professionals are bobbing up in every state—amateurs and trade riders who have been tempted by the cash prizes hung up at various race meets.

With the increasing number of professional riders will come larger prizes, the ranks of the professionals growing in proportion to the prizes offered. Now that the ball has been started, it is expected to do some tall rolling before the end of next season, and that the summer of 1911 will find a great body of active professionals in competition for prizes that are really worth while.

This increase in professionalism is viewed with favor by officers of the Federation of American Motorcyclists. President Fred I. Willis of Indianapolis, having no hesitancy in giving the professional his aproval.

"It will not be long in my opinion," said President Willis, "before there will be a great number of professional riders in the F. A. M. ranks."

DAVID HUNT, JR., WILL BE MISSED

Was Well Versed in Every Branch of the Automobile Industry.

The tragic death in a hunting accident of David Hunt, Jr., manufacturing manager of the E. M. F. company of Detroit, removes from the automobile industry a man intimately versed in machine tools and their use in a plan of production.

Mr. Hunt, before his connection with the E. M. F. company and the automobile industry, was known to fame as a Harvard athlete of 'varsity attainments in football and baseball.

SHAW'S ESTATE FOUND TO BE $23,000,000.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 10.—That Quincy A. Shaw of Boston, late president of the Calumet & Hecla Mining company, left an estate of $23,000,000 instead of one of but $7,541,133, as indicated, in the inventory filed with the probate court after his death, disclosed by a bill in equity filed by the trustees of the estate in the supreme court. The bill asks the court to decide whether Boston is entitled to the entire tax on the property, or whether it should be divided among nearby cities and towns.

WOMEN SERVE ON JURY IN SAN FRANCISCO COURT.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 10.—A jury of twelve women sat in a superior court yesterday, when Judge Graham summoned that number of fair spectators to pass on a modification of a decree of divorce whereby Mrs. Mary A. Black acquired the custody of her minor son from Owen A. Black.

There were fourteen women present and the two that failed to get in the jury box expressed much disappointment. Not being accustomed to jury service, the women failed to await instructions of the court and agreed on a verdict without leaving the box. The court order was entered in accordance with this verdict.

Central Business college, 30 East Superior street.

MINNESOTA UNIVERSITY

Dean Woods Wants $1,000,000 for the Agricultural Experiment Stations.

Forty-Five Students on Probation and Ten Dropped From Rolls.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Dean Albert F. Woods of the agricultural department will ask the board of regents for an appropriation of $1,000,000 for the experimental stations at Crookston, Grand Rapids and Morris, and the fruit-breeding farm at Excelsior. He will also ask for two new dormitories, one for the men, the other for the girls. A new engineering building that will provide offices and laboratories as well as additional class room space, to be connected with the promised engineering shop is included in the proposal. To assure a unified plan the request provides for the services of an architect to design a great university farm as Cass Gilbert did the greater campus.

Rifle Team Practicing.

The Minnesota rifle team, which is to be entered in the intercollegiate league by Capt. Butts, is being coached by Charles Rydell, a sophomore medic. More than twenty men have been practicing every day with the guns. Rydell, who seems to be the best shot has prepared the guns and shows the men the proper positions and methods of loading and firing. He says it will take about four weeks of shooting to pick the best men.

Students on Probation.

Forty-five students have been put on probation until Christmas and ten have been dropped from the class rolls by the student work committee. Over half of these are sophomores and upper classmen, while the freshmen are showing a better average than usual this year. There are more men than women on the list and the apparent reason for failure in most cases is general carelessness.

Evangelistic Bands.

At the request of the state committee of the Y. M. C. A., the University Y. M. C. A. is making arrangements for the appointment of two evangelistic bands for work during the holidays. This plan has been followed in former years with great success. The intention is to have one band go to Buffalo, Minn., and the other to Lyon county in the lower part of the state. Several men have already volunteered their services.

The Campus Extension.

After more than five years of dreaming and planning on the part of University authorities, alumni and friends of the university, the extension of the campus promises to be a tangible reality in the very near future. The last payment for lot purchases was made last week and a complete report of all transactions relating to the matter has been submitted to the board of regents, showing that $876,087.20 has already been expended on the project.

The Summer School.

A recommendation for more advanced courses to be given during the summer season of the university has been made by Dean G. F. James of the college of education and head of the summer school courses in the colleges of medicine, engineering and agriculture are mentioned as offering subjects of value and interest to teachers of the state and as there is a demand from experienced teachers for advanced work in their chosen lines, Dean James urges that an opportunity be given them to take the work by extending the courses of the summer school. Separate courses are to be maintained at the agricultural college for those engaged in rural school training and for those candidates for teaching without experience, in order to avoid congestion on the main campus.

Course in Nursing.

With the completion of the new Elliott Memorial hospital in February, the course of training young women for nursing will be greatly augmented at the university. The department will be in charge of Miss Louise M. Powell, formerly superintendent of nurses at Columbia university. The course will take three years, the first four months being probatory. Only high school graduates over 20 years of age will be admitted to this course. They must first undergo a physical examination to determine their physical fitness for the work. Those passing the examinations will, in this new and fully equipped hospital have facilities for learning the most modern methods of nursing.

Girls' New Dormitory.

The girls' new dormitory at the agricultural school was completed last week and fifty girls have moved into the new hall. Besides the students' rooms the building contains a suite of three rooms for the matron and a hospital ward equipped with all modern appliances situated that it could be quarantined if necessary.

University Book Store.

Plans for a university book store to be operated by and for the students have been dropped for the present. The students who have been working on the plans, after detailed investigation, have found out that such stores in existence at many large universities are successful. There is no doubt but such a store would be a great success here, as the student body is very much in favor of the plan. But there would be very little compensation for those who gave their time and labor to the enterprise and consequently the idea has been dropped.

Smoking Among Students.

Investigations recently made by Dr. Cooke show that smoking among the students of universities is increasing. He says, "Statistics from Clark college show that 46 per cent of the students smoked and 26 per cent of the smokers wore athletics insignia, to 16 per cent of the non-smokers. But 18 per cent of the smokers won scholarship honors while 68 per cent of the non-smokers gained distinction in that field. Of 111 smokers 42 per cent belonged to fraternities, while of 108 non-smokers, but 15 per cent were members of Greek letter societies.

Conference Track Meet.

Minnesota is practically certain of landing the 1911 conference track meet for Northrop field. Members of the Chicago board said that the "Big Eight" colleges would in all probability accept the Gopher invitation for next spring and carry the big carnival to Minnesota.

Men's Fencing Class.

The forming of the men's fencing class early this fall has resulted in a live agitation among the girls for a similar class. A club of ten girls has already been formed for the purpose of encouraging fencing among their sex. The class will be instructed one hour a week by M. La Rue, who has charge of the men's class.

George G. Ainslee, '08, has resigned his position as assistant professor of entomology at Clemenson college, S. C., and has returned to government work with the United States bureau of entomology.

"The suggestion that a male chorus be organized at Minnesota is a good one, provided it could be worked out," said Frank Goodman, president of the Glee club. "In theory the proposition sounds good, but I doubt if it could be made a success in the light of conditions existing on the campus today. Organizations are too numerous already and whether enough men musically inclined could be interested in such a project is questionable."

FROM THE MINES AND THE SMELTERS

BUILDS BINS FOR MIAMI ORE

Greene-Cananea Has Installed Extra Equipment to Handle Concentrates Expected to Arrive After New Year—Moctezuma Tonnage Smaller.

Cananea, Mex., Dec. 10.—Ore bins of 500 tons capacity are being built by the Cananea Consolidated Copper company, Greene-Cananea, to receive Miami concentrates. Deliveries under the contract recently made with the Miami Copper company for the smelting of concentrates at Cananea are expected to start about Jan. 1.

A favorable contract for fuel oil has been made with a California concern, and hereafter Cananea Consolidated will use the California instead of the Texas product. The company has a concession from the Mexican government for the free importation of fuel oil. The present consumption is about 800 barrels daily, and with the completion of the new reverberatory and the additions to the power plant, this will be materially increased.

Nacozari, Mex., Dec. 10.—It is estimated that the total of ore handled this year at the big concentrator of the Moctezuma Copper company (Phelps-Dodge) will not exceed 450,000 tons, or about 60,000 tons less than in 1909. Due to scarcity of water at the end of the long dry season this year, the concentrator was operated at half capacity for some time. So far this year the Pilares ore has averaged a little better than 3 per cent copper.

Two aerial tramways to carry the tailings to new storage grounds will be in operation before the end of the year. Up to this time the tailings have been dumped in the bed of the Nacozari river, just below the concentrator. The tailings average about ½ per cent copper.

Mexico City, Mex., Dec. 10.—The American Smelters Securities company is adding a 500-ton furnace to the smelting plant at Matehuala, state of San Luis Potosi, purchased early this year from the National Metallurgical company of Denver. The purchase also included a number of mines in the Matehuala district, hydro-electric plants and a valuable water system. The new furnace will give the Guggenheim concern a smelting capacity at Matehuala of 800 tons daily.

The Dolores copper mines, one of the important properties in the Matehuala district, has been owned by the Guggenheim interests for a number of years. Prior to the purchase of the Matehuala plant, the high-grade ore was shipped to the Guggenheim smelter at Aguascalientes, and the low grade shipped to Matehuala. A great part of the supplies for the new smelter will be drawn from the Dolores.

ORE RESERVES ARE IMMENSE

Properties in Butte, Which Were Supposed to Be Worked Out, Now Have Larger Bodies of Pay Rock Than Ever.

Helena, Mont., Dec. 10.—The mineral production of Montana for the year ending Nov. 30 is estimated at $55,000,000, according to the annual report of State Mine Inspector William Walsh, submitted to Acting Governor W. R. Allen. The chief metal mined was copper. In the mining industry in Montana during the year, 14,500 men were engaged and the total number of fatal accidents was fifty-one, giving a ratio of fatal accidents per 1,000 men of 3.6.

Embodied in the report is the review of the Butte district by Deputy Inspector W. B. Orem. Mr. Orem says that despite the depression which has prevailed, the Butte mines have produced their usual output of former years. Development work was suspended by most of the new companies. The few exceptions have become producers during the year, thereby enlarging the district and encouraging other development companies operating in the same locality. The general condition in the district seems to be improving, and it is thought by him that many of the companies will resume in the near future. Many of them, he says, have reached the stage of development which, with an additional depth of 100 or 200 feet of shaft sinking, and the necessary drifting and cross-cutting, will probably put them in the producing class. Continuing, the deputy says that the year just closed has witnessed some wonderful developments in the large properties at the lower levels, showing a continuation of ore bodies, and the values still maintained. Consequently there is no question as to the future of the camp.

Mines which were supposed to be worked out have larger ore reserves than ever. Mines that were prospected until last year, but now numbered among the producers are the Black Rock, Davis-Daly, Tuolumne and Badger. With some of the new producers comes a new character of ore, containing most of its values in zinc. Large zinc deposits are being developed in the northern part of this district, and also in the southern. Some of the ore carries lead and iron, which is necessary for furnace treatment. W. A. Clark has installed a plant for the treatment of zinc ores in the Elm Orlu, giving good results. The general method of mining in the district is up to standard. He predicts a decided change soon for the better, respecting mine ventilation. He favors a shaft separate from the hoisting shaft as the best means of ventilation, and that every property should have its own air shaft.

COLORADO TUNNEL RESULTS

Newhouse Bore Offers Vast Wealth at Depth—With the Roosevelt Drainage Tube It May Open Up $500,000,000 in Gold.

Colorado Springs, Colo., Dec. 10.—The completion of the Newhouse tunnel has inaugurated a new era in Gilpin county mining fields. The length of the tunnel is 21,968 feet. It starts below Idaho Springs, crosses the mines of Russel Gulch, Quartz Hill and the Nevadaville section, cutting the veins at 1,500 to 1,800 feet below the surface, and is now draining those sections. The terminal of the tunnel is the property of the Tunnel Mining company within the limits of Central City. For months the tunnel force has been drifting on the main vein of this company toward the deep shaft, where connections will be made and the properties drained. Operation of the mines will then be carried on. The $125,000,000 of mineral production credited to that region in the last fifty years can be duplicated within the next twenty years because of the tunnel.

The combined wealth of mineral opened by the Roosevelt tunnel at Cripple Creek and the Newhouse tunnel is estimated by experts at approximately $500,000,000. It is probable that this much ore can be extracted from mines now flooded but being unwatered by the two tunnels, within the next twenty-five years.

Seattle parties have leased for three years the cyanide mill of the Isabella Mines company, Cripple Creek, and will treat dump and low grade mine ores. The Lee and other shafts are yielding seventy cars of $20 ore per month.

The Jack Pot properties, Cripple Creek, are being worked by eleven sets of lessees, nearly all of whom are shipping ore averaging $17.50 a ton. During the quarter ended Nov. 12, the production was 1,947 tons, netting the company $4,988.06 in royalties. The company is prospecting ground at the

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STRIKE IN THE GOLDSMITH

Rich Showing at Walkerville, Mont., Property—Favorable Reports on Operations of Corbin-Metals Company Keating's Earnings Are Increasing.

Helena, Mont., Dec. 10.—One of the most important strikes in Silver Bow outside Butte in recent years has been made in the Goldsmith, a Walkerville property, adjoining the old Moulton. The highest grade of ore runs from 500 to 600 ounces of silver and about $150 in gold, with significant traces of copper. The second-class runs from 250 to 300 ounces of silver and $50 to $60 in gold, and the lower grade from fifty to sixty ounces of silver and about $6 in gold to the ton. The vein is approximately five feet wide and the ore extends almost entirely across its face. The depth at which ore is now being mined is 100 feet, although the vein was first encountered at sixty feet. The Goldsmith is by no means a new property; it is estimated that it has yielded $1,500,000 since 1885, when first located. The discovery of the new body in a supposedly worked-out property has created a new feeling respecting the district made famous by the Alice, Moulton and other properties. The mine is owned by C. W. Ellingwood of Butte.

Favorable reports are received here concerning the operations of the Corbin Metals company in the Corbin district. The company has entered into a contract with the Missouri River Power company of this city for power for five years. The ore body has been drifted on for 250 feet, insuring a practically unlimited supply of metal for the concentrator which is to be erected in the spring. The ore body is forty feet wide in places and a general assay shows $14 to the ton, as follows: Copper, 2 per cent; lead, 10 per cent, and silver, 6 ounces.

Articles of incorporation of the Davis Copper Company of Missoula have been filed by L. M. Davis, T. E. Booth and F. Davis; authorized capital, $100,000; properties are in Sanders county.

A body of exceptionally rich gold ore has been found on the Nevada creek side of Ogden mountain in the northern part of this county in a property being developed by Dr. J. S. Marshall of Durand, Mich. Another mining concern, composed of Helena and Helmsville residents, has let the contract for a ten-stamp mill to crush ore taken from an adjoining property on the same mountain. The mountain is said to have a number of well-defined gold leads. Marshall's company is to start its mill immediately. Other claim owners have resumed

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TO DEEPEN TUOLUMNE SHAFT

Work of Sinking to 2,000 Feet Will Begin at Once—New Steel Gallows, Frame and Hoist Ordered—North Butte Development Work Continues to Be Gratifying.

Butte, Mont., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—The official announcement of the settlement of the dispute as to ground between the North Butte and Tuolumne Mining companies has been made, and it turns out to be, as predicted in these columns, the Tuolumne has been conceded a certain portion of the disputed ground, and an agreement has been signed by the representatives of both companies dismissing all actions pending or about to be brought. The result of the settlement is very satisfactory to all persons interested, and now places the Tuolumne company in a position where it can go ahead and develop its property on an extensive scale. After the agreement was made known in court and had been approved by the court, a meeting of the directors of the Tuolumne company was held and improvements involving many thousands of dollars ordered. It was decided to place an order immediately for a new steel gallows frame and hoist, new steel ore bins with a capacity of storing 1,500 tons of ore, and other equipment looking to the increasing of the output of the mine. The hoist to be installed will be a first motion and will have a capacity of sinking to 3,500 feet. The shaft, which is at present down 1,400 feet, will be lowered to 2,000 feet, and this work of sinking will be commenced at once. In addition to the improvements mentioned, work will be commenced at once on constructing a spur from the mine to the railway connection, thus doing away with the expense of paying 50 cents a ton for haulage from the mine to the railway and making a saving which will more than pay for the building of the spur in a very short time. It is estimated that it will take five months for the building of the new steel gallows frame and hoist, and in the meantime the company will go right along averaging about 6,000 tons of ore a month. Everything will be so arranged that the new equipment will be installed with only a few days' delay, and after everything is in working order it is expected the Tuolumne will increase its shipments to somewhere in the vicinity of 1,000 tons a month. President Hickey is very much elated over the settlement. "Everything is now settled," said the president, "and as we are free from all litigation of every kind we can go ahead and develop one of the very best mines in the whole West. I have no fear of the future." There has been some talk of the Tuolumne company declaring a dividend, but the question will not be considered until the annual meeting in June.

North Butte.

Reports of the development work in the North Butte mine continue to be of a most gratifying character. The company is shipping about 1,200 tons of ore per day and expending in the vicinity of $25,000 a month out of its earnings on new work. The company has adopted the means of paying for its development work by putting back into its treasury for that purpose 70 cents from every ton of ore shipped. A new strike was recently made on the 2,400-foot level and from all reports it is a very valuable one. On the 1,800 and 2,000-foot levels of the Croesus claim the ore runs about 25 per cent silver and 8 per cent copper to the ton. Some months ago, it will be remembered, it was reported that a rich body of ore had been struck through diamond drilling from the Diamond shaft of the Anaconda company, but this was positively denied at the time. Now comes a very positive statement that such is really a fact and that all reports in circulation at the time as to the value of the ore body encountered, are fully substantiated. The ore reserves are steadily increasing and when the time comes the North Butte can easily double its output.

Butte Central.

The sinking of the shaft of the Ophir mine of the Butte Central Copper company is proceeding along at a rapid rate and the development work proceeding on the upper levels of the property is giving such satisfaction that Supt. McConnell is very enthusiastic as to the future. He believes that it is only a question of a short time before the directors will see the necessity for the erection of a mill to treat the silver ore. The Boston officers of the company are being kept informed on the progress of the work.

Butte-Ballaklava.

The work of preparing for the hearing of the suit brought by the Anaconda company against the Butte-Ballaklava company has practically been completed, and according to Secretary Percival of the latter company evidence satisfactory to the company's side of the case has been secured. While the case has been set for the middle of this month it is not believed that the taking of testimony will proceed and it is just possible that it will be the last of the month or early in the new year before the hearing actually takes place, if at all.

Pilot Butte.

In a very short time it is expected that active mining operations will be taken up by the Pilot Butte Mining company, an organization effected some time ago to take over the Pilot mining claim owned by the Pilot Butte Copper Mining company, Thomas F. Murray and William F. Jahn, the former of St. Paul and the latter of Milwaukee, having been in the city in consultation with other directors with a view of making arrangements to start

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AT THE LAKE COPPER MINES

Keweenaw County Lands to Be Developed By Calumet & Arizona Interests—Cherokee Locates Copper Ground—Lake Getting Better Results in North Territory—Hancock Preparing for Production.

Houghton, Mich., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Interests closely identified with the Calumet & Arizona Mining company are planning a development company to exploit a tract of about 1,500 acres of mineral lands in the Gratiot lake district in Keweenaw county. These lands lie well in the eastern horizon of the Lake Superior mineral belt and on the eastern slope of the Bohemian range, along which a limited amount of exploratory work was done at this point in the earlier years. The new work will be carried on with the aid of diamond drills. The lands are held under option.

Calumet & Arizona.

There has been more or less talk recently of a proposed new holding company to be organized for the purpose of taking over all of the so-called Calumet & Hecla subsidiaries. That steps looking to this end have been undertaken or at least contemplated is officially denied by the Calumet & Hecla management. A prominent mining engineer has been in this district for several weeks past examining the Keweenaw county lands of the Calumet & Hecla company at the instance, it is believed, of a well known exploration and development company, which for some time has shown a desire to get into this district.

Cherokee.

The Cherokee Mining company, operating in the territory just north of the so-called Lake-Indiana district, has succeeded in locating copper ground in what is generally presumed to be the Winona lode. The drill core indicates a width of about thirty feet in this formation at this point, with more or less copper showing throughout. This is the first showing of commercial values obtained in these operations, and is important for that reason rather than for the character of the ground disclosed. Two diamond drills are in service working westward across the property.

Lake.

The Lake Copper company is getting better results in the development work in progress in the north territory, and at the moment is opening ground in that end of the workings comparing favorably with that developed in the south laterals, which have all along yielded much the best showings made in that mine. The improvement north is of particular importance as it is in that direction that the greater part of the company's territory lies. The crosscut from the shaft to the lode at the seventh level has passed through the formation disclosing a width of about 115 feet, the greater part of which is found to carry copper in commercial quantities. The shaft is sinking steadily and has reached the depth where the eighth level will be established. A new compressor house has been built to house the large air compressor recently delivered at the property, and with this in service better progress in development work will follow.

Adventure.

The Adventure Consolidated Copper company continues to center all activity in shaft sinking with the object of reaching the so-called No. 2 lode, apparently the most promising of the three revealed in the exploratory work of two years ago. The shaft has attained a depth of about 1,060 feet, or nearly 100 feet below the No. 1 lode, upon which drifting has not yet begun. The No. 2 lode is calculated to lie around 500 feet below the No. 1 lode and to reach it will require another six to eight months' time at the present rate of sinking.

Hancock.

The Hancock Consolidated Mining company is preparing for production which may be expected to begin soon after the first of the year. The rock output will be small at first, probably not in excess of 500 tons daily, and will be sent to the Centennial-Allouez mill for treatment. The Hancock mill will probably not be built for another year, present plans calling for an extended test at the Centennial mill, with the object of determining the proper method best suited for the treatment of Hancock rock. The results of these experiments will decide the arrangement of the new mill, the plans for which, beyond the interior arrangement, have already been worked out. Development work continues centered in the so-called No. 3 formation of the Hancock series of lodes, and a tonnage well ahead of immediate requirements has been blocked out, the amount of ground made ready for stoping probably reaching 1,000,000 tons. The big vertical shaft, through which this ground will be hoisted is connected

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REDUCTION IN MINE OUTPUT

What Has Been Accomplished By the Curtailment of the Copper Output—New Producers of 1911 Will Not Increase the Supply More Than Five Per Cent.

Although the effect of the curtailment in copper production, which was inaugurated by several of the important producing mines last July, has not yet been seen in the monthly refinery reports of the copper producers' association, we figure that the reduction in mine output since July 1 last, has to date amounted to fully 60,000,000 pounds, says the Boston News Bureau.

Owing to the failure of some of the largest producers of the metal to make monthly reports of their production, it is not possible to determine with exactness the extent of the curtailment. The average monthly output for the year previous to July 1 last, was very close to 120,000,000 pounds. The producers of over two-thirds of this amount have, since that time, reported a reduction varying between 10 per cent and 15 per cent. While some of the larger properties are apparently shortening their production by 15 per cent, it is unfair to apply this percentage or anything like it to the total American production as at some important points no shrinkage in output has occurred.

Lake Superior.

At Lake Superior, for instance, there is little or nothing to indicate that the mines in that district are co-operating to any material extent in the restriction program. Many of the producing properties in that district are absolutely prohibited from curtailing by reason of the poverty of their ore bodies. The very low copper recovery now being obtained makes it imperative that the largest possible tonnage shall be treated if anything like a reasonable profit is to be shown on a 13-cent copper market.

Calumet & Hecla is probably contributing as much as all the other Michigan mines put together toward the good of the general copper situation. It is working independently, however, and while it has not agreed to any specific restriction, it is not pushing output, but is taking advantage of the times and the low copper market to make such improvements as its plant as will better enable it, when the price of copper improves, to push production to the limit.

The Shrinkage.

Figured in the rough, we estimate that the output of copper in this country and Mexico is being restricted to the extent of about 13,000,000 pounds per month, or 156,000,000 pounds per annum. A portion of this shrinkage is voluntary and, as in California, for instance, a considerable restriction is forced by reason of local conditions. The apportionment of this 13,000,000 pounds we present below (in pounds):

	Monthly curtailment.
Butte	3,500,000
Lake Superior	500,000
Arizona	2,500,000
Utah	1,500,000
Nevada	1,000,000
California	2,000,000
Miscellaneous	2,000,000
Total	13,000,000

Heavy in Butte.

Of the above 13,000,000 pounds, the Amalgamated Copper company interests, the Utah Copper and Nevada Consolidated companies, together with Phelps-Dodge & Co., are contributing the major portion; in fact, the mines at Butte and the producing porphyry properties are doing more than all the rest of the mines of this country put together to assist in keeping a burdensome surplus off the market.

The Butte mines of the Amalgamated Copper company in June produced over 26,000,000 pounds. The same properties four months later, in October, produced less than 23,000,000 pounds, a reduction of 13 per cent. Utah Copper and Nevada Consolidated each show a reduction of 15 per cent in a comparison of the same two months.

The following table of June and October outputs of the districts, from which monthly reports are available, although by no means embracing the entire production of the districts referred to, shows the percentage of reduction to average about 10 per cent. The table follows, in pounds:

	June.	October.	Per cent dec.
Butte	26,300,000	22,900,000	13.
Lake Sup.	18,800,000	18,500,000	....
Arizona	18,000,000	16,416,000	8.8
Nevada	6,100,000	5,100,000	15.
Utah	8,300,000	7,000,000	15.
Miscellaneous	18,000,000	16,000,000	11.
Totals	95,500,000	85,916,000	10.

New Supplies.

The next most important consideration is the extent of which supplies will be augmented next year by new copper production. Careful estimates have been made and the conclusion reached that the new porphyries, together with the additional output planned by the Utah Copper company, will not, in the aggregate, increase next year's refinery production by over 65,000,000 pounds, a sum equal to but 5 per cent of the American output.

The Utah Copper company, Chino, Ray and Miami, will all contribute to an increased supply of copper in 1911. The Utah Copper company in increasing its plant capacity will probably add 20,000,000 pounds. We tabulate the probable increases as follows:

Utah Copper	20,000,000
Chino	10,000,000
Ray	20,000,000
Miami	15,000,000
Total	65,000,000

Refined Copper.

It should not be understood that the above figures indicate mine output as it is quite possible that the mines of the four companies above mentioned will show an increase of 100,000,000 pounds next year, but the 65,000,000 pounds refers to the estimated amount of copper which it is expected will be put on the market in refined form. It has been recently demonstrated that it takes fully four months from the time it is shipped from the Eastern seaboard refinery in marketable shape.

Under normal conditions of trade an addition of 65,000,000 pounds to the annual output in any one year should not exert a depressing influence, but under conditions of unsatisfactory trade, even this additional output

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AT BONANZA CIRCLE MINES

Production in November About Same as Previous Month—Sulphide Continues in the Junction Shaft at Depth of 1,750 Feet.

Bisbee, Ariz., Dec. 10.—The Calumet & Arizona and Superior & Pittsburg companies kept their production for the month of November to the same amount as for October. Forty-two thousand tons of ore was produced by the two companies and the copper output was 4,000,000 pounds. The working forces in all the mines of both companies was kept at the same number as during October.

At the Irish Mag shaft of the Calumet & Arizona mine the development of the body of oxide on the 750-foot level is very encouraging. At the Oliver, the principal work is being done on the 1,350-foot level where the ore body is opening up very satisfactorily. Considerable oxide ore is being opened up on the 900-foot level.

The Briggs and Hoatson are being operated as one mine. Low grade sulphide ore in the Briggs end is showing up very encouragingly, and a large tonnage of this material is being developed.

At the Junction, the sulphide continues in the shaft at a depth of 1,750 feet. The sulphide carries little or no copper at the lowest point. The big ore developments are in the bodies south of the shaft on the 1,300, 1,400 and 1,500-foot levels. The limits of these bodies have not been found and their extent cannot be estimated from the present development on the above mentioned levels.

On the 1,300 level, there is 400 feet of ore north and south opened up, which is the top and 400 feet so far developed on the 1,300-foot level. The north limits of the ore body have been determined, but drifts are still being run in ore on the southerly end.

Some of the ore found in the development work runs as high as 30 per cent copper. The ore in this body is all sulphide and the richest parts are bornite or peacock.

The water at the Junction is draining slowly and the pumps are handling a little less water each day. Two thousand four hundred gallons per minute is being handled from the Junction at this time. The company is planning to put electric pumps on the 1,800-foot level, but the details have not been decided on.

The new compressor for the Junction power house has arrived and the foundation is partly completed. This compressor will handle 5,975 feet of air per minute and will furnish compressed air for all the Superior & Pittsburg mines. At present there is a compressor in operation at the Hoatson and another at the Junction. The new compressor is the second biggest air compressor in the district, the Copper Queen having one slightly larger.

At the Denn mine, the pumps are steadily lowering the water and it has been reduced a little more than 100 feet in the shaft since all the pumps were started that are now working on it. The water is now down about the 1,500-foot level. The Shattuck is steadily developing its ore bodies and the shipments for November were kept up to the same tonnage as during October.

MINES COMPANY OF AMERICA

Expected Dividend Will Be Declared in January, Though Amount Seems Still Undecided By the Management—Earnings Keep Up Well.

New York, Dec. 10.—The Mining Age says: The new Mines Company of America merger, representing the El Rayo mines of America, Dolores and La Dura consolidation, will, it is generally understood, declare a dividend the coming January, but no one has any idea yet as to the size of the disbursement. Some of the directors favor paying 3 per cent quarterly, or 12 per cent annually on par, while others prefer starting on a more conservative basis, at the rate of 2½ per cent quarterly, or 10 per cent for the year.

At the Mines Company of America property at Minas Prietas, where the property has been treating approximately 9,000 tons per month, a contract has been made with the Butter's mill for an increase in treatment of 7,000 tons, bringing the total up to 16,000 tons, or nearly to double its original capacity. At the new La Dura property, which is the mine recently bought, shipments of ore are being made and the company is contributing to the earnings of the Mines company. The plans for the new concentrator, which is soon to be erected, have been drawn up and it is expected that the mill will be in

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ALASKA STILL SENDS GOLD

Banks Arrange for Overland Gold Express From Nome via the Iditarod—Cliff Company Sends $1,000 Per Day From Valdez.

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 10.—Belated gold shipments continue to come, in despite the closing of navigation, and bullion will come more or less all winter even from such far away points as Nome, as the banks have arranged for an overland gold express from Nome via the Iditarod, and by this route some $300,000 is even now moving. The Humboldt brought $65,000 from the De Groff quartz mine on Chikagoff island, Southeastern Alaska. The Cliff continues to send better than $1,000 per day from Valdez. The new mills operated on the coast and interior quartz properties next season will add from 2,000,000 to $3,000,000 to the gold output of the territory, which from all indications will make 1911 Alaska's record year. The Koyukuk yielded $350,000 this season, the winter dumps washed during the past season turning out $200,000. The deep channels of Nolan creek contain the phenomenal pay, but it is expensive mining. Chino's custom stamp mill started Nov. 1. Bath, Fairbanks and Chino made it the occasion for a public holiday and celebration.

A new strike has been made at the mouth of Goring creek, a tributary of the Klondike, where four Australians who have been working there some time have opened a pay streak known to be ninety feet wide, and growing wider as they continue to cross it. The gravel is three to five feet thick

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MINING IN THE BLACK HILLS

Falling Off of Nearly $2,000,000 in the Production of Gold and Silver This Year, Owing to Labor Troubles.

Deadwood, S. D., Dec. 10.—The annual report of the state mine inspector, Nicholas Treweek, Sr., of Lead, shows a falling off of nearly $2,000,000 in the production of gold and silver in the Black Hills for 1910. This is explained by labor troubles, which caused suspension of nearly all the principal properties for several months. The Homestake, the chief company, was idle until the latter part of January and not working up to full capacity until the middle of March. Others were idle more than half the year; one or two have not yet resumed. The highest figure ever produced in the Hills was about $7,500,000 in 1908.

The total production for the year was $4,921,304, produced by six companies. The Homestake contributed $4,650,000. There were 1,438,408 tons of ore mined and milled and there were 3,150 men employed on the properties, of which the Homestake had 2,900.

There were four fatal accidents and thirteen serious ones.

One of the biggest individual increases was shown in the production of the Westinghouse mica mines near Custer, where the total was 1,856,409 pounds of mica.

After the Homestake, the largest contributors were the Golden Reward and Mogul. The Wasp No. 2, usually a producer, was mill building and had almost no production. The North Homestake and Minnesota Mines company, among last year's producers, also had almost no production on account of improvements.

The Wasp No. 2 Mining company's new cyanide mill on Yellow creek, south of this city, is now in operation. The company lost its former mill by fire nearly a year ago. The new mill has a capacity of about 300 tons daily.

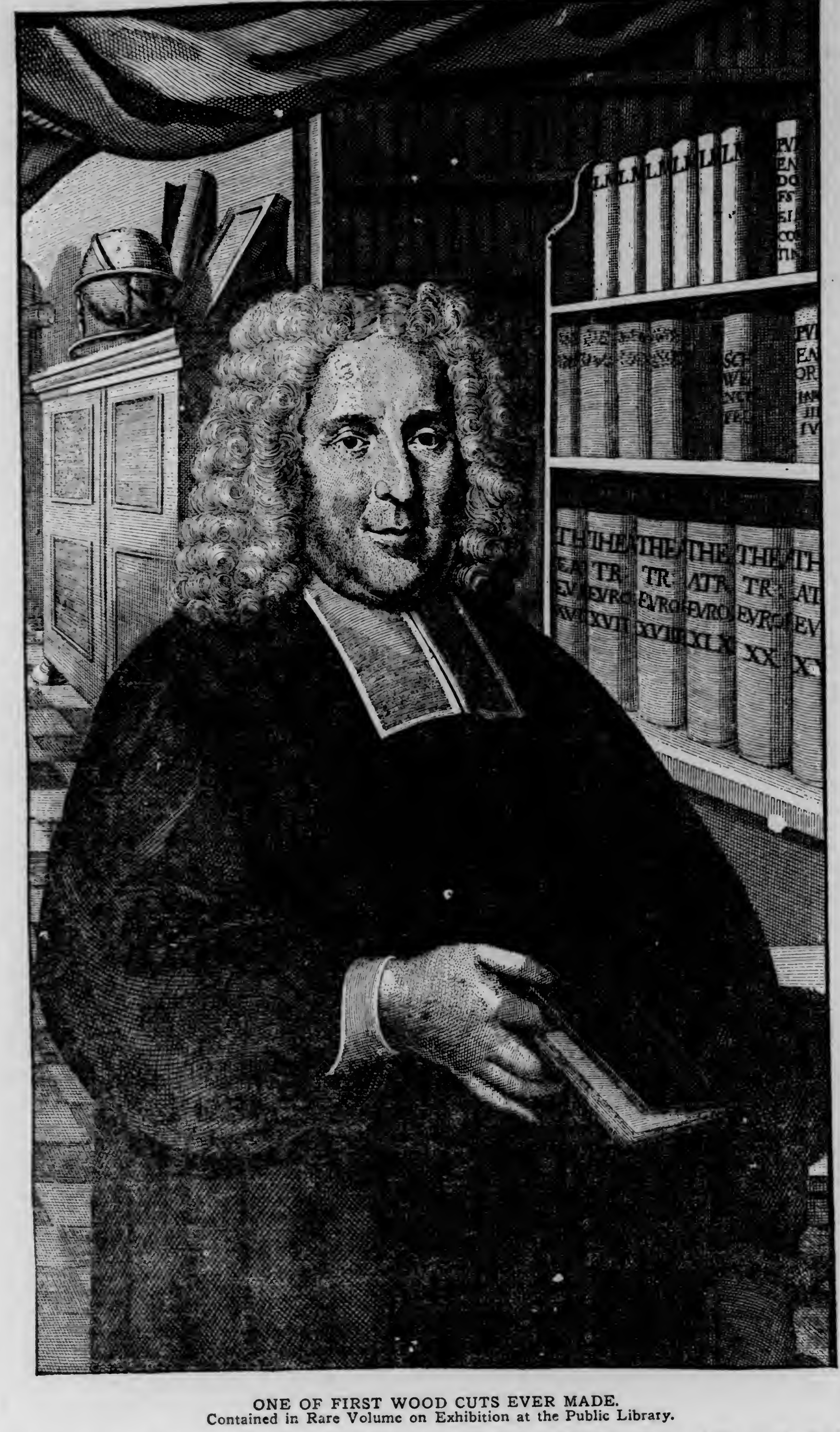
Supt. John McGoffin of the Altia Mining company is in Kansas City conferring with President Snow on plans for a resumption on the property in Strawberry gulch, near Deadwood.

Dean Perisho of the state university at Vermillion, who is also state geologist, is compiling a report on the coal and mineral resources of Harding and Perkins counties, where he explored this summer.

Operations now in progress by the Castle Creek Hydraulic Placer Mining company, near Mystic, in Pennington county, are attracting some attention for the reason that this is the first instance where dredge work has been done in Black Hills placers. A force is now setting up a dredge, which will be operated by electric power. It is hoped to have it ready by early spring. The property lies along Castle creek and takes in nearly 400 acres. The dredge, which is costing about $100,000, will have a capacity of 70,000 cubic yards a month, the bedrock being found at an average depth of thirty feet.

In the Caliboga district, George Hughes is obtaining some fine ore from the Yellow Jacket claim. His shaft is down fifty feet and he is working a quartz gouge that yields $160 a ton in gold, silver and lead, the principal value being in gold.

SOME RARE AND INTERESTING OLD BOOKS ON EXHIBITION AT THE LIBRARY



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Some interesting old books have been loaned the public library and they will be on exhibition there for a time, and patrons of the library and any one interested is invited to see them. The books will be shown in the art room and those interested will be directed to this room if they make inquiries at the desk.

To the average person, the most intresting of the group is a "General Bible Lexicon," which is published in two volumes. Each book is about a foot and a half long, a foot wide and about five inches thick. They are bound in parchment and were printed in 1728. The accompanying cut is from a wood cut in the front of the first volume of this Lexicon and is an exquisite example of the wood cutter's art. The fat gentleman shown is according to the inscription underneath, "Daniel Schneider, Uratislovia Silesius P. P. Eccle siae Laubacensis Ecclesiarum et Schholarum ejusden Comitatus Inspector et Consistoru Assessor, Vocatus Ecclesiarum Erbacensium Superintendens" and the modest list of titles ends with "etc, etc."

Daniel, etc's conection with the book is as the collector of the facts contained therein and the making of them into a book.

The Lexicon is in German and the title page has been translated as follows:

"Universal Biblical Dictionary, which contains besides the names the nature of things so far as same is mentioned in Holy Writ, the titles and orders of the angels, the life deeds, accidents, circumstances of the patriarchs, judges, kings, high priests, prophets, evangelists, apostles, bishops, elders, church servants, male and female teachers, artists, of noble and God-fearing women, false prophets, seducers and evil persons, all with proper annotations of time; also tables of genealogy. Further approved or rejected sectarian and worldly customs, also the various kinds of officers, honors and orders arrangement of the politcal and eclectical state, as also of the government of the divine service of the crafts and arts, civic discussions, our religious and philosophical sects, also of false gods and various ilods. Further, the places countries, towns, hamlets, villages, oceans, seas, rivers, wells.

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Which is quite thoroughgoing German when it is considered that all of this is contained on the title page. It is small wonder that it took two large volumes to tell all that is promised.

Another smaller volume contains the "Report of the Council of Trent in four parts," which was reprinted in Frankfurt in 1707, in Latin. The author is Martin Chemnitz and his dedication has been translated by a local student of Latin as follows: "To His most high and powerful prince, our lord, Charles XII, the most exalted king of Swedes, Goths, and Vandals, the grand duke of Finland, duke of Scania, Esthonia, Livonia, Carelia, Brennen, Verdex, Stetlin Pommeranian, Cassubia and Vandalia, duke of Rugen, lord of Ingria and Vismur, as also Count Palatinus of the Rhine, Bavaria, Cleve and duke of Berg, to my exceedingly gracious lord," after which the author feels free to go on with his story.

A third book is a Bible Concordance published at Leipzig in 1718, and is printed in German, Hebrew and Greek in three parallel columns. The introduction is by M. Christiano Reineccio and the author is Freidrich Landisch. Ten volumes of church history of more modern times completes the little collection.

The librarians will be happy to show the books to all interested in old and rare volumes.

COLORADO TUNNEL RESULTS

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seventh level of the main working shaft. At the 545-foot level of the Davenport shaft lessees are driving a crosscut toward the south end of the Ingham claim. The Lucky Corner mine is the most active producer.

The Roosevelt deep drainage tunnel, now 15,524 feet in from the portal, may be extended 200 feet additional at $28 a foot cost. A. E. Carlton, contractor, or the tunnel company itself, will do the work. The original plan to extend it 5,000 feet will be carried out if results should not continue satisfactory. El Paso mine is now dry and the Beacon Hill watercourses have been successfully tapped. Of $550,000 contributed to the tunnel fund $23,000 remains in the treasury.

The Elkton Consolidated Gold Mining company is preparing to double its output. The Roosevelt tunnel has unwatered the lower levels. It is hoped that a second great vein parallels the main vein, which has already produced $1,000,000. It was discovered before the mine was flooded.

The C. K. & N. property on Beacon Hill, Cripple Creek, will be restarted as soon as the water leaves the lower levels through the Roosevelt tunnel. The property has been closed for years.

STRIKE IN THE GOLDSMITH

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operations because of the strikes. The Ogden hill is a high mountain that stands far above the surrounding peaks in the Big Blackfoot district.

A deal is pending here whereby an Eastern syndicate will take over the East Pacific mine at Winston, twenty miles east.

The Radersburg gold mines, forty miles east of here, are proving to be all that was predicted of them when deep mining was inaugurated and shipments of sulphide ores began. The Keating Gold Minng company has issued a circular letter to stockholders which shows that the mine is yielding an average of 100 tons a day, averaging $19 a ton. The company earned $5,000 net in October and this month it will triple that sum. The new shaft is now hoisting from the 500-foot level and has been driven to the 600. Drifting is just starting there, the vein having been found in place as expected. The 400-foot drill is now 1,000 feet north of the shaft and in ore all the way. The Black Friday, Ohio-Keating and other properties are also engaged in profitable operations.

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operation by next summer. At the Dolores some of the Mexican miners took part in the recent uprising, but this in no way interfered with operations.

In a review of the property by David Stuart of New York, the point is made that the company has today in quick assets and in the cash surplus in the treasury and in the net value of its ore reserves, about $5 per share, so that the stock selling at this figure does not include any speculative possibilities in estimating its value. The same authority, in describing the property, says the market in the stock at the moment is narrow, though it is believed that as soon as dividends are resumed a considerable increase in its price will be recorded on the market.

The Dolores and El Rayo are both new properties with good earning capacity, and the La Dura will prove a satisfactory purchase. The first month of La Dura's operation under new management gave the Mines company treasury $10,000 net. The company is preparing to make La Dura produce on a larger scale and within the next four or five months the earnings will be increased to $20,000 net or more, so that during the first year La Dura will produce at least $150,000 net. The last statement of the earnings of Dolores, El Rayo and Mines Company of America show these three properties to be earning better than $1,000,000 per year, which is 11 per cent on par.

REPUBLIC CAMP PICKING UP

Raise Shows That Ore Body of Missoula Copper Grows From Two Feet to Fifteen Feet of Good Smelting Rock.

Spokane, Wash., Dec. 10.—"The town and camp of Republic, Wash., northwest of Spokane, never were in more prosperous condition than they are now," said J. L. Harper, general manager of the Republic Mines corporation, the Imperator-Quilp company and the North Washington Power & Reduction company, in Spokane a few days ago. "Homes for incoming families are so badly needed that if 50 to 100 new dwellings were started they would all be rented before completion.

"The way the old-timers are flocking back to the camp is the most encouraging aspect of the new immigration. It shows that they always have had faith in the district, and as soon as they heard that it was coming to the front once more, they were glad to return to it.

"My associates have every reason to be pleased with the results of our November operations. The month has rounded out with the usual tonnage production by the Republic Mines corporation from the Lone Pine-Surprise group. The ton value of the ore shipped is somewhat larger than for any previous month and the gross value of the ore sent to the smelters approximates $100,000.

"The first level from the new main working shaft on the Surprise has been started toward the bonanza ore shoot. It will have to be driven 120 feet and will cut the ore body 100 feet below the Jim Clark tunnel level, where we are now working.

"The Quilp mine shipped fifteen cars during the month. The restoration work in this property has proved to be much heavier than I anticipated, owing to the long idleness of the mine. The 500-foot level has not been unwatered entirely yet, as it was found necessary to retimber the station and the winze."

The high-grade shoot struck in the property of the Missoula Copper Mining company in the Mullan section of the Coeur d'Alenes, northeast of Spokane, has widened steadily under development until it shows bonanza proportions, according to recent reports. From a streak two feet wide, having a cupric content of smelting quality, the ore body was expanded to fifteen feet of the same grade. This transformation came in raising twenty feet from the tunnel level at a vertical depth of 700 feet. It is estimated that there is 1,000 feet of stoping possibilities on the dip of the vein between the tunnel level and top of the hill. The 15-foot streak varies in quality from 15 to 25 per cent, it is estimated. Bornite is one of its elements. This expansion was revealed in the course of cutting a station last week. Ore of strong promise occupied the floor of the drift. A winze was sunk for a few feet with good results. Ascent and descent on the course of the shoot will proceed. At the same time the drift, which has opened this part of the body for a short distance, will be continued. Forty men are employed on the property.

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and across the whole face averages 3 cents to the pan. The ground is ninety feet deep. It is on what is known as 26 below discovery. The claim is below the jaws of the creek and where it extends on the Klondike flat. Evidently the pay has come from benches along the creek. The gold is coarse and of high-grade.

Nine quartz locations in the Bonnet Plume country and twenty-five from Twelve-Mile were received by the recorder's office at Dawson during the week.

After cleaning up 20,000 feet of bedrock on seventy-nine, below on Sulphur the miners awoke the other morning to find that an underground stream had broken into their workings and filled drifts and shaft with water.

Latest advices from the Iditarod are that the weather was still open and mining going on up to Oct. 1.

Jack Le Samis, discoverer of the Squirrel River diggings, the most northerly in the world, and one companion, with only hand implements, washed out $13,000 on his discovery claim in nine days.

The Yukon Gold company is dismantling Dredge No. 2 of its fleet now situated on lower Bonanza, near the mouth. The big craft is to be moved up Bonanza, possibly in the thirties. The greater part of the hauling probably will be done on the snow. No. 2 is one of the largest and best dredges in the company's fleet. It has been working ever since its construction in between Ogilvie bridge and its present position. Dredge No. 1, which was constructed close to No. 2, remains on the lower end of the creek.

AT THE LAKE COPPER MINES

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with these workings by crosscuts at the thirteenth and eighteenth levels, and at the twenty-seventh level passes through the formation from which production will be made. At a depth of about 3,500 feet, or nearly 800 feet below the present bottom, this shaft should enter the underlay of the Quincy-Pewabic lode, which is expected to give the company another mine. It will probably take the greater part of a year to bring the shaft to this depth. The shaft has been permanently equipped with two large hoists, and a modern steel shaft rockhouse, with capacity to handle upwards of 4,000 tons of rock daily. It is, and for the time being, will remain the sole avenue of production in this property. The older shaft sunk on the incline of the formation is bottomed at the fourteenth level and will be used for the handling of men and materials.

TO DEEPEN TUOLUMNE SHAFT

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operations. The pilot claim has been considerably developed and the three compartment shaft is 530 feet deep. Mining men familiar with the property are satisfied that in time it will become one of the producing mines of the district. It is surrounded by the Badger State of the Anaconda company, the Elm Orlu and Poser of the W. A. Clark interests, the Butte and Superior company property and the Berlin group of the North Butte company. P. H. Nelson of Duluth, president of the Tuolumne company, is vice president, and J. A. Percival, secretary of the Butte-Ballaklava company is secretary. Patrick Sheehan, superintendent of the Tuolumne company is to be in charge of the mining operations.

Butte & Superior.

So far as known in this city the bond issue of the Butte & Superior company still remains unsubscribed as a whole, although there is no doubt the property is making good money. It is stated that a number of outsiders are willing to subscribe for a large share of the issue, but the management is not desirous of having the securities held by outside parties, if it is at all possible to raise the necessary money within the present holders of stock. While the returns are not complete for November, there is every reason to believe that the earnings will exceed those of October by several thousands of dollars. The unsatisfactory management in the past is attributed as the cause for the failure of stockholders to take up all bonds allotted to them.

Anaconda Shaft.

The retimbering of the Anaconda mine shaft is proceeding along with as much rapidity as possible and in the course of another ten days it is expected the 1,100-foot level will be reached. From this down the shaft is filled with the debris from the cavein of the shaft some time ago. Under this pile of dirt somewhere are the remains of a miner who lost his life in the mine on Nov. 8 by the giving away of a pile of dirt on which he was standing in the shaft. Owing to the condition of the shaft it would have been impossible to make any effort to secure the man's body until the retimbering was completed so for this reason the work of retimbering has been rushed with as much speed as possible.

The St. Lawrence.

The retimbering of the St. Lawrence mine shaft is getting along as speedily as men can do the work, but the contemplated sinking of the shaft 300 feet has not yet been commenced and will not be until after the first of the year. It will be two or three months before the St. Lawrence mine is in a position to resume active mining operations again.

Installing Electric Plant.

The preparations for the installing of the electric plant on Anaconda hill is going on, and unless something unforseen happens it is hoped to have the hoisting apparatus in readiness for use early in January.

REDUCTION IN MINE OUTPUT

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might develop into a factor of considerable importance.

It is plainly apparent that unless trade conditions materially improve, the price level of copper can only be sustained in the face of forthcoming additional supplies—by a continuance of the policy of restricted output.

LEGAL NOTICES.

ORDER OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR LICENSE TO SELL, MORTGAGE OR LEASE LAND BY REPRESENTATIVE OR GUARDIAN—
State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis—ss.

In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Francis Copeland Sullivan, a Minor.

THE PETITION OF Margaret L. Copeland as representative of the above named Francis Copeland Sullivan, having been filed in this Court, representing, among other things, that for reasons stated in said petition, it is necessary and for the best interests of the estate of said Francis Copeland Sullivan and of all persons interested therein, to sell certain lands of said Minor in said petition described and praying that license be to said Margaret L. Copeland granted to sell the said land.

IT IS ORDERED, That said petition be heard before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in Duluth, in said County, on Monday, the 19th day of December, 1910, at ten o'clock A. M., and all persons interested in said hearing and in said matter are hereby cited and required at said time and place to show cause, if any there be, why said petition should not be granted.

ORDERED FURTHER, That this order be served by publication in The Duluth Herald, according to law.

Dated at Duluth, Minn., November 26th, 1910.

By the Court,
J. B. MIDDLECOFF,
Judge of Probate.
(Seal Probate Court, St. Louis County, Minn.)
D. H., Nov. 26. Dec. 3, 10, 1910.

ORDER LIMITING TIME TO FILE CLAIMS, AND FOR HEARING THEREON.—
State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis.—ss.

In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Louis Sacco, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Attello Castigliano of Hibbing, Minnesota.

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Monday the Fifth day of June 1911, at ten o'clock a. m., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Duluth in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in The Duluth Herald as provided by law.

Dated, Duluth, Minn., Dec. 3, 1910.
J. B. MIDDLECOFF,
Judge of Probate.
(Seal, Probate Court, St. Louis county Minn.)
D. H. Dec. 3, 10, 17, 1910.

ORDER FOR HEARING GUARDIAN'S ACCOUNT—
State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis—ss.

In Probate Court.

Special Term December 3rd, 1910.

In the Matter of the Guardianship of Fred H. Myers, Minor.

UPON FILING THE FINAL ACCOUNT Of Guardianship with a petition for final settlement and allowance of the account of said Frank Crassweller, as Guardian of the above named minor.

IT IS ORDERED, That said petition be heard, and the settlement and allowance of said account be made at a Special term of the Probate Court to be held in and for said County of St. Louis, on Monday, the 27th day of December, A. D. 1910, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the Probate Office in the Court House, in the City of Duluth, in said County.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That a copy of this order be served by publication in The Duluth Herald, according to law.

Dated at Duluth, Minn., the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1910.

By the Court.
J. B. MIDDLECOFF,
Judge of Probate.
(Seal Probate Court, St. Louis Co., Minn.)
D. H., Dec. 3, 10, 17, 1910.

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> *The greatest of faults, I should say, is to be conscious of none.*
> *—Thomas Carlyle.*

THE COMMISSION PLAN.

No. 23.—What It Did in Cedar Rapids.

Yesterday The Herald told how Port Huron, the newest of commission-governed cities, had just proved one of the cardinal arguments for the new scheme by electing as members of its commission the old mayor, because he had made good, and four of the leading business men of the city.

In Cedar Rapids about the same sort of thing happened, and here are some of the results:

Bonds were retired and interest paid thereon to the amount of $61,980—a pretty good sum for a town of the size of Cedar Rapids, and a great deal more than the old government would have done if it had kept on at its old gait for a generation.

Extensive improvements were made in the parks, and additional park property was acquired.

An island in the Cedar river, which had been a dumping ground, an eye sore and the abode of iniquity and squalor, was bought by the city and turned into a beautiful civic center, as a home for the municipality.

The services of a civic improvement expert were secured and, following his advice, streets were extended, street signs were erected, waste paper receptacles provided, etc.

Public work of all kinds was done on a large scale, and well done.

The receipts from the police court increased from $75 to about $700 per month without increased arrests.

License taxes were impartially collected.

Milk and meat inspection laws were enforced.

Five patrolmen were added to the police force, an extension that had been needed long but that the city hadn't been able to afford before.

Gamblers were driven from the city, and the social evil was segregated and put under severe regulations.

Defective paving was rejected and contractors were made to stick to the specifications.

Cash discount was taken on all city bills—how many cities under the old plan discount their bills?

Interest was collected on city balances in banks—the old city government hadn't thought to do that.

The city's credit was established at the highest standard.

Business methods were introduced into all departments of the city government.

Complaints from citizens were given immediate attention.

The new facilities for control of their public affairs appealed to the people with the result that there was an immediate response of public spirit and civic pride. Public interest in all good works for the common good was greatly increased, and the greatly improved civic conditons were reflected in better business conditons. The city's growth and prosperity were largely accelerated.

Putting city business on a business basis, with close control by the people—this is the very ordinary magic which worked such results in these various cities.

TWO ABUSED STATESMEN.

With its customary vigor in erring, the Minneapolis Tribune says that the Nelson whitewash of Ballinger is literally true; that in no instance has Ballinger failed to do his duty as a public officer; that he has protected the public interest; that he has been "a sane and judicious friend of conservation of national resources."

Of his enemies, the Tribune says: "From the sorehead who laid the foundation as soon as he learned that he would not be reappointed secretary and the semi-lunatic forester who is honestly incapable of separating his vague but towering ambition from the duty of a public officer and private citizen, to the rag, tag and bobtail of daily and weekly papers, each has acted in accordance with his lights. That is the discouraging thing."

"The incident," continues the Tribune, "takes a larger interest from the likeness between the president's own position and Ballinger's. He, too, is an admirable public officer, for whom an honest investigator could find nothing but praise. Yet his fame is already dimmed and his future is menaced by the same vague and hysterical insinuation that 'his heart does not beat true to the people.'"

In spite of the Tribune's slighting quotation marks, it is not vague or hysterical to say of a high public official that "his heart does not beat true to the people." It is so far from vague that it is more definite than any charge could be, and so far from hysterical that with cool, calm sorrowful certainty it plumbs the depths of that official's capacity to be of service to the nation.

The only true thing in the Tribune's excited comment is its act of putting Taft and Ballinger in the same category.

President Taft—good man, fine character, faithful underling—stands convicted upon the record. No other proof than his last message is needed to condemn him. At a time when the people waited for a note of leadership, when his party waited for a clarion call that would summon its scattered forces to a common rallying ground, came a message that contained no hint of hope to the nation, no word of comfort for his sundered and disorganized party. Though a masterly review of administration details, there is in that message not a touch of the capacity of leadership, either of people or party, nor any evidence that he realizes the acute issues of the day.

Ballinger, whether or not actual charges of corruption are proved against him, stands convicted of being unfaithful in spirit to the will of the people. He is not a safe guardian of the people's natural resources, and in this day of conflict and of sharply drawn issues, none but friends of the people should be put on guard.

NEVERTHELESS—

Congress is in session—the same congress that passed the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill.

The president—the same president who signed it—has sent his message to congress.

The president has opposed any action on the tariff at this session, and congress more than willingly agrees with him.

So nothing whatever will be done about the tariff for at least a year.

Nevertheless—

Don't forget that that tariff bill is just as bad as anybody ever said it was—and worse.

Don't forget that its provisions harbor just as much of trickery, just as much of shameful special privilege, just as much of robbery, just as much capacity for despoiling the many for the enrichment of the few, as its worst enemies ever charged against it.

Yet nothing is to be done about it.

The president says so, and congress agrees with alacrity.

Do you see what that means?

It means that for another year, at least, the most shocking mass of robbery, corruption and trickery ever enacted by an American congress will continue its work uninterrupted.

It means that for another year, at least, every schedule of that infamous measure will remain unchanged—even those schedules, like the wool schedule—which not even the defenders of the bill as a whole have the face to justify.

It means that for another year, at least, this burden of oppression, created by the corruption and treachery of their public servants, will rest upon the overloaded backs of the American people.

For another year congress will drone its useless way, grinding out extravagant appropriation bills that help to maintain this enormous mass of hypocrisy and fraud, engaging in sham battles on matters of slender import, filling the Congressional Record with wordy speeches, making a great to-do about nothing, drawing its salaries from the people while delaying legislation needed by the people.

Meanwhile, at every custom house stand uniformed men collecting tariff taxes which are but a tiny part of the tariff taxes actually levied; while the treasury of every beneficiary of the tariff special privilege will continue to be fattened by the rich subsidy of the tariff.

And the people will pay every particular penny of these taxes and subsidies through the price charged them for every article they need to feed, clothe, warm and shelter themselves.

A FAR-SEEING FINANCIER.

It is to be hoped that the announcement that George W. Perkins will leave the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co. Jan. 1 does not mean the termination of his influence with the great corporations in the making and management of which he has been prominent.

More, perhaps, than any other,—publicly at least,—Mr. Perkins has typified the response in the world of big business to the demand for greater democracy in industry. He has labored for progressive measures in the corporations with which he is associated, and he has told his fellow corporation managers that control of big business by and for the people must come, and that they should meet it half way instead of fighting it. In so doing he has proved himself a good citizen, a patriot and a far-seeing business man. Conditions would be vastly improved if there were more like him.

A CRUCIAL ISSUE.

President Taft's attempts to bring the insurgent senators into the regular camp have developed a situation of very acute dissension, involving an issue of peculiar gravity.

The insurgent senators, it appears, want to know what kind of men the president proposes to put on the bench of the highest court of the land.

They want to know whether he is going to pack the bench with men favorable to the special interests, or whether he is willing to put on the bench men who can be trusted to decide great issues fairly in the interests of all the people.

In short, they want to know whether he is going to make a supreme court majority of property's men, or of people's men.

And a great many more people would like very much to know the same thing.

Says the Associated Press dispatch that tells the story: "The insurgent senators, it is said, have agreed among themelves that the new members of the supreme court must not be men of reactionary tendencies or temperament. They are said to be insisting that the new judges shall be men of sufficiently advanced ideas to decide questions of the day alone on broad lines, and not be bound by mere legal technicalities. The regular Republicans, on the other hand, are not willing that these new theories as to judgeship qualifications shall be the determining factors as to the fitness of candidates."

Perhaps nothing could illustrate more clearly than this the difference between the insurgents and the regulars—in both parties, for that matter—or the difference between the reactionaries and the spirit of the people. Beyond question the people will heartily approve the stand taken by the insurgents, and will hope that they will carry it far enough to block confirmation of appointments made in violation of their principles.

President Taft has the power to make all the decisions of the supreme court for the next dozen years. He will have the responsibility of appointing enough judges to determine the character of the court for years. Upon his decision depends the issue of whether the supreme court shall be reactionary or progressive.

It is not asked that he put on the bench fiery radicals with revolutionary ideas. He is asked merely to appoint men whose habits of thought are in tune with the spirit of today; not men whose minds accord with the spirit of the waning day in which property interests were sacrosanct and human interests ignored.

There is little chance of mistake in this matter. All men, these days, are on one side or the other, whatever their party labels. There are few men of great enough prominence to be considered for the supreme court who are not widely known either as progressives or reactionaries—as men who may be expected to decide for justice and free government or for property interests and industrial serfdom.

President Taft faces a duty of grave responsibility. The solution of vital questions of deep moment hinges on the make-up of the supreme court. The stability of free government, perhaps even the peace of society, depends on the attitude of that body toward those questions. He alone must determine that attitude by the character of his appointments. His is a responsibility that no one need envy.

THE TRAGEDY OF PEARY.

The announcement that Dr. Cook has confessed that he doesn't know whether he reached the North pole or not, and that he thinks the loneliness and hardship of the Arctic drove him mad, is no great surprise. One thing about it Dr. Cook appears not to have thought of, however. That is that if his announcement of the discovery of the pole was the product of a mind diseased, his earlier announcement that he had scaled Mount McKinley must have been the product of another touch of the same kind of madness.

But it isn't Cook that we think of now that it is finally made clear that Cook is a liar and a charlatan; it is Peary.

Peary hasn't had a fair deal, and probably never will get it—probably he never can get it.

Cook's fraud, if it did nothing else, took the bloom off Peary's real achievement, and like the bloom on the peach, it never will return.

Peary had spent a lifetime in the search for the pole. Perhaps the pole wasn't worth searching for. Very likely it is good for nothing now it is found. Polar exploration was a mere human habit—aimless, fruitless, a fearful waste of energy and valor. It grew out of the old search for a Northwest passage, which began with the earliest European explorations of the Western continent. Not one of the early discoverers ever learned what glory they had earned by their explorations in America. One and all they sought merely a sea passage to China and India, and they died disappointed because they didn't find it.

The search continued until, the milder coasts exhausted without effect, it entered venturesomely upon the frozen wilds of the north. It was the Northwest passage they sought for three hundred years, and not the pole. When the Northwest passage was no longer desirable, Peary and others, driven by mere human habit, continued to search the ice wastes, this time for the North pole.

But whether the discovery was worth while or not, Peary sought it with energy and courage and persistence; and finally he found it. Imagine the triumph that cheered his bitter hardships as he made the perilous journey back toward civilization! Imagine the expectation of universal praise that warmed his heart during those weary months of isolation and deprivation, as he carried back with him the news of his final success!

And when he reached civilization, he heard that the world believed that another had been before him! Part of the world was skeptical, and the number of skeptics grew. But instead of the storms of approval that he expected, Peary's reward for his success was the turmoil of a disgraceful Cook-Peary controversy. Angered, disappointed,—as who wouldn't be?—he sharply rebuked Cook as a faker. Though it was the natural and human thing to do, it helped not a whit, but on the contrary made Peary appear in a false light, especially before the many who believed Cook's story largely because they did not believe it possible that there was a human being so brazen and impudent as to perpetrate such a nasty hoax.

In short, Peary was robbed of the popular glory of his achievement, and by the time the public recognized him in his true light as the only discoverer of the North pole, public interest had declined so completely that it was a matter of utter indifference who discovered the North pole and who didn't.

If Cook is the greatest charlatan in history, Peary is pretty nearly the most tragically misused man in recent times.

SUPERIOR'S POPULATION.

The census bureau has announced that the population of Superior is 40,384, a gain of 9,293 or 29.9 per cent over ten years ago.

Doubtless, like most other hustling cities, Superior will be disappointed with these figures, but it needn't be. It is a very tidy gain, both in numbers and percentage. It is true that neither in numbers nor percentage is its gain so great as that of Duluth, but that was not to be expected.

Like Duluth, Superior has a bountiful future which it has not yet discounted. Like Duluth, Superior's growth in the next ten years will be the greatest in its history.

Superior is certain to be a good town. It took it a little longer to recover from the reaction following the disastrous boom twenty years ago than it took Duluth, but it is building new and more solid foundations that will endure. It will get its share of the impulse that is to come from the creation of an iron and steel manufacturing center in Duluth, and its suitability for terminal sites will insure it a fair share of all the growth that comes to Duluth. Duluth cannot prosper without prospering Superior, and in a lesser measure it is also true that Superior cannot prosper without prospering Duluth.

THE OPEN COURT.

The Open Court was established on this page of The Herald for the benefit of the people. It is their editorial column, and it is as free as daylight to all who have views to express, providing they heed certain necessary rules that are printed at its head. The need of calling attention to those rules is emphasized by the fact that The Herald has received a communication which violates two of them, and therefore will not be published: it is written on both sides of the paper and is not accompanied by the name and address of the writer.

THE OPEN COURT.

(Readers of The Herald are invited to make free use of this column to express their ideas about the topics of general interest. Letters should not exceed 300 words—the shorter the better. They must be written on one side of the paper only, and they must be accompanied in every case by the name and address of the writer, though these need not be published. A signed letter is always more effective, however.)

CONSTANT KICKING WILL BRING RESULTS.

To the Editor of The Herald:

Whether the poor quality of the milk served by the restauranteurs reflects upon Duluth milk dealers or not, it is a fact for the former to be ashamed of that out of twenty-five inspected, fifteen were below standard, two barely came up to requirements and two more kept two kinds of milk.

When we realize that those places where the milk was found wanting are the most patronized, we must sympathize with the unfortunates who must eat down-town or go hungry.

Because I am one of those few blessed with a home myself I would say this to my fellowmen:

Kick if you would have pure milk to drink, eggs that are fresh, pie that hasn' soured, butter that hasn't been served, etc. There are any number of married men who will complain to their wives because the biscuits are hard, the soup cold, or the coffee too strong, who accept their noonday lunch down-town, meekly, just as it is handed out to them. To these and to those who must patronize the restaurants three times daily, raise a holler all of you and keep it up as long as the eggs served you have a stale odor, the milk thin, etc. Keep it up until you see results. Yours very truly.

A SUFFERER.

Eveleth, Dec. 8.

A MOMENT WITH THE WITS.

Tit Bits: Jacobs—Tuwed's second wife started going in for spiritualism, but he soon cured her.

Jackson—How?

Jacobs—He went with her and started receiving messages from his first wife.

Louisville Courier-Journal: "I'll never offer any more friendly advice."

"Wouldn't he listen to you?"

"He listened to me carefully, and then struck me for $2. Of course I had to cough up."

Detroit Free Press: "What are you going to do this summer, Hiram?" asked Mrs. Farmer.

"Well, I guess we'll send our two girls to Europe so as to be able to accommodate a few unfortunate city boarders who must have fresh air," replied Hiram.

Washington Star: "Infant prodigies are hard to understand, said the man who is easily impressed.

"I dont think so, replied Miss Cayenne. "As a rule they are simply young people with highly imaginative parents.

The Tatler: She—Do you prefer an ugly woman with brains, or a pretty woman without any?

He—Madam, I prefer present company to either. (And she is still wondering exactly what he meant).

New York Sun: Knicker—Does he also speak?

Bocker—No, he says in part.

Boston Transcript: Diner—Walter, this knife is blunt and the steak is like leather.

Walter—Yes, sir; do nicely for stropping the knife on, sir.

Philadelphia Record: "Silence is golden," quoted the Wise Guy.

"Not when you shake your pocket," added the Simple Mug.

Chicago Daily News: Mrs. De Style—And were you ever anxious about your descent, my dear? z

Mrs. Justrich—Yes, once when I went up in a balloon.

Filegende Blaetter: Rich Banker (to his daughter's suitor)—Don't talk so much of love; you know what really attracts you is the 80,000 marks that my daughter will get when she marries.

Suitor—What? No more than that?

Louisville Courier-Journal: "I cannot live but a week longer wizout you."

"Foolish talk, duke. How can you fix on a specific length of time?"

"Ze landlord fix on it, miss, not I."

Advertising of Cities.

Christian Science Monitor: The campaign being carried on at present by San Francisco and New Orleans, in behalf of their respective claims for recognition by the national government in relation to the proposed Panama exposition, is serving to call attention to the fact that communities as well as corporations, firms and individuals in these days are learning more and more of the value of publicity. There is a vast difference, of course, between publicity in the proper sense and notoriety in any sense, and it is due as much to a better and higher understanding of advertising as to any other cause that communities are now engaged, through the medium of publicity bureaus, etc., in making liberal use of printer's ink.

Hand in hand with a desire to be known for their special advantages and attractions, whatever these may be, cities are becoming more and more sensitive with regard to the circumstances under which they are brought to public attention in the newspapers. It is an evidence of improved public taste, certainly, and of growing civic pride, that the average resident of the average community does not take kindly to the association of the name of his town or city with stories of scandal, calamity or crime. People everywhere are learning rapidly to understand that there must be a great deal of good in those communities whose names are commonly associated with what is reprehensible in the news dispatches. And this growth of knowledge along right lines gives immense weight to the protests of those who demand that their home towns or home cities shall not be constantly referred to, either seriously or jocosely, in connection with political turmoil or corruption, social disorder, rioting or lawlessness in any form. Towns and cities, like individuals, have too often been unjustly given "bad names," and not a few communities have suffered immeasurable material losses, to say nothing of what they have suffered morally, from the constant imputing to them of vices or weaknesses of which as a whole they were entirely guiltless.

The charge that has come about in this respect, like other charges welcome and beneficent in the attitude and atmosphere of communities, and especially the large cities, is due in great part to the growing sense of individual responsibility in public affairs. With the sense of individual responsibility comes a sense of individual influence and strength. Every citizen should share the concern of the mass. He should feel personally interested in everything that affects for good or ill the community of which he is a part. If he be a good citizen he will not attempt to avoid the responsibilities which his citizenship entails. He will not only "stand up" for his city on every necessary occasion, but he will do his utmost toward making it a city worth standing up for.

A Deck of Cards.

A deck of card has many hearts,
But never falls in love;
It has, I'm told, at times, cold hands
That never wear a glove;
Although the deck is often cut,
You never hear it squeal;
It ne'er complains whene'er it gets
A downright shameful deal.
To draw a card, a pencil you
Will never need at all;
A hand of cards don't visit, though
It sometimes gets a call;
To hold one's temper in a game
Is very little use,
For if you pick a two-spot up,
You're sure to raise the deuce.
—Smart Set.

THE RIGHT IDEA FOR CITIES.

The Outlook: The "new municipal idea" was the dominant note of the Buffalo meeting of the National Municipal league. It was defined by the secretary, Clinton Rogers Woodruff, to be the placing of the emphasis on the welfare of the city, rather than on the interest of a party or a candidate. It requires that city affairs be given a due consideration on their merits, without regard to irrelevant questions, such as state or national politics. It insists upon directness of nomination, election and responsibility after election; demands simplicity of electoral and governmental machinery, the short ballot and responsiveness to the public will, and therefore, encourages easy and intelligent voting, checks partisan and factional domination, giving voters control, if they wish to exercise it. Through publicity it insures effective control; demands that efficiency and merit shall be the sole basis of all appointments in a democracy, and demands concentration of authority and responsibility.

The Hon. William Dudley Foulke, who succeeds Former Attorney General Bonaparte as president of the league, further elaborated this view in his inaugural address on "The Conservation of Our Municipal Resources." He pointed out that every city, every township, every county, in America is the possessor of property of great value. The streets, the roads, the parks, and many of the public buildings, if they were in the hands of private individuals, could be made to produce an enormous income; "while no one will say that they ought to be made productive to the same extent or in the same way in the hands of a municipal government, yet they ought to be made far more productive than they ever have been, and their economical management in the future, in spite of all of the waste in the past, can still result in a substantial reduction of all municipal budgets."

In Germany no fewer than 1,500 towns and villages own so much common land and so wisely manage it, that their inhabitants pay neither rates nor taxes. Much of their income is derived from communal forest land. After reviewing various municipal undertakings, such as electric lighting, street railways and water power, Mr. Foulke said: "These are legitimate municipal enterprises. They depend for success upon the same principles which lead our ablest financiers to seek investments in the water power of the nation, which it will be the work of national conservation to keep for the benefit of our whole people. Our cities are now beginning to show the requisite business sagacity in the development of these public service enterprises. It is a phase in that evolution which will ultimately make of our municipalities business corporations which may well rival the most prosperous and profitable of the municipalities of Europe."

"Beautiful Snow."

(Printed by request.)

Oh! the snow, the beautiful snow,
Filling the sky and the earth below;
Over the housetops, over the street,
Dancing, flirting, skimming along.
Beautiful snow, it can do nothing wrong;
Flying to kiss a fair lady's cheek,
Clinging to lips in a frolicksome freak;
Beautiful snow, from the heavens above,
Pure as an angel, and fickle as love.

Oh! the snow, the beautiful snow,
How the flakes gather and laugh as they go
Whirling about in their maddening fun,
It plays in its glee with every one—
Chasing, laughing, hurrying by,
It lights up the face and it sparkles the eye,
And even the dogs, with a bark and a bound,
Snap at the crystals that eddy around—
The town is alive and its heart is aglow
To welcome the coming of the beautiful snow.

How the wild crowd goes swaying along,
Hailing each other with humor and song;
How the gay sledges like meteors flash by,
Bright for a moment, then lost to the eye!
Ringing, swinging, dashing they go
Over the crust of the beautiful snow—
Snow so pure when it falls from the sky,
To be trampled in mud by the crowd rushing by—
To be trampled and tracked by the thousands of feet.
Till it blends with the filth in the horrible street.

Once I was pure as the snow—but I fell,
Fell, like the snowflakes, from heaven to hell;
Fell, to be tramped as the filth in the street;
Fell, to be scoffed, to be spit on, and beat.
Pleading, cursing, dreading to die,
Selling my soul to whoever would buy;
Dealing in shame for a morsel of bread,
Hating the living and fearing the dead.
Merciful God! have I fallen so low?
And yet I was once like this beautiful snow!

Once I was fair as the beautiful snow,
With an eye like its crystal, a heart like its glow;
Once I was loved for my innocent grace—
Flattered and sought for the charm of my face;
Father, mother, sister and all,
God, and myself, I have lost by my fall;
The veriest wretch that goes shivering by,
Will make a wide sweep lest I wander too nigh;
For all that is on or above me I know
There's nothing that's pure but the beautiful snow.

How strange it should be that this beautiful snow
Should fall on a sinner with nowhere to go!
How strange it would be, when the night comes again,
If the snow and the ice struck my desperate brain!
Fainting, freezing, dying alone,
Too wicked for prayer, too weak for a moan
To be heard in the crash of the crazy town,
Gone mad in the joy of the snow coming down;
To lie and to die in my terrible woe,
With a bed and a shroud of the beautiful snow.
—John W. Watson.

Good Hunting.

Youth's Companion: It was at St. Andrews in Scotland, the home of golf, where the links stretch away over the moors by the sea, and dear, quiet Aunt Mary had gone up from London to visit a golfing family of nephews and nieces. At tea the first afternoon some one managed to stop talking golf long enough to ask, "Well, Aunt Mary, and how did you spend the morning?"

"Oh, I enjoyed myself immensely, my dear. I went for a walk on the moor. "A good many people seemed to be about, and some of them called out to me in a most eccentric manner. But I didn't take any notice of them. And, oh, my dear, I found such a number of curious little round things! I brought them home to ask you what they are."

Hereupon Aunt Mary opened her work bag, and produced twenty-four golf balls.

Business Acumen.

National Monthly: Ikey Spinsky's motor car was speeding along the crowded thoroughfare. Something went wrong with the car and the chauffeur became helpless.

"Do something, do something," said Ikey.

"I've done everything I can," said the chauffeur.

"Then you've lost control of it?" Ikey anxiously inquired.

"Yes, sir," said the chauffeur.

"Are you absolutely sure that you cannot stop it?"

"Yes, sir."

Ikey lay back and closed his eyes. "Then run it into something cheap," he sa'd.

SATURDAY NIGHT TALK

The Fine Art of Coming Back.

From the dictionary of the street, "come back," a popular phrase, meaning a successful return to the struggle after being worsted, as for example "the Yale team came back yesterday in royal shape" or "Maj. Magnificent after being thought done for by his enemies has re-entered politics and is again the leading man in his state."

Colloquial though it is and of course not to be commended for constant use in young ladies' boarding schools, current slang, now and then, holds the germ of a valuable moral lesson. This talk in the arena of athletics and politics about coming back, suggests recovery and retrieval of life after one is supposed to be down and out, or the bettering of a distinctly bad situation, and why not, pray?

Fallen opportunities may be restored. We have had one popular president of the United States in recent years, who, after middle life, retrieved himself financially, shouldering and discharging debts that might have staggered a man less determined and conscientious. More than one man in the ranks, also, has failed, only to grit his teeth for the next tussle with the cold, hard world—ready to learn from his mistakes, eager to regain a position of independence, ingenious in discovering new paths to success, willing to invest every ounce of energy in the effort.

Such men have gotten square again with their creditors and solved the bread and butter problem for themselves and their dear ones. Here in America particularly, one should not despair even though he has suffered serious reverses. The mineral and agricultural resources of the country are by no means exhausted. New industries must spring up to meet the constantly developing wants of mankind, and really good men, that is, industrious, honest, persevering, good tempered, capable men are not too plentiful in any line of work.

The rebuilding of friendship is another glorious possibility. One of your keenest sorrows is due to the fact that you have broken with one whose companionship once enriched your daily life, whose welfare was your constant concern. Oh, yes, it may be the other party's fault, and you yourself may be the victim of misunderstanding and injustice; but aren't your own friendly instincts great enough to do everything in your power to re-establish the relationship? It is the hour for the display of magnanimity, of forgiveness. The other party may be waiting for the olive branch, and it may be your privilege to extend it first. How glad you will be when the sweet, dear ties are of binding force once more, that you did have the courage and grace to take the initiative.

The moral life, if it amounts to anything, is a series of retrievals. We all slip away from the moorings which once held up; we all drop below the level of our moments of vision and consecration. We must get back over and over again, if not to the innocency of childhood at least to its trustfulness. We must all get back to the point where we were before we yielded to that overmastering temptation. "Is the battle lost?" said the commanding officer to the captain of a fleeing company. "Yes," was his reply, as he hurried along with the rest. But the great general seized his sword and rallied those about him with the cry. "This battle may be lost, but there is yet time to win another." That is the message of each new day to us—"Never mind about yesterday, today affords the chance to win."

These three essential steps in any coming back process are: Confession, right about face, and immediate entrance upon the straight, hard path that leads to the place where we were.

"And while he was yet a great way off, his father saw him."

THE PARSON.

Not an Inspiriting Document.

New York Evening Post: It is a disappointing form which President Taft has given his annual message to congress. In the first place, it is inordinately long. It can be neither generally read, nor even printed. The Evening Post surrenders more than two pages of space to it, but that is less than two-thirds of the whole! The parts omitted, moreover, are mostly in the nature of routine reports from the departments, which can be spared without a pang. But the second criticism which must be made of the message is more serious. It is not inspiring; it gives no positive lead. This will be the more depressing to the president's party, because in the hour of defeat and in a time of great confusion, it would have welcomed a vigorous initiative, would have hailed a new watch-word. But instead of issuing a call to action, Mr. Taft has written a tedious judicial review. There are excellent positions taken in it, and many sound principles are laid down; but it is not the production of a born leader, scanning the political field and seeing where broken ranks can be formed again and fresh heart put into discouraged men. Republicans were looking to the president to give them an inspiriting ode in time of hesitation. Instead, they get a large wet blanket.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

New York Press: A girl understands men so well because she pretends not to.

The greatest of mistakes is thinking you can't make them.

Some men can cook up excuses for themselves even for being in politics.

When a woman can keep from talking in a card game it's a sign she will never play.

When a girl gets so along in years she has got to cut down her age the strongest believer in her figures is her mother.

Pointed Paragraphs.

Chicago News: Occasionally a baldheaded man has a hairbreadth escape.

Men who are rolling in wealth should find a better use for it.

The man who is unable to appreciate wisdom has none of his own.

Every man knows what he would do—until the time arrives for doing it.

And a woman never believes she is too fat until things begin to slide off her lap.

When two souls have but a single thought the thought is to the effect that they are affinities.

The bachelor who marries an old flame need not expect her to get up and kindle the kitchen fire.

Never ask a girl to name the prettiest of her sex present at any given place. It is awfully embarrassing for a modest maid.

Perpetual motion seems to be an impossibility, but you can't make the father of strenuous twins believe it.

And it frequently happens that a widow is firmly convinced that she is a living example of the survival of the fittest.

A Litany for the Holidays.

From Behind the Counter.

Oh, weary days of ceaseless clamor!
Oh, drudgery devoid of glamour!
Good people, think!
Oh, hordes of wild belated shoppers,
Of bustling Ma's and flippant Poppers,
Good people, think!
Of haughty dames and lofty lasses,
Of leering dudes and flirting asses,
Good people, think!
Of fussy folks and cranky buyers,
Of stupid lunks and fluent liars,
Good people, think!
Of angry words and ugly scowling,
Of children's shrieks and baby howling,
Good people, think!
Of fetid air and headache splitting,
Of standing, standing, never sitting,
Good people, think!
Of fainting spells and dizzy reelings,
Of broken health and wounded feelings,
Good people, think!
Of ills that threaten to surmount her,
The girl that stands behind the counter,
Good people, stop and think!
—Charles Irvin Junkin in Harper's Weekly.

A DEPOSED KING

No. 1.

By SAVOYARD.

The Democratic tidal wave of 1910 means several things.

First, tariff graft has gone far enough and the Payne-Aldrich bill is in big degree responsible for the extortionate high cost of living.

Second, the people respect the judiciary, and will have none of this odious imperialism that comes under the guise of "new nationalism."

Third, what Washington declined, and what was denied to Grant, Col. Roosevelt shall not have, and the question of a third term in 1912, or other time during this generation, was emphatically pronounced against and irrevocably determined adversely in 1910.

Fourth, not even is Theodore Roosevelt big enough man to be all things to all men, one thing at the East, another at the West, one thing at the North and another at the South.

If Col. Roosevelt had any dignity, had he conducted himself in retirement as did Grover Cleveland or Ben Harrison, to go no further back, he would have remained not only the first citizen of the republic, but he would have been the most influential personality of our hemisphere. Instead he itched for his former power, and I have no respect for the veracity or intelligence of any man who is not willing to say that the campaign Theodore Roosevelt made in 1910 was with a view to a third term in 1912. No wonder the result made him speechless.

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As a Southern man, and speaking from a Southern standpoint, I have no hesitancy in saying that William Howard Taft is the best president his party ever gave the country, though I have no doubt that had the Southern born and Southern blooded Lincoln lived he would have proved the best friend the South ever had, and saved that section 10,000 cruel and felon stabs. Taft is a splendid man. The pity is that he was bred to the bar rather than to the forum. He had read Blackstone and not Adam Smith He had studied John Marshall and Roger B. Taney, and not Alexander Hamilton and Thomas Jefferson. He was a lawyer, and a great one, and pity 'tis, that as a practical politician he is a poor one. But President Taft is a great man, a broad man, and what is better to the point, he is a good man, and as much president of the South as he is of the North, something Lincoln did not have opportunity to be, and something no other Republican president ever was. All honor to William H. Taft—he is a man who, made to see the right, will do the right as resolutely as Grover Cleveland himself.

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Well, the colonel got back from hunting some varmints and snakes and things in Africa. He had made Taft president because he feared that he could not make Root president, though it were an easy task to have landed the great trust-builder in that office, in view of Mr. Bryan's czarship in the other camp. As when Napoleon Bonaparte got back from his hunt and slaughter of men in Africa, more than a century earlier, Col. Roosevelt was not only taciturn, but mysterious. Was he a standpatter, as had been all the ninety months he was president, or had he shifted his flag and got to be an insurgent? The whole country stood with open mouth to catch the drippings of original virtue, as it percolated from that inexhaustible and never-failing fount of patriotism and infallibility.

The colonel was not only taciturn and mysterious, but he was interesting. Insurgents made pilgrimages to Oyster Bay and came away smiling. Standpatters penetrated to his sacred presence, and they too came away smiling. Weeks and weeks passed and not a word came from that garrulous tongue to encourage the Taft administration that had been assailed so cruelly, and, I believe, so unjustly—all but the tariff part of it—and if William Howard Taft shall ever grasp the true iniquity of the dogma of protection he will smash it. For that sort of job I would not give him for a regiment of Roosevelts. Soon it became understood by everybody with sense enough to herd a flock of geese or manipulate a panel of drawbars that the colonel was for himself and agin the administration.

Unadvisedy, as I believe, though the results seem and perhaps does challenge my view, the Taft administration handed the New York State Republican convention over to Roosevelt and he eat it up blood raw. Here is what William R. Nelson said of it in his Kansas City Star, by the way, about as good a newspaper as you ever saw:

"Advices from Saratoga are to the effect that Col. Roosevelt met and adjourned."

And so he did. He routed the "Old Guard," he got possession of the machine, and he had not a doubt that he would sweep the state by 200,000 majority. Hearst, whom he had commissioned Elihu Root to denounce as responsible for the murder of McKinley, now engaged with Roosevelt "as thick as Brindle with Cherry," and the circumstances recalls the figure of Edmund Burke of the trundle bed, which I am sorry to say is too coarse to print in politer times, it fits so well and so appropriately.

It was the dirtiest campaign since 1884, and the colonel threw more mud than any one else. Everybody who disagreed with him was "a d——d jackass and a crook." That was his own language. It would take the pen of a Swift, or a Voltaire, or a Pope, to describe that campaign. The colonel went out to Ossawatomie to eulogize John Brown, who would have put the knife to the throats of 6,000,000 whites, mostly women and children, and the torch to their roofs, to free a single negro slave. But the colonel didn't "eulogize" that old lunatic much. He was exceeding perfunctory. Can it be that he was looking for Southern delegates and Southern votes in 1912? Perhaps. John S. Wise might be able to help in Virginia.

But the colonel is a politician of all colors. Jefferson Davis, whatever one may think of his political conduct, was as perfect and elegant a gentleman in his social walk as mankind has produced. In a magazine, or book, or other publication, written by Roosevelt, Mr. Davis discovered a glaring error touching himself. A gentleman from skin to marrow, and from marrow to skin, Mr. Davis supposed he was doing the young man a kindness to call his attention to the mistake and refer him to authentic documents, the scrutiny of which would set him right.

With the insolence of the ruffian, the reply came back to that venerable gentleman, old enough to be his grandfather:

"Mr. Theodore Roosevelt can hold no communication with Mr. Jefferson Davis!"

Hold, there is a sequel to the episode. That was Jefferson Davis living; but Jefferson Davis dead, Theodore Roosevelt made a pilgrimage to Vicksburg to eulogize him! Think of it, you Southron.

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Had not such popes of Rome granted indulgences to commit sin nobody would have heard of Martin Luther. Apparently, Theodore Roosevelt thinks he has indulgence to be all things political. Col. Nelson, his ablest and his most powerful defender and his most eloquent and enthusiastic eulogist, says Roosevelt was the Saratoga convention of 1910. That convention indorsed the Payne-Aldrich tariff. Why?

I'll tell you. It was for boodle. It was an attempt to "fry the fat" out of the manufacturers, as had been done a score of times before. Roosevelt knows the Republicans have not carried the country since 1872 except with the strongest cash-box. The presidency was bought for Garfield in 1880. It was bought for Harrison in 1888. It was bought twice—once certainly—bought for McKinley, and in 1904 Cortelyou had at command one of the most opulent boodle funds boss ever handled, or monopoly ever contributed. That is history.

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Is it not a natural as well as a curious series of circumstances that as soon as Mr. Bryan was supposed to abdicate the czarship of the Democratic party, victory perched on that banner? Mr. Garber, Bryan's man in Ohio, issued a manifesto that meant that "the Peerless One and the Matchless" was agin Harmon. What was Ohio's response? Read it in the 108,000 majority Ohio gave Harmon for re-election as governor.

Bryan says that Roosevelt stole Bryan's principles, as he calls them, and as the Populists forged them. What is the result? Democratic Maine, Democratic Massachusetts, Democratic Connecticut, Democratic New York, Democratic New Jersey, Democratic West Virginia, Democratic Ohio, Democratic Indiana, and Democratic everything "except hell and Vermont," as my dear murdered friend Ed Carmack put it.

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That was not accidental. This is an Anglo-Saxon nation. We are not France. We have laws; that is, we have fundamental principles of liberty, and if we are to remain a Republic we know we must worship in temples reared by our fathers, hold on to the altars erected therein by our fathers, and drink deep and copious from the wells dug by our fathers.

Teddy has now descended to the level of the mere agitator, along with Bryan. He is that and only that, and soon he will cast a very short shadow.

$1,000,000 FOR FIGHT AGAINST TUBERCULOSIS IS THE AIM

AMERICAN RED CROSS
MERRY CHRISTMAS · HAPPY NEW YEAR
1910

"A million for tuberculosis from Red Cross seals" is the aim of the National Anti-Tuberculosis association this year. That is hardly more than one seal for every man, woman and child in the United States. Last year 25,000,000 were sold. This year, everything is in favor of a huge sale and all prospects point toward 100,000,000 before New Year's day, 1911.

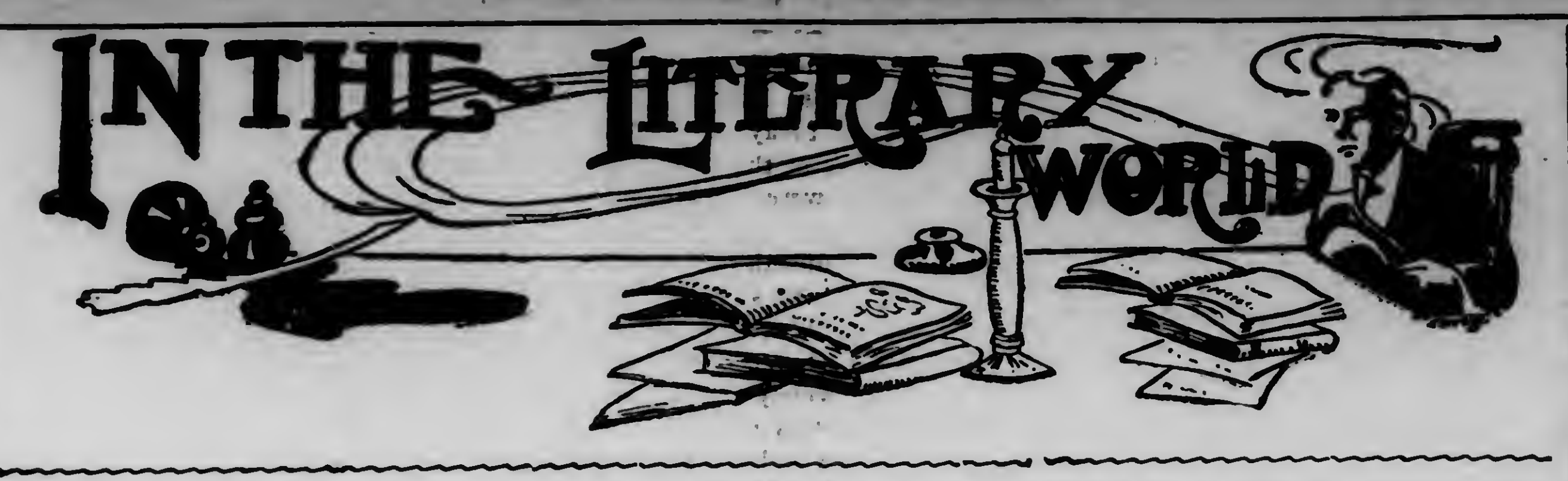
In order that this large number of Red Cross seals may be sold, however, the co-operation of all sorts of groups of people has been and is being asked. Women's clubs have joined hands with regular anti-tuberculosis societies and committees, while lodges, labor unions, civic and social bodies of all kinds have offered to help. Department stores and merchants' associations are doing all that they can to push the sale of Christmas seals, and newspapers are most liberal in the amount of space they are giving for the description and free advertisement of the campaign. The large national magazines, too, are granting free space for the advertising of the sale, while many corporations, banks, and other business concerns have bought thousands of seals and are helping in every way. The school boys and girls are selling seals in many parts of the country. There is, therefore, a chance for everybody both to sell and to buy Red Cross seals. Every penny added helps toward a million, and it is only by these little additions that the big sum will be realized.

In Duluth every one of these agencies is at work and it is expected that during this holiday season, this city will most emphatically place its approval and support in the nation wide movement. The women's clubs of the city have given their support to the movement and this evening at the Civic banquet at the Spalding, Mrs. Florence Lee, the visiting nurse for the Duluth branch of the society will be one of the speakers. She will make vivid to all her hearers the value and need of the work that is being done in the city for the prevention of tuberculosis.

The Christmas seals are for sale in every department store of the city; the local theaters and moving picture houses have given their most cordial support; and business firms throughout Duluth have been most generous in their support. But the boys and girls of Duluth are perhaps the most active individual workers and just among the schools of the city more than 70,000 seals have been distributed.

The Duluth society hopes especially to secure funds enough to add another visiting nurse to the one, now in the employ of the society.

Foley Kidney Pills are tonic in action, quick in results, and restore the natural action of the kidneys and bladder. They correct irregularities. Sold by all druggists.



THE AMERICAN COMMONWEALTH. By James Bryce. New and completely revised edition in two volumes. New York: The Macmillan company. $4 net.

For more than twenty years Bryce's American Commonwealth has been the standard work on the American system of government, not only in this country, but throughout the world. Now it appears anew, revised, brought up to date and corrected—though, in a large way, it is true that no correction was needed except as recent history has revised the spirit of American political institutions. The revision—which is nearly a rewriting—has been done from the vantage point of residence in this country, where the author has been for several years as British Ambassador.

Mr. Bryce brings to this work the same broad vision, the same warm sympathy with preliminary democracy, the same unerring penetration and the same lucid power of conveying facts that characterized the first edition—all broadened and deepened by riper experience. It is a book that should be in the home of every American citizen who wishes a solid foundation of understanding of American institutions on which to build his citizenship.

Though nothing he has ever said has brought a harsh response, Mr. Bryce did not spare criticism in his first edition, nor does he spare it now. Yet, hopeful as he was before of the future of American democracy, he is more hopeful now. "It was with some anxiety," he says, "that I entered on this revision, fearing lest the hopeful spirit with which my observation of American institutions from 1870 to 1894 had inspired me might be dampened by a close re-examination of their most recent phases. But all I have seen and heard during the last few years makes me more hopeful for the future of popular government. The forces working for good seem stronger today than they have been for the last three generations."

James Bryce is beyond all question the most competent, the most fair and the most sincere critic of American institutions who ever has written his impressions of this country. John Graham Brooks, in his splendid volume "As Others See Us," an entertaining and comprehensive review of European criticism of America, rightly declares that Bryce is superior even to Tocqueville, and that he is "clearly our greatest critic."

A new and revised edition of his work, in which something of the new spirit of popular government has been caught, is, therefore, a real and important event.

Mr. Bryce's notes of 1910 are especially interesting, as where he reports an improvement in state legislation, and a tendency toward more active and vigilant control of legislative bodies by public opinion; and where he notes with keen interest a growing tendency on the part of the people to take the power of legislation into their own hands through the initiative and the referendum.

It is worthy of note, too, that this is the only authorized and accurate edition published. When the book first appeared it was before the days of the international copyright, and it was, therefore, only partially protected in the United States. It was natural that so important a work should appeal to the pirates, and many garbled and incomplete editions have been placed on the market without indication of their misleading character. These editions do not even contain the highly important changes of the 1910 edition, which even includes statistics from the 1910 census, so far as they were available when the revision was completed.

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TWENTY YEARS AT HULL HOUSE. With autobiographical notes. By Jane Addams. New York: The Macmillan company. $2.50 net.

This is the noble story of a noble life, though its purpose is merely to give the story of Hull House and a modest glimpse of the personality that made it. It is interesting as a story of the establishment of this first American settlement, and of its early trials. It is more interesting still from the human viewpoint as the life story of the splendid woman who has given her life to humanity and has made it so well worth while by her service at Hull House and elsewhere.

It is curious that Miss Addams as a child of 7, should have declared that when she grew up she was going to have a large house, not among other large houses but "right in the midst of horrid little houses" like those of the squalid poor, with whose lives she then first became acquainted. Her recollections of the childhood of this little, crook-backed, introspective child are very tender and very charming.

Now that settlement work has become so fixed an institution in American life—tragic though it is that it should still be needed—it is interesting indeed to have Miss Addams tell of her pioneering in that work, and of the struggles and failures, disappointments and triumphs, that befell. It is interesting, too, to know so intimately the splendid personality that is so largely the protagonist of this work, and to avail one's self of this insight thus afforded into the character of the individual who was directed into this fine service to disinherited humanity.

Hull House was begun in 1889 by Miss Addams and Ellen Gates Starr. The story of its beginnings, its growth, its activities, its contact with big problems of sociology, politics and economics, together with Miss Addams' poignant observations on poverty, Socialism, trades unionism and other allied subjects, is intensely interesting. A chapter of peculiar interest and timeliness is that which describes Miss Addams' visit to Tolstoi, who fingered her wide sleeves—much wider sleeves being then in vogue—and demanded to know how she could square such frippery with her knowledge of the needs of the poor.

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BACON IS SHAKESPEARE. By Sir Edwin Durning-Lawrence, Bt. Together with a Reprint of Bacon's Promus of Formularies and Elegances. New York: The John McBride company.

Sir Edwin is a thorough-going cryptogrammarian. He can quote figures and find significances that will make the average reader dizzy, and then will throw in a few more, apparently just for good measure. And after every series of mystic enumerations he raises his trumpet and blares forth an unqualified assertion that he has "proved once more" that Bacon is Shakespeare. It must be confessed that his cryptograms are interesting, and if one is disposed to believe in that kind of evidence they undoubtedly would prove convincing. But unless one is so disposed the portions of Sir Edwin's book that deal with simpler matters are much more convincing than are the chapters of near-mathematics. Of one thing Sir Edwin makes himself sure, and that is that "the unlettered rustic of Stratford, never able to read a single line of print," did not write the plays that bear his name. But he does not stop with that, and his account of the life and work of Francis Bacon goes far toward at least furnishing ground for suspicions that the famous jurist may have been their author. In his attack on Shakespeare he reproduces pictures of the original monument at Stratford, showing the subject with a wool-sack or money-bag hugged to his stomach and contrasts it with the newer monument in which the subject is dignified with a pen and paper. He shows the peculiar construction of the portrait in the folio of 1623, which is made up of "two left arms and a mask," and would have us believe that the mask is meant to hide the face of Bacon. With this he quotes the lines ascribed to Ben Jonson—"Look not on his picture, but his book," and finds other significances in the same stanza of introduction.

Sir Edwin's arguments to show that the Stratfordian could not have written the plays are but a variation of those furnished in Mark Twain's "Is Shakespeare Dead?" and he quotes Mark Twain, Lord Palmerston, Richard Monckton Milnes, Ralph Waldo Emerson, John Greenleaf Whittier, Dr. William Furness, Prince Bismarck, and John Bright, the last named of whom wrote that "any man that believes that William Shakespeare of Stratford wrote Hamlet or Lear is a fool."

But when Sir Edwin gets off from the argument based on known facts and gets to work with his cryptograms and his interpretation of honorificabilitudinitatibus (the long word found in "Love's Labor's Lost" on page 136 of the folio edition of 1623), he gets into a realm in which the layman may find some difficulty in following him. The long word, he interprets as meaning "Hi ludi F. Baconis nati tuiti orbi—There plays, Francis Bacon's production, are preserved to the world." To owners of copies of the 1623 folio it will be interesting to learn that Sir Edwin holds it to be a corrected edition of the plays, compiled and edited by Francis Bacon himself.

All told, Sir Edwin makes a strong case for his proposition that the Stratford man, who he declares "could not so much as manage to scrawl his own name," could not have written the plays. His efforts to prove that Bacon wrote them are less convincing, though he makes it plain that that is a possible solution of the question of their authorship. The book is generously illustrated with plates and engravings.

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THE SHERIFF OF DYKE HOLE. By Ridgwell Cullum, Philadelphia: George W. Jacobs & Co. $1.50.

An old time cowboy made a confession the other day that was good for his soul and edifying to those folk who get an occasional thrill from the tales of the West when it was wild and woolly, as published by the Eastern magazines. He said the average cowboy was a rough, uncouth person who swore ungrammatically, had little or no respect for the weak, regarded superior strength as the only law, liked to shoot up a town and threaten the innocent bystander, bully the proverbial tenderfoot and cringe and fawn like any beaten man when forced to take his own medicine.

These facts concerning this phase of the so-called West, while of course overdrawn, are well known to those people familiar with the West, its history, its trials, its achievements and its hopes. These people catch the romance and the mystery of the West, but they do not put a veneer on it so that it will appeal to the East. The New England morality and the New England conscience retain their forms of two centuries ago. The New England conception of the West has not changed since the days of Bleeding Kansas or the pilgrimage of the Forty-niners.

The East must have its West although no West exists in the sense of personalities, forms and habits characteristically Western, for Western people boss the East, Western people are cosmopolitan, Western people buy an occasional gown in Paris, read the Outlook and subscribe for the Atlantic Monthly. But the East must have its Jack-in-the-box so Ridgwell Cullum undertakes to gratify what our cub reporter designates as a "longfelt want."

Mr. Cullum writes amateurishly. His work lacks polish and is wanting in originality.

The story begins in London and probably to the Londoner it will be of absorbing interest. The theme concerns Dick Roydon, who falls heir to a fortune on condition that he shall hunt and find his foster father's wife and daughter. He seeks them out, going to Montana for the purpose. He has enough stirring adventures in Montana to make the hair of the most highly barbered Londoner rise from its plastered horizontalism. The Western sheriff, usually a politician "in right," is "a blunt, bluff, honest Westerner. He is the type of man that children instinctively love, that women go to in trouble, that brave men admire, and evil doers avoid. The quoted comment is from the publishers' criticism

"The Sheriff of Dyke Hole" will not cause a stir in the West but it is likely to interest those whose preconceived notions of the old West it squares with.

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MADEMOISELLE CELESTE. By Adele Ferguson Knight. Philadelphia: George W. Jacobs & Co. $1.50.

The French revolution has been the theme of many tales and it probably will be utilized as the basis for stories by many authors living and unborn. Adele Ferguson Knight finds a plot in an incident of the revolution and she weaves an interesting romance out of it. She makes no pretense of revealing the intimate life of any of the prominent personages of that sanguinary period in the history of the French. Her story is a fabric of romanticism interestingly woven from bright colored though well worn material. The fact that there have been other exciting romances dealing with love in France and revolution in Paris does not rob the book of its charm or interest.

Franz de Beaurepeua is a Republican and a member of the National Guard. He loves Mademoiselle Celeste, Countess de Lavarolle, an aristocrat. Her parents die on the scaffold of the guillotine and she is doomed to death but is saved at the steps of the instrument of death by Franz.

A strong man, physically and mentally, whom Mademoiselle knows as Victor, is a friend of Franz. Without questioning his friend's motives he escorts Mademoiselle across France to the coast. He and the young woman have exciting adventures and the countess falls in love with her guide. He wins the lady when Franz goes back to fight for his country, relinquishing his sweetheart to his friend.

Victor is a duke in disguise. He does not fight any duels or vanquish a standing army, but overcomes his enemies by his wits and a well directed blow with his fist now and then where it will do the most good. "Mademoiselle Celeste" is a pleasant evening's reading.

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THE BOY AVIATORS' POLAR DASH. By Capt. Wilbur Lawton. New York: Hurst & Co. 50 cents.

Here we have another of Capt. Lawton's thrilling stories of the adventures of Harry and Frank Chester in their famous aeroplane, the Golden Eagle. This time they go with Capt. Robert Hazzard, a young army officer, on a government expedition to the South pole. While the actual attainment of the pole was the main object of the dash southward, the expedition was likewise to do all in its power to add to the slender stock of the world's knowledge concerning the great silences south of the 80th parallel. The trip was made to the Southern seas in a stanch bark-rigged whaler, the Southern Cross, purchased for uses of the expedition. Facing death in the Antarctic is the book's sub-title, and readers of Capt. Lawton's former stories can readily imagine that here is a field that affords him the fullest opportunity.

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THE AEROPLANE EXPRESS. By Ashton Lamar. Chicago. The Reilly & Britton company. 60 cents.

Roy Osborn, the "live wire" of "The Aeroplane Express," one of a new series of four books by Ashton Lamar, certainly knew the knock of opportunity when he heard the noise at his door. The American Aeroplane company took an order from a Western miner for a flying machine, with the understanding that a first-class operator must be sent along to run it. It was to be used as a means of communication and transportation of emergency supplies between a group of mines located in Arizona's most inaccessible regions. Young Osborn seized his opportunity with a running jump. The idea of being the first person in all the world to bring the aeroplane into commercial utility was a promise of fame not to be lost. Then, too, the opportunity for adventure in the wild spots of a rugged country held a charm hardly less important. A character of importance in the story is "Sink Weston," a supposedly half-witted frontiersman, as interesting as he is rough and faithful. He becomes the guide for the young aviator and with his assistance Roy's adventures begin and they do not end until he has seen the last surviving representatives of the "lost tribe" of Indians, and solved the mystery of the "White God of the Sink Hole." Incidentally he admirably succeeds in establishing the projected Aeroplane express and also in proving that Weston is sane enough to win fame and fortune, not only for himself, but for the young aviator as well.

Of Books And Writers.

The author of "The Quests of Paul Beck," McDonnell Bodkin, the Irish judge, whose celebrated detective "Paul Beck" is ranked among the most astute investigators in fiction, has ready for publication early in 1911, by Little, Brown & Co., "The Capture of Paul Beck." This new Paul Beck book introduces a woman detective, "Dora Myrl," whose wits are pitted against those of the invincible Beck.

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Frederic S. Isham, author of "The Social Buccaneer," is about to take a trip to Kashmir and Afghanistan. His favorite novel is "Kim," and he wants to see the Kim country.

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Mary Roberts Rinehart, who wrote "The Window at the White Cat," "When a Man Marries," etc., is in Vienna, where her husband, a Pittsburg physician, is pursuing special medical studies.

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Robert Alexander Wason, the humorist, author of "The Steering Wheel" and "Happy Hawkins," ran for congress from his Indiana district on the Socialist ticket. He was not elected.

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In the visitor's register in the reception room of Doubleday, Page & Co.'s new building at Garden City, N. Y., may be found this unique entry by the popular dare devil aviator, Charlie Hamilton:

"On August 20, I had the pleasure of looking down on the new Doubleday, Page & Co. building.—Charles K. Hamilton."

Among the Magazines.

The December number of the North American Review, with a notable table of contents, appears in a new and enlarged form. The type is large, the paper fine, and the whole appearance thorughly in keeping with the dignity of the periodical. "Some Lessons of the Election," by Edward G. Lowry, is a fair analysis of the political situation as the result of Election day. The article on "Lyof N. Tolstoy," by W. D. Howells, the master American critic of the great Russian, is reprinted from the December, 1908, number of the Review. Charles M. Harger makes a valuable contribution in his "The Land Movement and Western Finance." "The Clew to Modern Italy," by William Roscoe Thayer, is a scholarly resume written with authority and by a lover of Italy. An essay of exceptional literary charm appears under the title "Darkeners of Counsel" by Beulah B. Amram. The Rev. Philip S. Moxom, D.D., writes on "The Child and Social Reform." An article which will be valuable for reference is that on "Popular Election of United States Senators." The data compiled in historical form is the work of John W. Perrin of Case Library, Cleveland. "The International Fame of Mark Twain" is an agreeable appreciation by Archibald Henderson.

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Among the strong adventure stories in the December month-end issue of the twice-a-month Popular Magazine, which was on sale Nov. 25, are: "His Heritage," a complete novel, by W. B. M. Ferguson; "Milady's Muff," a tragic tale of the North, by Bertrand W. Sinclair; "Beriberi," a mystery novelette, by Arthur Train; "The Pride of Getaway," an intimate study of a criminal, by Frederick R. Bechdolt; "Adventure," a stirring serial of the Solomons, by Jack London; "His Last Gamble," a short story, by H. R. Durant; "Shanley's Luck," a railroad story, by Frank L. Packard; "South Mountain Wireless" the story of a quick-thinking young dispatcher, by Paul Crissey, and "The Grapes of Wrath," a novel of the South, by Emerson Hough. In lighter vein are: "Sandy Sawyes, Sophomore," a breezy college story, by Ralph D. Paine; "A Hoodooed Drummer," the amusing narrative of a salesman's experiences, by Max Marcin; "Big Dividends," a tale of the too-ready friend in need, by Charles R. Barnes.

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O. Henry's last story, an unfinished Christmas tale, is the biggest thing in the January issue of Short Stories. It tells of sordid-respectable New York "roomers," and is full of those qualities that made O. Henry the greatest modern short story writer—his vivid picturing and imagery, his whimsical humor and never-bitter irony, his poignant sympathy with the men and women who toil. The issue is in all respects a notable one. The cover is a striking piece of color by Lejaren Hiller, two winsome dancers under a "spot" light. The collection of stories is the best yet offered—the first installment of a new series by Alfred Williams, "The Devil Machine;" Adolph Bennauer's latest fascinating tale, "The Man Who Might Have Been;" and some delightful humor by Harry Allyn, Edward F. Mason and R. Bigelow Lockwood. The many who watch for C. Hapsburg Liebe's work will appreciate his "Hearts of Two Mountains."

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The Christmas spirit is still apparent in the Delineator for January. There are beautiful Christmas illustrations in vivid color by Blanche Greer, Howard Chandler Christy, B. J. Rosenmeyer and James Moore Preston. The frontispiece is an illustration by Paul Meylan, for "Sarolta" and the cover design is a pretty girl in various shades of green. In "Conversazione," Erman J. Ridgway pleads for the understanding and happiness of little children. The fiction marks the beginning of "Sarolta," a new serial by Agnes and Egerton Castle. The scene of the opening installment is London, and the hero falls in love at first sight. The heroine's ambition to become an opera singer promises some interesting complications. There is a rollicking story of a proposal by Emery Pottle, and a sweet Christmas story by Miriam Cruikshank which tells of the subtle knitting of the bond of friendship between the descendants of the Puritans and the Hebrews who have come among us. The fourth story is by Mary Heaton Vorse, and a new series of "Letters From a Worldly Godmother" is begun.

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In the current issue of Harper's Weekly Edward J. Lowry writes upon "The New Deal in Congress." To the same number Charles Johnston contributes an article upon "The Third Conference of Governors." Other articles are: "Keeping Down Tire Expenses," by Herbert L. Towle; "Rummaging in a Royal Attic," by James F. J. Archibald—an interesting account of the discovery of historical relics at Castle Frohsdorf; "Cigars and the Women," by Carl Werner. William Inglis contributes a reminiscent account of the historic fight in which Corbett defeated Sullivan, and John Kendrick Bangs continues his amusing "Table d'Hote Talks." William Winter and Lawrence Gilman appear with their dramatic and musical reviews. This issue contains the usual editorial and humor pages.

Holiday Art Publications.

Raphael Tuck & Sons' art publications for the holiday season have made their appearance and, as usual, stand at the head of their class. The firm's output for this year in calendars, Christmas and New Year's cards and Christmas post cards, as well as toy books and various art novelties, presents a superb collection. In Christmas and New Year cards the novelties are legion. They are spread over a range of no less than 4,500 entirely new and distinct designs, all replete with character and beauty. The famous "autograph Christmas stationery" has upwards of 300 different styles. The popularity of the calendars will be greater than ever, judging from specimens received by The Herald. The designs painted for the purpose are from originals by gifted artists, while it is evident that the quotations have been selected with infinite care and judgment. A new edition of "Alice in Wonderland," by Lewis Carroll, is most characteristically and charmingly illustrated by Mabel Lucie Ottwell, and is an exceptionally attractive juvenile gift book.

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SOCIETY

The Civic banquet which will be served this evening at 7 o'clock at the Spalding will be the largest and most important affair of the week. The banquet is being given under the auspices of the Women's Council and a large number of Duluth men and women will attend. The out of town guest of honor will be Mrs. Fannie French Morse, superintendent of the Red Wing Training school who arrived this afternoon. Mrs. J. L. Washburn president of the Council, will preside as toast mistress and the assisting hostesses will be:

Mesdames A. M. Marshall, L. W. Kline, A. M. Miller, J. H. McLean, T W. Hawkes, William White, A. H. Brocklehurst, J. D. Morrison, E. A. Silberstein, O. H. Mather, E. W. Bohannon, Robert Smith, A. E. Paull, J. H. Crowley, N. F. Hugo, F. L. Barrows, L. K. Daugherty, T. J. Davis, R. N. Marble, M. R. Baldwin, G. A. Elder, R. E. Denfeld, E. W. Matter, J. F. Killorin, D H. Williams, S. Bergstrom, D. J. Gray and Theodore Hollister, and Misses Grace Duncan, Jean Poirier, Mary Statham, Ensign, Jessica Marshall, Irma Hartley, Mary Paine and Madge Millar.

The committee which has been in charge of the details of the banquet consists of Mesdames M. H. Kelley, G. A. Elder, E. W. Matter, Julia Barnes, R. N. Marble, F. L. Barrows and M. R. Baldwin.

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Mrs. Ashley Tomlinson entertained at a small tea Thursday afternoon in the new rose room of the Spalding at which Mrs. Ellis Millar announced the engagement of her daughter, Madge, to Henry Clay Beckwith, both of this city.

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Mrs. W. H. Cole and Mrs. Frank Fregeau received Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Cole at 2204 East First street. The receiving hours were from 3 to 6 o'clock. In the living room and dining room decorations of pink roses were used and yellow chrysanthemums were the decorations of the hall. The assisting hostesses were Mrs. Alexander Milne, Mrs. Edward Florada, Mrs. J. D. Titcomb and Mrs. Henry Damkroeger. La Brosse's orchestra played during the afternoon and 200 guests called.

December Weddings

Mr. and Mrs. William Walter Hoopes issued invitations during the week for the wedding of their daughter, Miss Gertrude Hoopes, to Walter Raymond McCarthy. The wedding will take place Saturday evening, Dec. 17, at the home of the bride's parents, 1801 Wallace street, Hunter's Park, before the relatives and immediate friends of the bride and her fiance. The wedding service will be read at 8 o'clock by the Rev. A. W. Ryan of St. Paul's church.

Miss Hoopes will have as her maid of honor, Miss Emelyn McDougall and the ribbon bearers will be Miss Florence Bradley and Miss Elsie Craswelier, and Mr. McCarthy will be attended by his brother, Fred McCarthy.

Mr. McCarthy and his bride will leave for a wedding trip and will return to Duluth for the holidays. Later they will leave for Cheyenne Wells, Colo., where they will be at home.

Miss Hoopes will be the guest of honor at a number of affairs before her marriage. Miss Susan Stryker entertained Thursday afternoon at a handkerchief shower at her home at Hunter's Park. Yesterday Miss McDougall entertained at a luncheon in compliment to Miss Hoopes at her home, 2201 East First street. Next Monday afternoon Mrs. S. E. Atkins will be hostess at an informal afternoon in compliment to her sister.

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The wedding of Miss Christine Ross, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George F. Ross, to Harry Smead of St. Paul, will take place Monday, Dec. 19, at the home of the bride's parents, 1511 East Second street. Only the immediate family will be present for the wedding. Mr. and Mrs. Ross will entertain at a dinner Saturday evening, Dec. 17, at the Panton & White tea rooms in compliment to their daughter and Mr. Smead. Covers will be laid for twenty-eight.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Watterworth will entertain at dinner Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Ross. Yesterday afternoon Mrs. F. E. Fregeau was hostess at a theater party at the Orpheum in her honor, and Thursday afternoon Mrs. Hugh Burgo entertained at three tables of bridge. Monday Mrs. H. J. Mullin will entertain at luncheon and Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Henry Damkroeger will entertain at bridge.

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The wedding of Miss Esther Shapiro and Abraham Rocklin of Chicago, formerly of this city, took place Tuesday at the synagogue. Mr. Rocklin and his bride will be at home in Chicago.

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Miss Elsie Piche left the first of the week for St. Paul, where her wedding took place this week. Miss Piche was the guest of honor at several affairs before her departure. Her grandmother, Mrs. L. Sturm, entertained at a linen shower in her honor at her home, 523 West Fourth street. Cards were played at eight tables and the favors were won by Mrs. Hanson, Mrs. Mott, Mrs. Jeronimus, and by Messrs. Pieringa, O'Keefe and Pierson.

Miss Piche was also the guest of honor at a bundle shower given last week.

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The wedding of Miss Lulu Dalcour of Hunter's Park and Hans Honigman will take place next Monday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. Honigman and his bride will be at home in this city after a wedding trip.

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The wedding of Miss Ruth Elstrom and C. A. Anderson of West Duluth, took place this morning at the parsonage of the Swedish Baptist church at the corner of Eighth avenue east and Sixth street. The service was read by the Rev. Erickson. Mr. Anderson and his bride will be at home at West Duluth.

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The wedding of Mrs. Pearl Stuhlmiller and Lester Carey took place Thursday evening at the home of the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Carey. The attendants were Miss Maybelle Carey and Clifford Carey and the wedding service was read by the Rev. Robert Yost, of the First Presbyterian church. The house was prettily decorated in hearts and wedding bells. The bride wore a gown of tan silk and carried a bouquet of bride's roses. The bridesmaid was gowned in blue silk.

In the evening a company of guests surprised Mr. Carey and his bride.

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The wedding of Miss Augusta Piering and Allan H. Long both of this city took place yesterday in Superior at the parsonage of the Cummings Avenue Methodist church. The wedding service was read by the Rev. R. A. Barnes.

Father in Sierras; Mother in Society; Daughter in Bohemia

JUANITA MILLER.

The daughter of Joaquin Miller, the famous poet of the Sierras, is living in a studio building in New York. Her mother lives elsewhere and enjoys society. But Miss Miller is ambitious to be a poet like her father so she has gone off to her little studio where she spends most of her time writing poetry. Meantime her father is living the life of a hermit near Oakland, Cal.

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Informal Affairs.

The Social club was entertained Thursday afternoon of this week by Mrs. A. W. Torrance of 1311 East Second street. The club was entertained last week by Mrs. William Wardell of 1113 East Third street.

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Mrs. K. A. Franklin entertained at cards Wednesday evening at her home. Five hundred was the game and the favors were won by Mrs. J. C. Harrington and Mrs. J. Myer, the men's prizes being won by J. L. Dorsey and Charles Neff. The guests were:

Messrs and Mesdames—
J. L. Dorsey,
Charles Neff,
J. C. Harrington,
J. A. Myer,
Charles Huebsch,
Albert Lieha.

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The Amateur Five Hundred club was entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. B. Thomas of 1715 West First street. The favors were won by Mrs. J. Madsen and Mrs. H. Rosenow. The members of the club are:

Mesdames—
J. Riddal,
C. Works,
A. Barr,
F. O'Donnell,
F. Thomas,
G. Hill,
H. Rosenow,
J. Madsen,
A. Page,
S. Anderson,
E. Olsen,
J. Rehbein.

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Mrs. Martin Nickelson of 1219 East Sixth street entertained at cards Thursday afternoon at her home. During the afternoon Miss Florence Nickelson played several piano selections. The guests were:

Mesdames—
Winters
S. Wilkinson
J. Henderson
A. E. Paull
Percy Lawson
Miss Florence Nickelson.

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Miss Janet Haley entertained a West End club last Saturday evening at her home, 1810 West Second street. The favors were won by Miss Marie Thomas and Alex. McRae.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Miller of the West end entertained last Saturday evening in honor of J. L. Grose of Creekbank, Ont. An informal evening of games and music was enjoyed by the following guests:

Mesdames—
M. Gardner,
R. Gosselin,
S. McAllister,
M. Calmadeen.
Misses—
Ethel Sullivan,
Kartha Miller.
Maude Lee,
Messrs—
E. N. Gosselin,
Fred Miller,
G. T. Chambers.

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Miss Ervina Johnson was the guest of honor at a pleasant birthday surprise party Tuesday afternoon at her home, 2826 Michigan street. The guests were:

Misses—
Julia Tilsett,
Beatrice Young,
Estyer Anderson,
Nina Stocking,
Ethel Sullivan,
Louise Marchildon,
Clara Olson,
Gladys Warner,
Viola Young,
Esther Gugelson,
Oliva Johnson,
Olga Johnson,
Lizzie Sherwood,
Carrie Richards.
Masters—
Edward Young,
Walter Wamnberg,
Rudolph Marchildon,
Robert McDonald,
Robert Simpson,
Line Lockhart,
Elmer Wahlin,
William Bardwell,
Henry Anderson,
Ralph Marchildon,
Oscar Stocking,
Ernest Boortz,
Herbert Hanson.

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Miss Isabelle Smith entertained at a dancing party Thursday evening at her home, 32 West Second street. Blewett's orchestra played the program of dancing music and the guests were:

Mesdames—
Drake.
Smith,
Messrs.
Warren Drake,
Arthur Sorenson,
Berr Nelson,
Fred Anderson,
Dan Bain,
Frank Sorenson,
J. C. Holman,
Henry Paul,
William Muchart,
Jesse Holman.
Misses—
Ethel Wood,
Edna Carroll,
Adsa Wink,
Olive Burton,
Marie Nelson,
Gertrude Burnside,
Mollie Herbert,
Theresa D. Carroll,
Elizabeth Marlow,
Isabel Burton.

Personal Mention.

Miss Alton and Mrs. Crandall of St. Paul are the guests of Mrs. G. G. Hartley.

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Mrs. Frank O'Meara and Miss Ella Richards of St. Paul and are the guests of Mrs. O. C. Hartman.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cokefair are in Washington for a few weeks' visit.

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Mrs. W. E. Richardson and Miss Richardson have returned from a few days at St. Paul.

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Mr. and Mrs. Z. D. Scott were in St. Paul during the week, attending the annual meeting of the Minnesota Forest Conservation society of which Mr. Scott is president.

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The Misses Smith of the Y. W. C. A. have gone to Canada to remain for the winter.

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Miss Charlotte Howard of the Y. W. C. A. left today for Chicago to take a nurse's training at the Cook county hospital.

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Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Meyer of London road have gone ao Minneapolis for a few days.

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M. C. Greenfield, who was the guest of his parents at Minneapolis, has returned to Duluth.

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Mrs. Leonard Scott of Deer River and Mrs. Poupore of Poupore, Minn., who were the guests of Mrs. D. Burnett of 116 East Third street, have returned to their homes.

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Mrs. Roy Williams of Cleveland is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George F. Ross of 1511 East Second street.

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Miss Louise Hackett of Miles City, Mont., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. De Witt Southwick of Lakeside.

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Mrs. L. M. Dickerson has returned from a visit at Los Angeles.

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Miss Kate Sexton, who was the guest of Duluth friends, left Thursday for her home at Stillwater.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Mies left during the week for Spokane, Wash., where they will make their future home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Laux of Forty-fourth avenue east will leave this week for Florida, where they will spend the winter.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sommerville and Miss Clara Sommerville of 601 Twenty-sixth avenue west have gone to Florida, wher they will remain for the winter.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Irwin, missionaries from Turkey, who were in Duluth, are now the guest of Mrs. H. J. Irwin of Two Harbors.

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Miss Harriett Lenox of Minneapolis is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Collins of 1106 East Third street.

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Miss Poirier was in St. Paul to attend the meeting of the state child labor committee the first of the week.

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Mrs. C. F. Naughton has returned from a few days' visit at St. Paul.

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Mrs. Mary C. Burbank of St. Cloud, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Mitchell is visiting her neice, Mrs. Otto Poirier of Virginia for the week. Mrs. Burbank will return to Duluth to remain until after the holidays.

Miss Charlotte Crowley
115 East Third Street.
Will continue her
Sale of Decorated China
until the close of the holiday season.

Mrs. James Bishop of 713 East Fourth street has been called to Marquette, Mich., by the death of her mother.

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Mrs. W. A. Eaton of 1513 East Third street has gone to Denver for the winter.

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Miss Victoria Russell has gone to Los Angeles, Cal., to spend the winter. In the spring she will go East to New York and later to Montreal to make her home.

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Dr. and Mrs. L. Catterson of 614 Eighteenth avenue east have as their guest, Dr. Catterson's father, Mr. Catterson of Maryville, Mo.

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Mrs. Joseph Maitland of 111 Second avenue east has gone to Neenah, Wis.

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Miss Anna J. Law of West Duluth, left the first of the week for a short visit at Northfield, Minn.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Burnett, who were the guests of friends at West Duluth, left the first of the week for their home at St. Paul.

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Miss Sadie Anderson of Warren, Minn., is the guest of friends at West Duluth.

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Miss Susan Miller of Merrill, Wis., is visiting friends at West Duluth.

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Mrs. Oscar Nelson of the West end, left during the week for the Twin Cities to visit until after the holidays.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Kinder, who were the guests of friends at the West end, have returned to their home at La Crosse.

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Mrs. John Ludingham of the West end, was called to Berkley, Ont., during the week by the death of her father.

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Mrs. J. W. Ekblad of the West end, returned during the week from a visit at Scandia, Kan.

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Misses Daisy Stevens and Orpha Lent of Hibbing, visited in the West end during the week.

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Mrs. Florence Coleman of Virginia, Minn., is visiting friends at the West end for a few days.

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D. H. Costello will leave next week for California to spend the holidays with Mrs. Costello and the children who are there for the winter.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Covey of Minneapolis will be the holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Watterworth.

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Miss Emelyn McDougall has as her guest, Miss Loraine Norris of Minneapolis.

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Mrs. Fred C. Bahr of 2107 West First street has been called to Hubbell, Mich., by the illness of friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Richards have as their guest for the holidays, their daughter, Mrs. J. E. Ransom of Albert Lea, Minn.

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Miss Mae Wylie and Miss Gladys Reynolds have returned from a few days at Virginia, Minn.

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Miss Ethel Stowell of West Duluth left during the week for a visit at Marble, Minn.

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Mrs. C. D. Campbell of Eveleth is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Campbell of Lakeside.

NORMAL NOTES

The Thalian Literary society will give its Christmas program next Friday afternoon.

Miss Hazel Heimbaugh made a very artistic poster with the poinsettia flower painted on it. The program is as follows:

Roll call—"Christmas quotations"..
Duet—"Christmas Carol" ....
Isabel Joyce and Myrtle Pierce.
"Christmas reading" ....
Miss Long.
Recitation ....
Rebecca Walker.
Piano solo ....
Martha Morbeck.

It will be a closed door meeting.

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A program which was arranged especially for Christmas was given by some of the members of the Greysolon Literary society yesterday afternoon. The program was as follows:

Roll call—"Christmas quotations"...
Solo—"The Birthday of a King"....
Marie Thomas.
Recitation—From "Ben Hur" ......
Anna Sturminski.
"Original story" ....
Florence Swanson.
Carol ....
Rhoda Wilki, Mable Caulter, Agnes Olson and Mrs. Lad.
Talk—"Christmas Customs in England"
Lida Peterson.
Christmas recitation ....
Inez Holm.
Christmas reminders ....
Elizabeth Wasley, Rhoda Wilke.

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Miss Ely talked to the pupils in chorus Wednesday on library rules and the use of the library.

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During chapel exercises this week President Bohannon has been reading from Charles W. Warner's "Being a Boy."

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The first spelling examination was given to the seniors and any of the juniors who wished to take it, Friday afternoon. The examination was conducted by Mr. Wallace.

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Mrs. Beard, preceptress at Torrance hall, gave a taffy pull for the girls, who live at the hall, Friday night.

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Miss Elizabeth Schaeffer of Palmer, Minn., is visiting her sister, Miss Edna Schaeffer at Torrance hall.

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Miss Agnes Brackett, who finished her course at the school last term, visited the hall last Sunday on her way to Cromwell, Minn., where she will teach for the remainder of the year.

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Miss Dessie Cater of Two Harbors visited Miss Capitola Cater at Torrance hall this week.

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Miss Godfrey talked to the girls at Torrance hall Wednesday evening on her trip to Europe.

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Miss Jennie Week is now living at Torrance hall. Helen Hubbard has left the hall after residing there for about a month.

CLUBS AND MUSICAL

NOTES OF INTEREST TO THE CITY'S MUSIC LOVERS

Programs for Symphony Orchestra Concerts Are Announced—The Matinee Musical Program.

During the week the local committee, consisting of Horace W. Reyner, Sephen H. Jones and T. W. Hugo, who are interested in presenting to Duluth a series of concerts, have announced the programs for the local concerts to be presented here in January by the St. Paul Symphony orchestra. The appearance here next month of the St. Paul orchestra will be the first time that Conductor Walter Rothwell and his men have played in Duluth. The concerts will be given Jan. 16 and 17, and will consist of two evening concerts and a popular matinee. In addition to this course for the public, a children's matinee will be arranged for the afternoon of the first day and only the school children of the city will be eligible to attend. The concert will be given as in previous years, for a small admission fee. The program for this concert has not yet been announced.

The regular programs will be as follows:

Monday Evening, Jan. 16, At 8:15 o'Clock.

FIRST SYMPHONY NIGHT.
Symphony No. 1, B Major....Schumann
I. Andante un Poco Maestoso ...
II. Larghetto ....
III. Scherzo ....
IV. Allegro Animato e Grazioso..
Isolde's "Liebestod," from "Tristan und Isolde" ....Wagner
Mme. Rothwell-Wolff.
Intermission.
Capriccio Italien Op. 45..Tschaikowsky
Aria—"One Fine Day," from "Madam Butterfly" ....Puccini
Mme. Rothwell-Wolff.
"Entrance of the Gods Into Valhalla," from "The Rhinegold"....
.... Wagner

Tuesday Afternoon, Jan. 17, At 2:30.

POPULAR CONCERT.
"War March of the Priests," from "Athalia" ....Mendelssohn
Suite "Peer Gynt," No. 1........Grieg
a. "In the Morning" ....
b. "Aase's Death" ....
c. "Anitra's Dance" ....
d. "In the Hall of the Mountain King" (Imps chasing Peer Gynt) ....
a. "Meditation," from "Thais" .....
.... Massenet
(Violin solo by G. Woodard).
b. "Under the Lindens," from the suite, "Scenes Alsaciennes"...
Cello solo ....
R. Bourdon.
Clarinet solo ....
C. Warmelin.
Intermission.
Suite No. 1, "Carmen" ....Bizet
Prelude ....
Aragonaise ....
Intermezzo ....
"Les Dragons d' Alcala" ....
Final ("Les Toreadors") ....
Solo for harp — Symphonic poem, "Vltava" (The River Moldau)......
..................Smetana - Trnecek
Mr. Attl.
Waltz—"Voices of the Spring"..Strauss

Tuesday Evening, Jan. 17, At 8:15 o'Clock.

Symphony No. 8, in F Major, Op. 93.
.... Beethoven
I. Allegro, Vivace e Con Brio....
II. Allegretto, Scherzando ....
III. Tempo di Menuetto ....
IV. Allegro Vivace ....
Aria—Prison scene from "La Prophete"
.... Meyerbeer
Mme. Hesse-Sprotte.
Intermission.
Overture—"Sakuntala," Op. 13......
.... Goldmark
Aria—From "Marie Stuart" ....
......................H. H. A. Beach
Mme. Hesse-Sprotte.
"Marche Slav," Op. 31...Tschaikowsky

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The last meting of the Matinee Musicale before the holiday season will be held Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the assembly room of the Young Women's Christian association. An attractive program has been arranged by Mrs. Clarence B. Miller and Mrs. W. C. Winton. Beethoven and MacDowell, both of whose birth anniversaries occur in December, will be represented on the program, which will be as follows:

Sonata, Op. 10, No. 3........Beethoven
Presto—Largo e Mesto............
Menuetto—Rondo ....
Mrs. Clarence B. Miller.
"In This Sepulchral Darkness"......
.... Beethoven
"Long Ago, Swetheart Mine".......
.... MacDowell
Alfred Wiley.
a. "To a Wild Rose" ......MacDowell
b. "To a Water Lily"..........
Faith Helen Rogers.
a. "As the Glooming Shadows Creep"
.... MacDowell
b. "The Sea" ....
c. "Thy Beaming Eyes"..........
Alfred Wiley.
"Norse," Sonati, first movement.....
.... MacDowell
Faith Helen Rogers.

Mrs. Fred G. Bradbury is the accompanist.

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Pupils from the vocal department of the Flaaten conservatory of which Mrs. Donna Riblette Flaaten is teacher, will appear in a recital Wednesday evening of next week at the rooms of the Hall-Kreidler Music company, at 214-216 West First street. Pupils from the piano, violin and elocution departments of which Mr. and Mrs. Gustav Flaaten and Miss Mary Shesgreen are teachers will assist. The program will be as follows:

Quartet—"Parvum Quando Cerno Deum" from "Noel" ......Chadwick
Miss Claire Foltz
Miss Ruth Brown.
Mrs. John Batson.
Miss Florence Webb.
Flower Song—From "Faust" ..Gounod
Miss Margaret Linehan.
Die Lorelei ....Liszt
Mrs. John Batson.
"Heaven Hath Shed a Tear," ..Kuechen
Violin obligato by Leslie Moore.
Miss Helen Rankin.
Agitato ....Von Wilm
Miss Ruby Krause.
Duet—from the "Christmas Oratorio"
.... Saint-Saens
Miss Eugene Johnson and Mr. Edwin Wipson.
"Three Score and Ten" ......Trevalsa
Miss Elsa Agrell.
(a)—"Shadows" ....
(b)—"Happy Lil' Sal" ....Jacobs-Bond
Miss Etta Newstrand.
Grand march—from "Tannhauser" ..
.... Wagner
Arranged for eight hands.
Miss Le Carda Eleason.
Miss Elsie Halloway.
Miss Ruby Krause.
Miss Marion Stanford.
Child lyrics—from R. L. Stevenson's "Child's Garden of Verses" ......
.... Adolph M. Foester
(a) "Where Go the Boats" .....
(b) "Fairy Bread" ....
(c) "Song of Bed-Time" ....
(d) "The Friendly Cow" ....
(e) "The Swing" ....
Miss Thelma Larson.
(a)—"Thy Beaming Eyes" ..MacDowell
(b)—"Tell Me" ....Nevin
Edwin Wipson.
"Then Weep" from "Le Cid" ..Massenet
Miss Eugene Johnson.
Recitation—"Pro Patria" ....
.... Ada Ammerman
Miss Mildred Pruden.
(a)—"Hark, Hark, the Lark" ......
.... Schubert
(b)—"O, Mistress Mine" ....
.... Coleridge-Taylor
(c)—"It Was a Lover and His Lass"
.... Lehmann
Miss Alta Hallock.
Gondolina ....Lack
Miss Le Carda Eleason.
"Love's sorrow" ....Shelley
Earl Baker.
"Three Kings Have Journeyed" ....
.... Cornelius
Miss Glenn Bartholomew.
(a)—"Sei Gegrusst, Du Mein Schones Sorrent" ....
(b)—"Stille Nacht" ....
Miss Eleanor Kraft.
Capriccio, for strings ....Borelli
Miss Eleanor Kraft.
Leslie Moore.
Miss Georgia Evans.
Oscar Larson.
Alphin Flaaten, Cello.
Miss Nell Brown at the piano.

Aid Society.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Lester Park Methodist church will meet Wednesday afternoon of next week at the home of Mrs. Lovald of Colorado street.

Linnaea Club.

The regular monthly meeting of the Linnaea club will be held Tuesday of next week at 2:30 o'clock, with Mrs C. E. Nystrom of 1614 East Fifth street.

Lecture to Club.

Rev. George R. Gebauer will be the first lecturer to appear before the ladies' literature class this year. The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. L. Washburn of Hunter's Park. "The Romantic Revival," will be the subject of the lecture, and the meeting will be held Tuesday afternoon of next week.

Artist Recital.

Christine Miller, contralto, will present the next Artist's recital before the Matinee Musicale club, Jan. 10. The place of the recital will be announced later.

THE KITCHEN

Pigs' Tails.

Simmer the tils in stock broth, together with carrots, onions in which a few cloves have been inserted, chives, parsley, bay leaves, thyme, etc., salt and pepper until done. Then let them become cold and cover them with melted butter and breadcrumbs and afterwards with the yolks of eggs beaten up and more breadcrumbs. Brown them in an oven or under a hot cover and serve with a good thick sauce.

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Cocoa Nectar.

Dissolve two tablespoons of cocoa in one breakfast cup of good hot coffee. Add one-half pound of sugar and three cups of water. Strain. When cold, flavor with vanilla and when ready to serve pour into glasses in each of which there should be one tablespoon of ice cream, or whipped cream if the other is not available.

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A Good Breakfast Dish.

Fry in the frying-pan some bacon and then ift on a dish to keep hot. Beat thoroughly one or two eggs and allow to each egg, one small tablespoon of flour, three tablespoonfuls of milk and a little pepper and salt. Mix well and fry in bacon and serve very hot. Done in this way two eggs will go as far as six and the dish is a nice change.

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Apple Bread.

Those clever women who make bread at home may like to try this recipe for a change. Allow one pound of apples to every two pounds of flour. Peel, core, and stew the apples till tender; mash them and stir them into the flour. Stir an ounce of yeast with a little sugar until it is lquid; add a very little water and mix with the flour. The juice of the apples makes nearly enough liquid, but tepid water must be used to form a stiff dough. Let this rise in the usual way and for the usual time; make into small tin (pan) loaves and bake in a moderate oven for about three-quarters of an hour.

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Calves' Foot Jelly.

Clean two calves' feet and put them into three quarts of water. Boil for three hours, skimming often. Pour liquid through a fine sieve, and leave till quite hard, then take away all fat. Now put half a pound of finest sugar, the juice of two lemons, the grated rind of one lemon, the well-beaten whites of two eggs, one and a half pints of water into a bowl, adding jelly last. Stir over fire till boiling, strain through jelly bag; put into mold. Serve with bananas, pears or any fresh fruit preferred.

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To Turn a Jelly Out Whole.

Fill a mold with cold water, empty it, and put in the jelly immediately. The next day put the mold upside down on a glass dish. Wring a thick cloth out of water as hot as possible, wrap around the mold, double on the top—do this twice—and the jelly will slip out whole.

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DEFECTIVE PAGE

OUR YOUNG FOLKS PAGE

Frank's Christmas in a Balloon.

THE Smith family sat about the breakfast table, Mr. Smith reading aloud a letter from his brother. After he had finished the epistle he turned to his wife, remarking:

"Well, John always was a venturesome chap. But I don't quite like his new fad. Balloons are never to be trusted. They fly wildly here and there, alighting in any old place, preferably in some deep body of water or in a marsh. No, I wish John would put his talents and energy to some better cause than that of aviation."

"Why, Papa, I think Uncle John the bravest man I know. He's not afraid to try things. If all people sat back and feared to risk new inventions, we'd never make any advancement in the world. We'd all be riding Shank's mare, so to speak. There'd be no ships or steam cars, or—or—flying machines. I believe in all sorts of improvement." So spoke Frank Smith, 15 years old.

"That's all right, my boy," smiled Mr. Smith. "And the day is near at hand when people will be crossing the country in airships at the rate of a hundred miles an hour. But I'm speaking of the old-fashioned, unmanageable balloon. No one is foolish enough to have hopes for the success of the balloon. And all that my brother John is doing is flying about over a park in the city giving exhibitions of his foolhardiness. I'm always afraid that some serious accident will happen to him. You know when he was a boy he suffered from severe headaches, and often the attack would be so serious that he would fall into a fainting spell. Now, suppose something like that should overcome him when in his balloon? Well, I shudder to think of the consequences."

"But he always has some one in the basket with him," observed Mrs. Smith. "And I suppose his companion knows enough about the machinery of the balloon to manage it in case anything should happen to John. So don't cross the bridge till you come to it, Papa, dear."

"No, if Uncle John will persist in risking his life giving balloon ascensions he alone should have to worry over the result," remarked Katie Smith. "Papa has quite enough on his shoulders to carry without burdening himself with Uncle John's foolhardiness."

"Nevertheless, daughter," said Mr. Smith, "John is my younger brother, and I am always deeply interested in his welfare."

"Then let him behave and go into some safe and serious business," said Katie in an emphatic voice.

"Well, well, children," said Mr. Smith, "we have our individual opinions regarding the matter, so controversy will not change our minds in the least, and our opinions do not effect your uncle at all. He has his own ideas and—shall I say it?—his ideals, and flying through the air is his hobby, or fad, or whatever you may call it. But, let's discuss tomorrow. It's Christmas eve, and either Frank or I must go to the city to lay in things for our Christmas festivity."

"I'll go, Dad, if you'll allow me to," spoke up Frank, eagerly. "I want to go very much."

"Certainly, Frank, I'll be glad to get out of going," said Mr. Smith. "And, you'd best run up to the city tonight and do your buying tomorrow. That will give you a night in the city, and you can go to see some good play. You have been so closely tied to your school that the little change and bit of excitement will do you a world of good. So prepare to start on the 5 o'clock local. That will put you into Union Station at precisely half-past 6. You will get your dinner at the Pioneer Hotel, engage a room for the night and then stroll about Main street till time to go to the theater."

"I wish I were a boy," pouted Katie, "so that I might run into the city and stop over night and attend the theater."

"You may go very soon, dearie," promised Mrs. Smith. "I'll take you up New Year week. You know, Katie, you could not go alone—as Brother can. Our little girlies have to be taken very tender care of. Boys are more independent, and are quite capable of going out without Papa or Mamma at times."

Katie was all happiness over the plan of going to the city during New Year week, and was in a good humor at once. And that afternoon she packed her brother's traveling bag preparatory to his starting to the city by the 5 o'clock train.

Frank was off in due time and arrived in the city in a very happy frame of mind. While he had not said a word about a certain intention he had, he meant fully to run over to the City Park, where his uncle was giving balloon ascensions, and pay that brave kinsman his respects, and, if possible, to see him make an ascension.

After he had eaten his dinner at the hotel, engaged his room for the night, Frank took a street car for the City Park. But he found the gate leading to the ball grounds (where the balloon exhibitions were given) closed. But on inquiry he found that his uncle would make an ascension at 3 o'clock the following day. Having his uncle's home address he went there to call and passed a very enjoyable evening in the company of his uncle and aunt, and their pretty two-year-old baby. On bidding them good-night, Frank promised his uncle that he would be on hand at the park before the hour for the balloon ascension. And he was true to his word, for, before the city was awake, he was out on the streets, visiting the shops which were yet unopened for business.

"Gee, but city folks are lazy," ejaculated Frank. "At home every store is open and people are at their day's work." But as soon as the shops were opened Frank got through with his purchases as quickly as possible, put his bundles and boxes in his room at the hotel and wandered about seeing the sights, till time to go to the park. The day was a fine one, a soft southern sun shining and the air just keen enough to give one vigor. Frank soon reached his uncle's side. Mr. John was preparing for his ascension, and stopped in his work to shake hands with Frank. "Hello, sonny," he said, "I'm having troubles of my own. My partner, who always ascends with me, has just sent me word that he is ill and cannot attend me today. Of course, I don't need him, but somehow, I always feel safer when I have company."

A flush spread over Frank's face and he was so overcome by the emotion of hope that he could hardly say: "Uncle, take me; I'm crazy to go."

"But your daddy?" asked Uncle John, pausing in his work.

"Oh, daddy doesn't like balloons. But—as he says—we all have opinions of our own. And I have my opinion that I should be allowed to accompany you in the balloon today. And papa would approve of it—under the circumstances."

"All right, Frankie," said Uncle John Then, before he was really aware of all that was passing, Frank found himself seated in the balloon basket beside his uncle, and heard his uncle give his assistants the order to undo their anchor. Then up, up, up they went, so calmly, so softly, that Frank hardly realized they were moving .

Pretty soon Frank's uncle spoke to him, and when Frank turned to reply he was struck by his uncle's paleness. He had not noticed his apparent illness before that day. "Why, uncle, are you ill?" asked Frank in frightened tones.

"No, not ill, but a bit of nervous headache. It's the first I have suffered in 10 years; but it will pass off in all this fresh air. I felt it coming on early this morning, but I would not speak of it to your aunt. She's so worried over my making these ascensions. And between you and me, and the proverbial gatepost, I am rather tired of this sort of thing myself. But the money is an inducement. The Balloon Club pays me half the gate receipts, which is a pretty neat sum for these hard times. But—I'm going to give it up pretty soon—as soon as I have ten thousand to go into a ground business on. The air business is telling——"

But Mr. John ceased speaking, and quickly put his hand to his head. He was whiter than a cloth, and his eyes closed involuntarily. Once, twice, he gasped, then his hands, which had been busily engaged in throwing out ballast, dropped limply to his sides and he fell forward, his head resting against Frank's shoulder.

It would be impossible for one who has never experienced a similar shock to understand Frank's feelings at the moment when his uncle fell forward in a faint. In vain did he call to him, shake him, rub his face with some water they had in a bottle, and chafe his hands. Would the man never regain consciousness? Oh, how foolhardy he had been to come up in the balloon. There were nine chances of a fatal landing to one of a safe landing. And his poor uncle—Oh, how more than foolhardy he had been to make these ascensions! For the first time, Frank began to realize the calm, keen, good judgment of his father. "Daddy is right in most matters," he declared, as he rubbed his uncle's face and endeavored to revive him. But the fainting spell lasted quite a long time, and Frank had much to think about and much to blame himself for before he saw signs of returning consciousness in his uncle. During the fainting spell, Frank had not thought to look below him, and after his uncle had come to his full senses, he asked in a weak voice what had happened. When told that he had fainted he looked frightened and tried to sit up. "How long since I fell over?" he asked hurriedly.

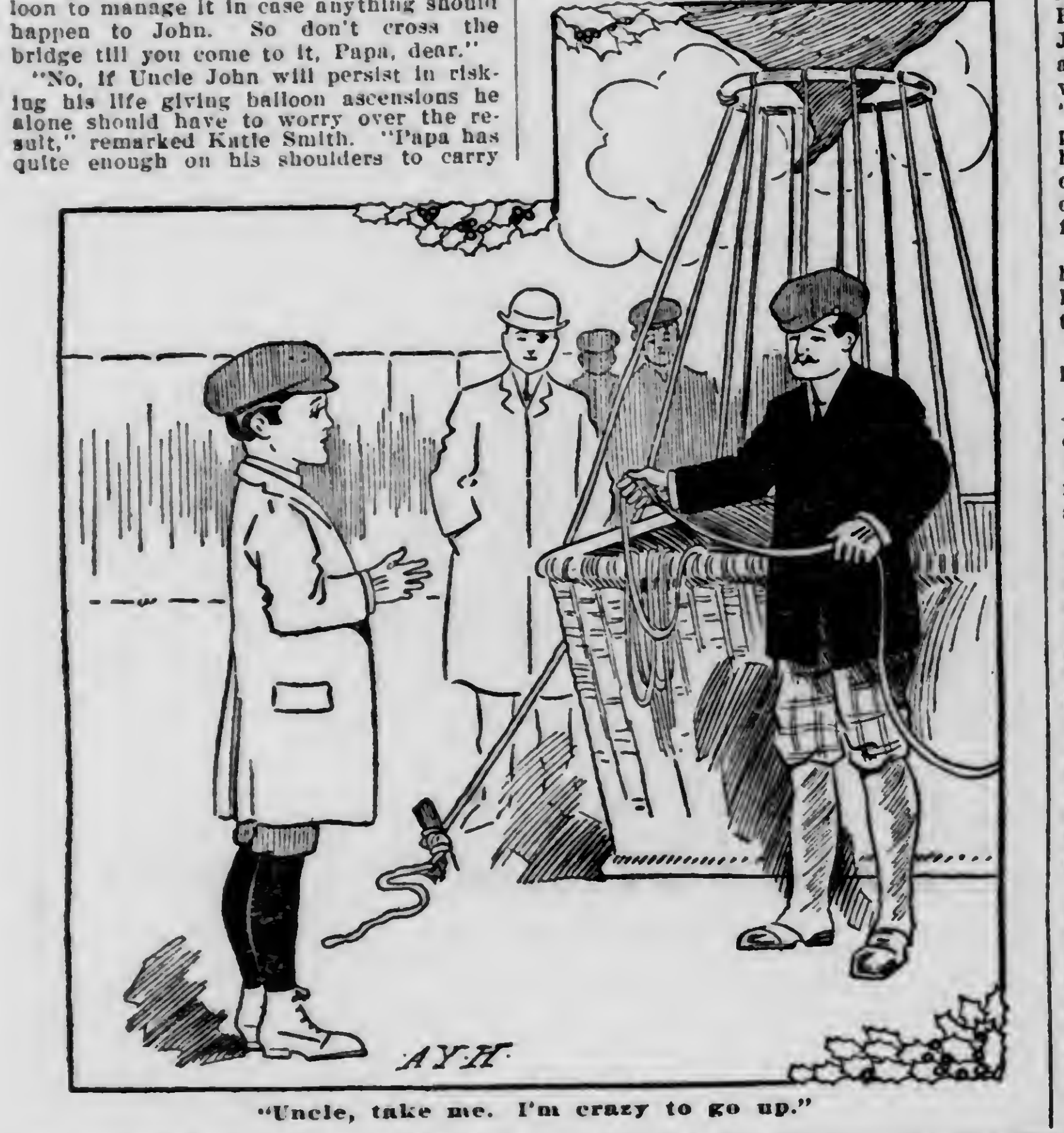
"Oh, some time," said Frank. "It seems hours, but of course, it has only been minutes."

"Look down quickly, and tell me what is beneath us," cried Mr. John. Frank did as told and said: "Why, uncle, we're sailing over water." His uncle sank back helplessly in the basket. "That's what I feared. We've reached the bay and the wind is carrying us out to sea. Oh, God forgive me for having allowed you to come with me. What will brother say when he learns of this?" And the suffering man groaned aloud in his agony of spirit and physical pain. "Listen, Frank, if we get out of this scrape alive, never, never shall I make another balloon ascension. An airship—well, that's a different proposition, for you can guide your boat. But this—" And the agonized man shook his head.

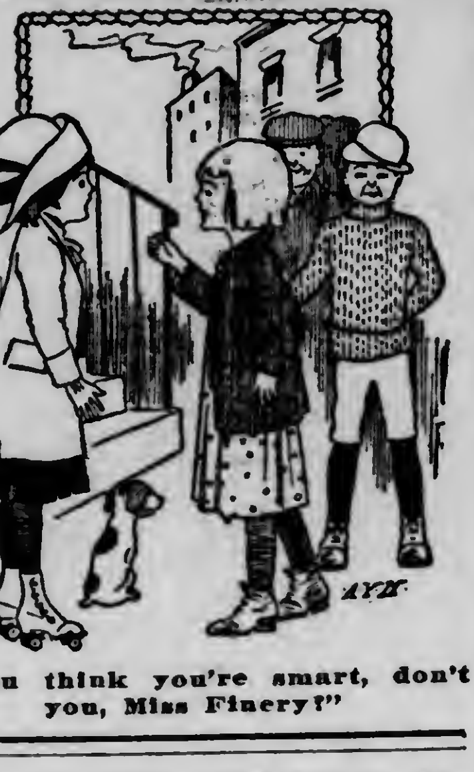
Frank felt himself growing cold and colder, and feared he too would lose consciousness. On and on they went, and darkness settled down on them. "What will become of us?" once ventured Frank. After that, silence reigned. For hours they sailed through cold air and moonlight. For the latter they were thankful. About 2 o'clock in the morning Mr. John gave a cry of joy. "There's Goodland Island!" he said. "Now, we'll land right in the center of it. And there is a life-saving station there. Thank God for bringing us to safety."

"Yes, uncle, God has answered my prayer, for I've been praying ever since you fainted," confessed Frank, tears rolling over his cold cheeks.

They had no difficulty in dropping to earth, and of awaking the keeper of the life station. He invited them in and had their story. "Waal, fellers," he drawled, "you've had a fine Christmas in the air, ain't you? Will I have my men take you to shore? Waal, I reckon I will, pards. An' when this young feller tells his folks about his ride across the bay, gee, I guess he'll feel his mammy's slipper!" "I ought to feel it, good and hard," said Frank vehemently.



"Uncle, take me. I'm crazy to go up."



"You think you're smart, don't you, Miss Finery?"

Lily's Naughty Roller Skates.

SEE, darling, grandpa has sent you a new pair of roller skates." And Mrs. Jackson held up to her little daughter Lily's view a fine pair of roller skates, such as would please the heart of any child.

"Oh, Mamma, a pair of new skates is just what I wanted most of all," cried Lily in great glee. "And now I shall roll to school every morning, for the pavements are fine all the way. Oh, how good of dear grandpa to know just what I most wanted and to send these lovely skates to me!"

Then Lily put them on to see if they fitted, which they did exactly.

"Now, dearie, you may run out and try them on the pavement in the block. But don't go too far away from the house. You know the skates will roll very rapidly, and you'll have to keep them under strict control," said Mrs. Jackson.

"All right, Mamma," promised Lily. Then she was out and flying—or rolling, rather—over the pavement down the street. Oh, how perfectly lovely the skates did roll! They carried her as though she were sailing on wings.

After Lily had been skating for half an hour a little dog came running after her. He was a bright-eyed, jolly fellow, and seemed anxious for a frolic with Lily. Lily loved dogs, particularly lively, friendly little ones like the one now endeavoring to make her acquaintance, so she right merrily agreed with Doggie to race down the street with him. So away they went, and Doggie barked loudly, showing his enjoyment of the sport, and Lily laughed so gaily that passersby stopped to look after the racing pair and to smile. Lily was so excited that she did not notice the direction in which Doggie led her, for he was no sooner in one street than he turned a corner into another and went on wildly, barking in high glee.

"Well, I'm tired Doggie," laughed Lily, stopping to get breath. Then she whistled to Doggie, who came back reluctantly. He loved racing, evidently. Then Lily sat on some steps leading to a small shop, Doggie close beside her. She noticed the street thronged with dirty, ragged children, and began wondering where she was. "Why, Doggie, I don't recognize my surroundings," she said. Just then an impudent boy came sauntering towards her, grinning. "Hello, Miss," he smirked. "Where did youse git them skates? They belongs to me, if I ain't badly off my trolley. Come, git out of 'em and hand 'em to their rightful owner."

Lily trembled and stood up, looking about her, hoping to find some friendly face. But a group of dirty children had surrounded her by this time, and the boy continued: "Come, me purty miss, git your tootsies out of them skates. They're mine. I put 'em on the pavement a bit ago till I went into me uncle's shop yonder, and when I comes out agin, believe me, there they air on your tootsies. Git out of 'em, and that mighty suddent."

"But they're my skates, my grandfather sent them to me," said Lily, beginning to cry. "Please let me go home. I live in Chester avenue, and I have come too far away. My mamma will be at home and looking for me."

"Youse can go when youse hev tooked off me skates," said the boy, now beginning to bully Lily by frowning at her and shaking a hard, dirty fist in her face.

"Yes, you take off Handy's skates an' give 'em to him," screamed one of the ragged, uncombed girls. "You think you're smart, don't you Miss Finery?"

"No, all I want is to go home and to keep my new skates," cried Lily. Just then the boy rudely caught hold of her arm, but as he did so the little dog snarled and snapped fiercely at him. The boy kicked at the animal viciously, but the dog was too quick for the clumsy foot. Just what might have happened then no one can tell, had not a big policeman come round the corner. When the group of dirty children saw the officer they gave each other the sign and scampered off in various directions. Lily and Doggie were left on the shop steps, Lily in tears and Doggie looking at her sympathetically. The big policeman came to Lily and asked what was the cause of trouble. Lily told him all and gave the number of her house in Chester avenue. "Ah, then you are about 10 blocks from home, little one," explained the officer. "Come, [illegible] take you to the street that will lead you directly into your own avenue, and about three doors from your own home."

Once within a few blocks of her home, Lily thanked the officer for the service he had rendered her and said she could go on alone now, as she was in familiar surroundings. So, with Doggie at her side, and the skates over her arm (she had removed them before setting out for home) she went on in a happy frame of mind, for she was very grateful to have escaped that terrible boy. "But you, you naughty skates," she said, shaking the skates emphatically, "you behaved very badly towards me for you carried me into a very wicked place. Ah, I shall never trust you off my own home pavement again. But——" and she turned to Doggie, "I have found a new friend, and unless some one comes to claim you I shall give you a good home with us." And then she ran into her mother's arms and told of her very terrible experience.

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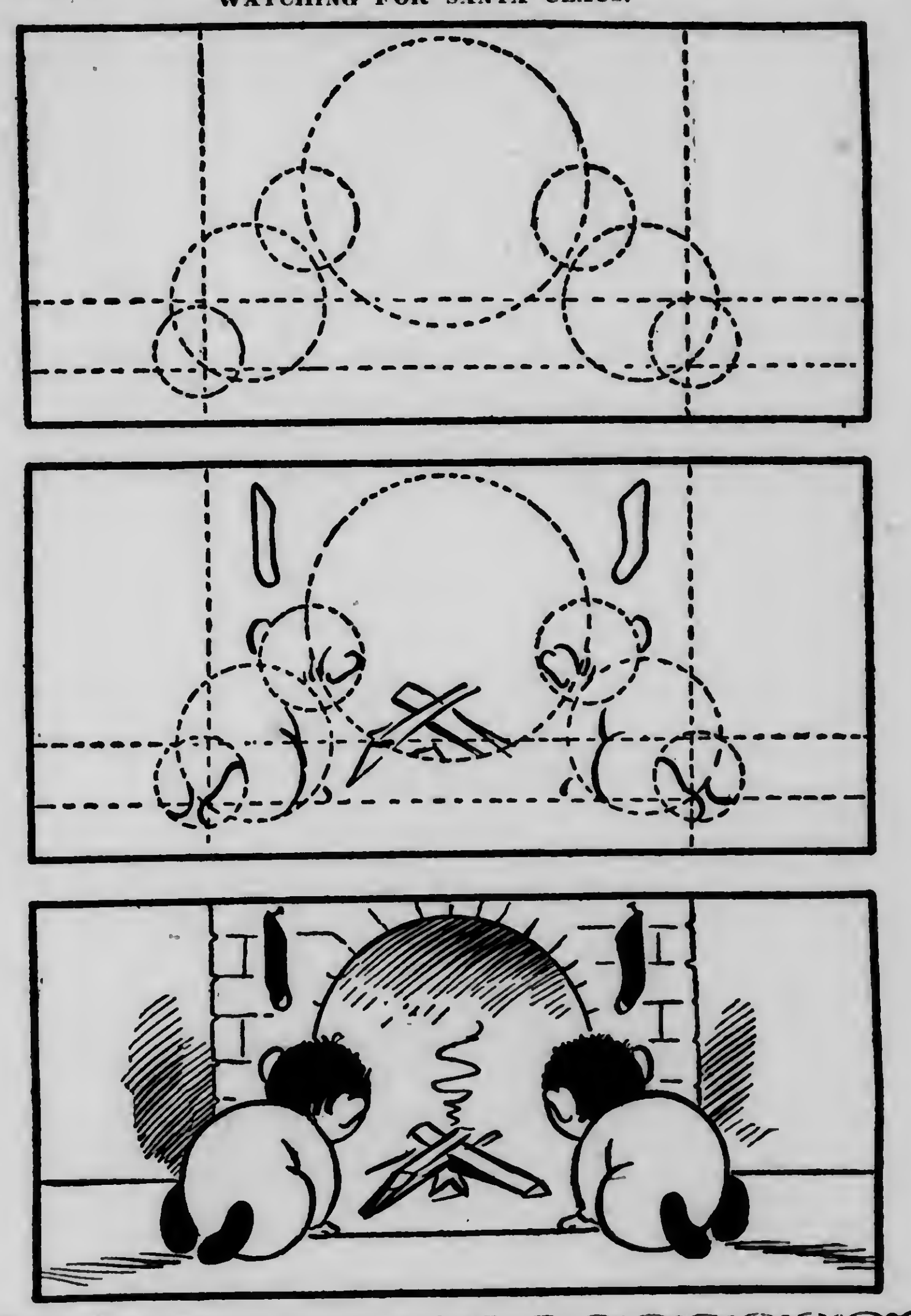

OUR PUZZLE CORNER

LETTER ENIGMA.

My first is in cape, but not in bay;
My second is in leave but not in stay;
My third is in orphan, but not in child;
My fourth is in turbulent, but not in wild.
My fifth is in donkey, but not in bray;
My sixth is in sun, but not in ray;
My whole fly above us
Throughout the long year.
Sometimes they are brilliant;
Sometimes they are drear.

ZIGZAG PUZZLE.

This zigzag contains nine words of five letters each. If the words are rightly guessed and written one below another their zigzag letters, beginning with the upper left-hand letter and ending with the lower left-hand letter, will spell the name of a certain day that we celebrate each year. The crosswords are: 1. The favorite style for little girl's hair. 2. The land adjacent to a river. 3. Two-score. 4. That without which we could not reason. 5. Something we entertain for the future. 6. A soft substance much used by glaziers. 7. A lay figure. 8. Parts of our anatomy. 9. A man who works in a shop.

ANSWERS TO LAST WEEK'S PUZZLES

WORD SQUARE:
Core
Oxen
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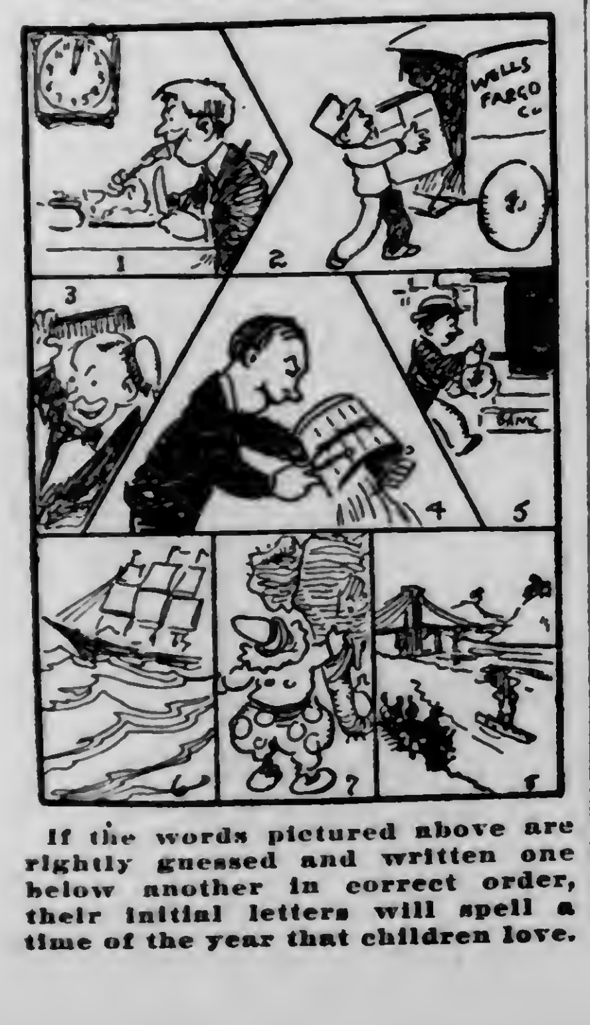
Ends

LETTER ENIGMA: Guitar.

PRIMAL ACROSTIC: Aviator. Crosswords, 1. *Arch.* 2. *Vine.* 3. *Inch.* 4. *Aunt.* 5. *Tune.* 6. *Oven.* 7. *Rule.*

PICTURED WORD PUZZLE.



If the words pictured above are rightly guessed and written one below another in correct order, their initial letters will spell a time of the year that children love.

Bonnie's Christmas - Story of a Little Sparrow.

IT was a stern Christmas Eve, the snow flying and the thermometer registering far below zero. From the pavement of the town's streets one might look through windows into lighted, warm and happy homes, occasionally getting a peep of an evergreen Christmas tree in the parlor surrounded by laughing people whose hands were busy decorating the tree's branches preparatory for the festivity which was to be enjoyed a few hours later. It was only 6 o'clock, and all the town was in its gala Christmas Eve attire.

But there beat one heavy little heart in the great out-of-doors, where the chill blasts of wind swept so cruelly round street corners and down long, narrow alleys. And the heart that ached from cold and loneliness was in the breast of tiny Bonnie, a sparrow without a home. Poor Bonnie sat perched and shivering on the bare branch of a slender tree that stood bending in the wind just outside the gate of a very cozy home. In the home dwelt the Greysons, a family consisting of father, mother, two sons and one daughter. The children's names were Harry, Jack and May. Harry was 14 years old, Jack was 11 and May 8. May was always called the baby of the family, and her two "big" brothers were forever doing nice things for her. "She's the only sister we've got," they would say, laughingly. "So, we must behave mighty nicely toward her." And so they did.

But that's another story. Let us to the dilemma of poor little Bonnie, as he sat shivering near to his death on the bare limb of the slender tree that waved and tossed in the wind near to the front gate of the Greysons' home. "I'll surely freeze to death," said Bonnie to himself as the shadows of night gathered rapidly about him. "And I am so hungry; oh, so hungry! If I might find a crumb—just a crumb—I would be grateful for it. How can I ever pass through this night?"

Then the warm, yellow light coming from the parlor windows of the Greyson house attracted Bonnie's attention, and he stopped his melancholy soliloquy to hop to a limb nearer to the house that he might get a closer peep into the bright, warm place. Then, seeing that the ledge of the parlor window afforded a better view, he hopped there, though his feet were so benumbed from cold that he could scarcely bestir them. And his wings were quite stiff and his whole body shivering.

Once on the window ledge Bonnie could look into the room very easily, for only a lace curtain hung between, and the glass pane, of course. And when he pressed his body against the pane he could feel some warmth, for on the other side a bright fire was glowing in the grate and the comfortable atmosphere of the room spread all about even to the windows. As Bonnie looked he saw three children come into the room, and the eldest, who was Harry, turned up the gas, which had been burning but dimly. Then the children began hanging pretty things on a tall evergreen tree that stood in one corner of the room. As they worked the little girl took from her pocket a sweet cake and began to munch from it. But she was so absorbed in her work of hanging a box (which contained a pretty gift for one of her brothers) that she put the cake on a table near by and forgot it. As Bonnie's eyes rested on the bit of sweet cake his tiny stomach gnawed afresh at sight of food. "Ah, I wish the clear thing which covers this opening were not so hard, and that I might enter that beautiful place and take a few bites from that good cake!" he whispered to himself. But his attention was still held by the children who put ever so many pretty boxes and parcels on the tree. Then, their work accomplished, the oldest boy drew a curtain, which had been hung temporarily, across in front of the tree and they ran out of the room. While Bonnie was wondering why they had gone from such a pleasant place, the door opened and in walked Mrs. Greyson, her arms laden with presents which she proceeded to hang to the limbs of the tree.

After Mrs. Greyson had finished arranging her gifts on the tree she turned out the gas, leaving the room lighted dimly by the glow from the grate. And then, sniffing the air, she said aloud, so that Bonnie overheard her: "The room is too warm and needs fresh air. There will be about 12 persons in here tonight and the parlor must not be stuffy. I'll open one of the windows." So saying, she went to the window that was directly beside the one on whose ledge perched freezing Bonnie, and opened the lower sash some ten inches, leaving the curtain drawn aside so that the fresh air might come in freely. Then the good lady left the room, calling out in the hall: "Come, children, dinner is waiting. And we must hurry a bit, for our company will arrive precisely at 8, and Santa Claus must not be kept out in the cold, you know."

Then Bonnie heard a scurrying of children's feet along the hall, mingled with glad voices. Then a door opened and closed and the sounds of feet and voices ceased. The Greyson family were gathered round the table in the dining-room in the rear of the parlor.

Bonnie peeped cautiously at the open window, hopped near to it and peeped again. "Ah, ah," he said. "I can go in that way. How kind the lady was to open it for me." And he went into the parlor, flying directly to the small table on which May had left the bit of sweet cake. It didn't take Bonnie long to enjoy a good dinner, for he ate of the cake till his breast began to protrude most noticeably. Then, feeling much better, he flapped his warming wings and looked at the topmost branch of the evergreen tree which lifted itself above the curtain.

"The very place for me," said Bonnie, and he flew to the spot. Ah, it was snug up there! The room was warm and dusky and Bonnie felt very drowsy. Soon he was fast asleep, all crouched into a tiny feathery ball on the limb, half hidden behind the green foliage and the numerous hanging gifts.

At a few minutes before eight the parlor door opened and Mrs. Greyson came into the room. She lighted the gas jets, stirred the fire in the grate and closed the window. Then she took a peep behind the curtain which she had left closed over the tree.

"All is in readiness," she said aloud. Then Mr. Greyson came in, saying in a cheery voice: "Ah, Mamma, this is a severe night. I hope there are no poor souls without shelter this Christmas Eve. But—where are the kiddies?"

"They will come down in a minute, papa," said Mrs. Greyson. "May wanted to tidy up a bit after dinner and the boys are putting a finishing touch to their toilet for the evening. You know they wouldn't put on their best coats till after dinner, for Jack said it would just be his luck to pass his sleeve across some butter and soil it. He declared that an ounce of prevention was worth a pound of cure."

"Our boy Jack is a great fellow," smiled Mr. Greyson. "Well, let's have a peep at the tree, Mamma. All have had a hand at the fixing except myself. And I've some small trinkets to hang on a limb."

"If there's a limb left," laughed Mrs. Greyson. And she drew the curtain aside so that her husband might look at the tree. While he was examining it, he slipped from his pocket several small boxes which he tied to one of the less-burdened limbs. "Well, it's a beauty, Mamma," he said, speaking of the tree.

Then the children joined their parents in the parlor, and pretty soon the young guests arrived. Then all was merry-making and fun.

And after the curtain was drawn from in front of the tree, the light shone full upon frightened little Bonnie. He sat in the full view of all present. A queer-looking, red-cheeked individual, whom the children all called "Santa," was there, making loads of fun as he lifted the gifts from the tree. But Bonnie could not enter into the spirit of the occasion, for he felt that every minute would be his last. So he sat cowering and shivering on the limb, too much afraid of what might happen to him should he fly away from it.

And pretty soon a pair of bright eyes rested on him. They were Santa's eyes, and he thought Bonnie a stuffed or toy bird. "Ah, ha!" said Santa Claus, grinning from ear to ear, "we have here a dear little bird——"

But just as he was about to lay hands on Bonnie the poor fellow took heart to fly, and went across the room, landing on the top of a picture. "Why, it's a real live bird!" cried Santa Claus. Then everyone became excited, and Mr. Greyson had to quiet them by saying: "Be very still, for the little thing is frightened within an inch of his life. He doubtless got in while the window was open, and found what he was looking for, shelter from the terrible night. Ah, you dear, little sparrow," he said, addressing Bonnie, "I'll make a house in the tree beside the gate for you tomorrow. Till then, you shall remain in here."

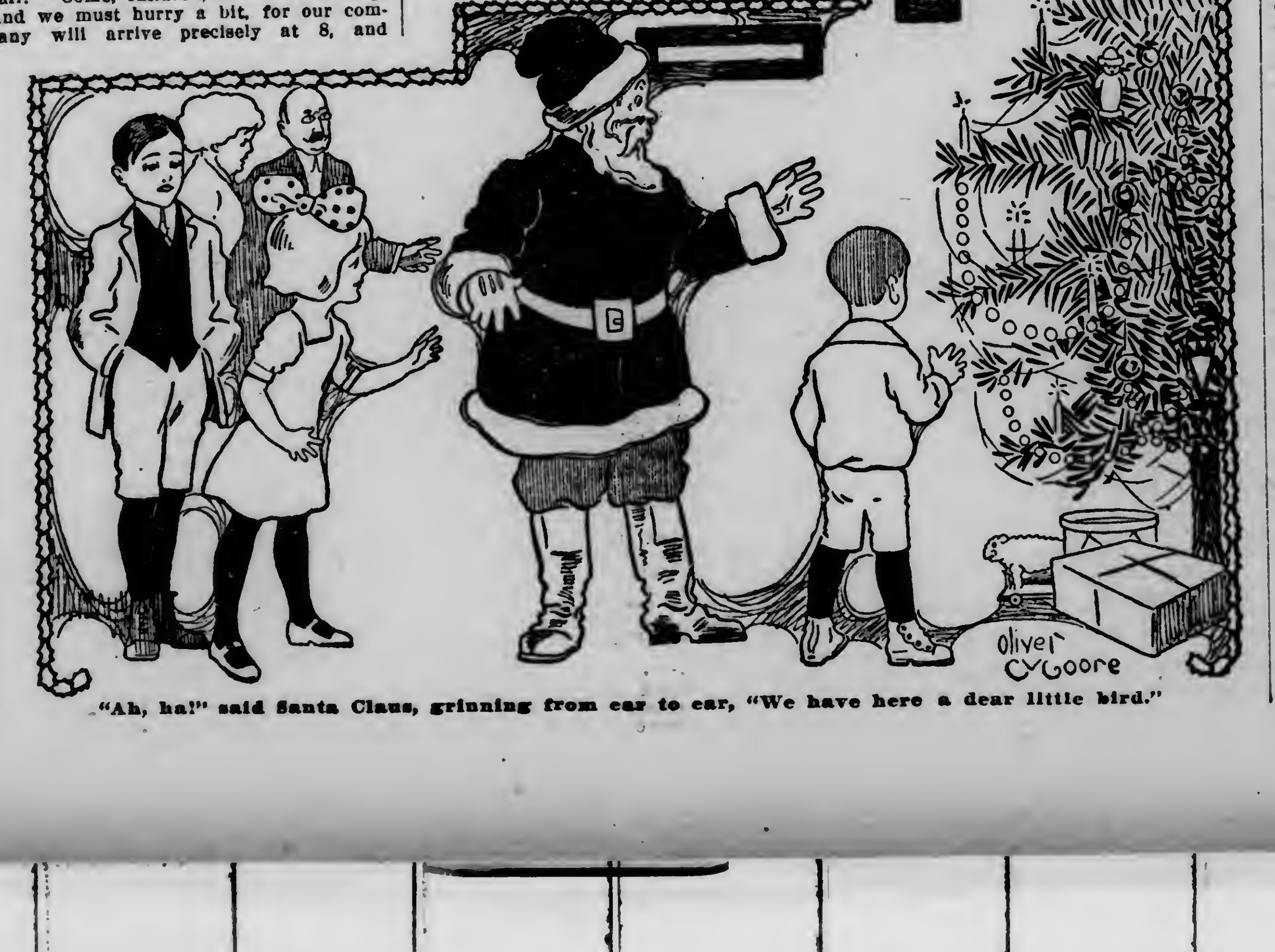
And, sure enough, on the morrow, Mr. Greyson, with the assistance of Harry, Jack and May, built a snug little house and fastened it securely in a fork of the tree where winds could not blow it loose. And inside the little house May placed soft cotton and straw for Birdie to sleep in, and under the tree on top the gate-posts crumbs were put in plenty for Bonnie. And a deep bowl of pure water was also placed on one of the gate-posts every day, so that Bonnie might drink and bathe whenever he desired to do so.

It was not for several hours on Christmas Day that Bonnie could be persuaded to enter his new and comfortable house in the tree, for he was still frightened at the big people who were about him. As soon as the house had been completed and fixed in the tree, Mrs. Greyson had opened the windows in the parlor and allowed Bonnie to make his escape. Once in the big, free world outside, however, Bonnie partly recovered himself, and felt that no harm could come to him now if he just kept his distance from the people. So he waited on top of a barn in the rear of a neighbor's house till the family had gone indoors, then he slyly flew to the Greyson's front gate and ate some of the crumbs from the gate-post. Then he sought the tree beside the gate and, on exploring the bare branches, hunting no doubt for a warm place, for the weather was still bitterly cold, he found the house with the open door. Into it he first put his head, and, seeing that the place contained no enemy, into it he stepped. And, finding it so cosy, he decided to remain, which he did.

And all that winter did Bonnie stay in the little house in the tree, and it was May Greyson who named him Bonnie, for she declared he was "the bonniest birdie she had ever seen," and all the family agreed with her. And not one day or night did Bonnie feel the cold, and when other sparrows chanced to pay him a visit—which was quite frequent—he had a delightful parlor in which to entertain them. And seeing these little visitors coming there caused Mr. Greyson and his sons to build several more sparrow houses in the tree beside the gate, and there were plenty of sparrows to take possession as soon as the tree-apartments were ready for them.

"I wonder if Bonnie ever tells his friends of his Christmas Eve?" asked May one morning, as she and Jack were feeding the birds.

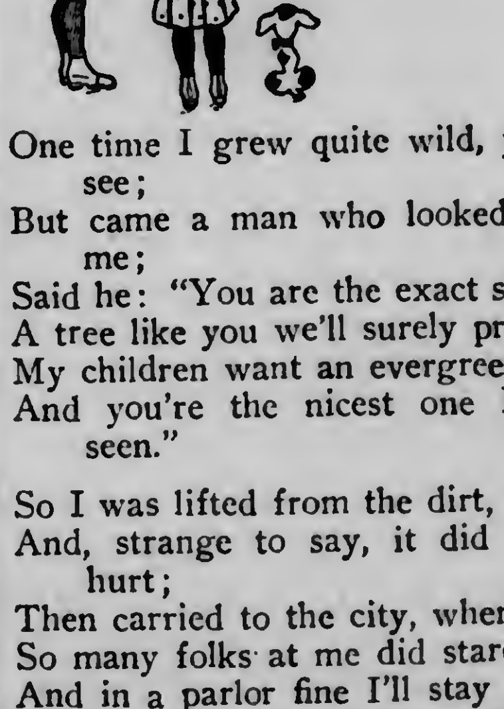
"Sure he does," declared Jack. "And his story is interesting, too."



"Ah, ha!" said Santa Claus, grinning from ear to ear, "We have here a dear little bird."

Christmas Tree Chat.

I AM a little Christmas Tree,
And one day soon you will see me
In gala finery, boughs all hung
With gifts so nice, and candy strung
From limb to limb, with ribbons gay!
Yes, some day soon I'll look that way.



One time I grew quite wild, you see;
But came a man who looked at me;
Said he: "You are the exact size.
A tree like you we'll surely prize.
My children want an evergreen,
And you're the nicest one I've seen."

So I was lifted from the dirt,
And, strange to say, it did not hurt;
Then carried to the city, where
So many folks at me did stare.
And in a parlor fine I'll stay
Till one week after Christmas Day.

AT THE THEATRES

THE COMING WEEK IN THE THEATERS

LYCEUM—Sunday and Monday, Howe's Travel Festival; Tuesday, wrestling match; Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, "Baby Mine."

ORPHEUM—Vaudeville.

EMPRESS—Vaudeville.

ODEUM and LYRIC—Motion pictures.

"It is a wise manager," says The Billboard in its Christmas number, "who knows his own booking agent these days.

"The shake-up in the booking field that occurred the latter part of last season and which has extended into this season in an even more aggravated form, has managers of theaters and attractions in different sections of the country guessing as to what attractions they are going to get.

"At times, they do not even know whether they are going to get any. The traveling manager for his part does not know from one town to another in several sections of the country whether he is going to play one house or another until he gets into the city where the engagement is to be filled. Wrangling often occurs. Sometimes the traveling manager will find that if he plays according to contract, he will see-saw back and forth between Klaw & Erlanger's and the Shuberts' theaters indefinitely. This is the result of a subsequent change in the circuits that occurred after he had made his contract with one or the other.

"A little chain of theaters here, that yesterday belonged to the big Klaw & Erlanger circuit, is today being booked by the Shuberts, and over there another chain of theaters that were being booked by the Shuberts is being booked by the Klaw & Erlanger offices today. Sometimes the manager of a traveling attraction will insist on playing the theaters according to his original contract, then a wrangle takes place, and bad feeling ensues.

"The latest development is the consummation of a sort of protocol between the antagonistic factions, which it is believed will result in a final arrangement by which the attractions of both big booking agencies will be reciprocally booked into the houses one of the other. If this condition is brought about, it will be the nearest approach to the ideal that we have made in this country. It is difficult to anticipate just what the effect of an amicable arrangement of this kind would be. One contingency is almost assured; a good many houses would be eliminated, for whereas there were too many attractions and not enough houses before the Messrs. Shubert broke away from the syndicate, so many houses have been built and opened since that time that there are now too many first-class houses for the attractions that are available. It is more than probable that a great many of these houses wil go over to vaudeville."

AT THE LYCEUM

The rapid rise of Consuelo Bailey and George Probert has caused the watchers to look into the past doings of these very talented players who are engaged in creating much laughter by their artistic performances in Margaret Mayo's farce "Baby Mine," which is to be seen at the Lyceum on Thursday next for four nights and two matinees.

It was under the careful training of T. Daniel Frawley, the famous manager of stock companies, that Miss Bailey got much of her training. Entering the company for ingenue roles, before the end of her stay with Mr. Frawley's company Miss Bailey was playing the leading roles in a company that was typical of the Frawley organizations that have been synonymous with quality. Going Eastward, Miss Bailey was engaged by Charles Frohman for the principal role in Austin Strong's "The Toymaker of Nuremberg," in which cast W. J. Ferguson, the noted character comedian played the title role. Later she was transferred to Maude Adams' company, and with Mathilde Cottrelly, Edwin Holt, E. W. Morrison and many other sterling players appeared in "The Jesters," which was a part of Bernhardts repertoire under the name "Les Buffons." Miss Bailey was seen as Solange, the girl to whom Miss Adams, garbed as a boy, made love. Miss Bailey had a prominent role in Roy M. Cardell's short-lived "The Gay Life" and later joined Clara Lipman's company to play the daughter in "The Marriage of a Star."

The career of Mr. Probert has been just as meteoric, and it was in "The Wolf," the Eugene Walter Canadian melodrama that Mr. Probert first attracted the attention of the metropolitan reviewers to himself. His most conspicuous success before joining "Baby Mine" was his enactment of the role of the boy lover in Margaret Anglin's presentation of "The Awakening of Helena Richie." William Gillette was anxious to have Mr. Probert this season, but the call he received from "Baby Mine" caused him to decide to stay with the Brady forces.

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The attraction on Monday, Dec. 19 at the Lyceum theater will be Miss Maxine Elliott, who will appear in her smart comedy, "The Inferior Sex," in which she played successfully at both Daly's and Maxine Elliott's theaters in New York.

The comedy was written for Miss Elliott by Frank Stayton and is the first work of this noted English author to be produced in this country. It has to do with a misogynist, a beautiful woman and a mutinous crew on board a yacht at sea, all mixed up in various comedy complications. The three acts are all laid on board the palatial yach, "Firefly," the first two showing the luxuriously appointed cabin and the last act the deck and superstructure of the craft, with a background of dancing waves and cloud line. Miss Elliott, who is the only woman in the cast, is supported by practically the same company which surrounded her during her New York engagements, which includes Frederic Kerr and O. B. Clarence, comedians favorably known in London and T. Tamamoto, a Japanese actor of eminence. The production was staged by Felix Edwardes, the well known English director.

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After "Seven Days" has been running at the Astor theater in New York for nearly eight months—it had been there nearly two years now—"Bud" Fisher of the New York American took his girl to see it. Mr. Fisher is the famous humorist who signs himself "A Mutt." "Seven Days" made such a hit with this "Mutt' that he went down to his office and wrote about it. Here is what he wrote:

"Can you beat it? 'Seven Days' has been at the Astor theater for thirty weeks and I never saw it till last night. No, sir; I didn't get wise till last night.

"And believe me, it's some show. You've heard about a show being a scream, a knock-out and a riot. Well, this one goes them all one better. It's more than a riot; it's a massacre! (Regular critics please copy.) I got more laughts out of 'Seven Days' than I usually get out of seven months, and let me say right here that little Bubble is a tough audience. I'm one of those boys who grab a front seat and lie back with one of those, 'I dare you to make me laugh' expressions. Well, I dared them last night, and they called me. They copped the decision with the first punch.

"Can you imagine getting a laugh a minute for seven days in one night? Grab the price in one hand and your wife in the other and go and take a peep for yourself."

Opportunity to follow "Mr. Mutt's" advice to take a peep will be offered at the Lyceum on Christmas day, when the Wagenhals & Kemper company will present "Seven Days."

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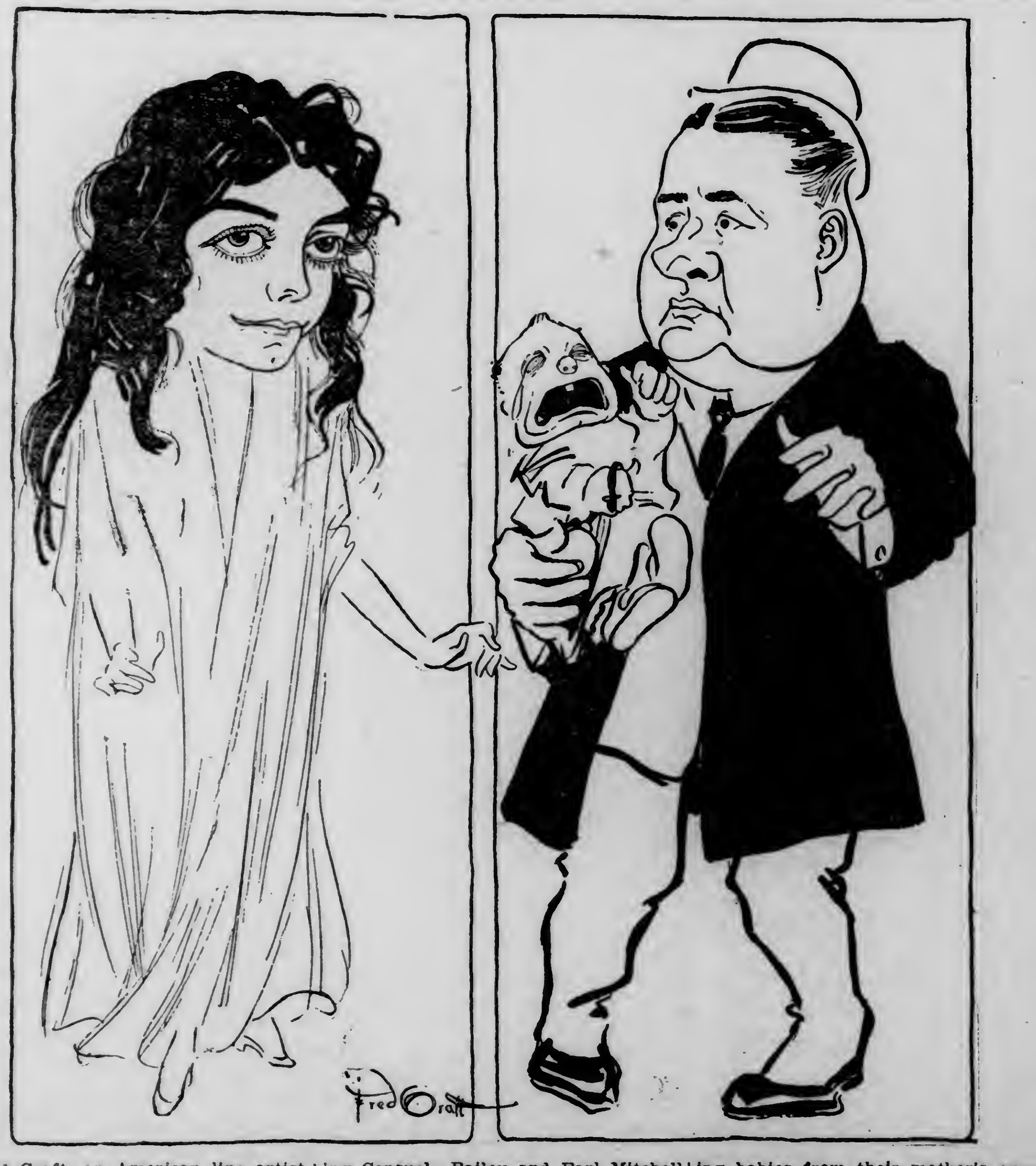
Tomororw afternoon and evening and Monday evening, Lyman H. Howe will present his wonderful moving pictures of travel, world events, and humorous incidents at the Lyceum. The engagement is at popular prices.

There are twenty new subjects in the program with the reproduction of the funeral of King Edward as the leading feature. There are official records of the event, photographed through the courtesy of the British government. Mr. Howe presents a complete idea of the Obsequies, the cameras being placed at all the important points along the procession in both London and Windsor and at St. George's Chapel where the services were held. The scenes follow the gun carriage giving very close views of the rulers of the world attending the funeral. These include the emperor of Germany, King Alphonse of Spain, and the lately deposed Manuel of Portugal. Col. Roosevelt is also easily recognized in the procession. All the realism of sound, the firing of minute guns, the tolling of bells, the whistles of the boatswain's mates and official music is reproduced by the Howe imitators.

Other scenes include the eruption of Mount Etna with its fiery mouth and rivers of lava; life on a training ship and other phases of life in Norway; Paris as viewed from the Eiffel tower; the making of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway; daring feats of Italian artillerymen; symphonies of the sea; a visit to the Antwerp zoo; and many humorous incidents.

More than two hundred kinds of mechanical apparatus are used to present the "effects" of the program. The same company of imitators that presented the show in the New York Hippodrome will be in Duluth.

SCENES FROM "BABY MINE"



Fred Craft, an American line artist, has caught the spirit of the Margaret Mayo farce "Baby Mine," which comes to the Lyceum next Thursday for four nights and two matinees, and is showing Consuelo Bailey and Earl Mitchell in telling postures. The sketch of Miss Bailey in the role of Zoie, the fibbing wife and Mr. Mitchell as the friend in need who "goes about snatching babies from their mother's arms," can be readily appreciated by one who has seen "Baby Mine." A collection of Mr. Craft's sketches is soon to be placed on exhibition in New York city.

MISS HOPE BOOTH.
In "The Little Blonde Lady," at the Empress Next Week.

AT THE ORPHEUM

Musical comedy will feature next week's bill at the Orpheum theater.

"The Top O' The World" wil be remembered by theatergoers as one of the first cass musical comedy attractions of a season or two ago. The famous ballet was taken from this production intact, and it forms the chorus for a musical comedietta called "Kris Kringle's Dream," which will be presented by a company of seventeen people at the Orpheum next week.

There are five principals and twelve chorus girls in the company. The famous Collie Ballet is also introduced, with the assistance of a troupe of trained Scotch collie dogs. This original ballet was one of the hits of the musical comedy.

New songs have been secured for the vaudevile act, and the ballet is the only feature of the musical comedy that is retained.

There are several big musical acts on the Orpheum circuit, but this is one of the largest and most prtentious. It is an expensive act, not only on account of the large company that is carried, but because of the extra scenery and costumes that are required. It has been warmly praised in other cities and is expected to be a notable feature for next week's bill.

"On The Great White Way," is the name of the act presented by George McKay and John Cantwell. These two men are well known in musical comedy circles, having been featured as singing and dancing comedians, and having been for several months last season, starred with the musical stock company playing at the Olympia Music hall in Chicago. There act consists of a number of impersonations, some songs and some eccentric dancing, in which they are claimed to excel.

"Sweethearts" is the name of a little dramatic sketch from Sir W. S. Gilbert, who acquired fame a quarter of a century ago as the author of the famous comic operas, "Pinafore," "The Mikado" and half a score of others. His dramatic writings are probably not as well known as his operas, but "Sweethearts" was first presented in London at the Prince of Wales theater, and ran for 130 nights consecutively. The story is a simpe little love incident, telling of the separation of a bashful young man and a rebellious young woman, and their subsequent reconciliation forty years later. It is presented by Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Connelly, who are claimed to be a bright spot on next week's bill.

The Hervey-De Vora Trio is one of the well known dancing acts in vaudeville. Miss De Vora is claimed to be a toe dancer of exceptional ability, and of great personal charm. Bert Harvey is the originator of the comedy steps used in the act, and the third member of the company, John Dough, is one of the smallest comedians on the stage, and was featured in "The Gingerbread Man." He is a dwarf in size, but is claimed to be a very funny comedian. The Yama Yama dance is one of the numbers introduced in the act.

Reed Brothers present an act which is claimed to combine comedy, novelty acrobatics, and feats of strength. One of the brothers is a tall slim comedian, who is responsible for the comedy in the act. Their act is said to contain many surprises and to be of a sensational type.

Mlle. Renee is an English musician, and the following notice from a recent issue of the London Graphic pays a very high compliment both to her personal appearance and her ability.

"A very fine musical act indeed, is that presented by Renee, 'The Goddess of Music.' It is full of art and contains much that is beautiful. May we be forgiven if we add that Renee's own appearance is the subject of much flattering comment. She certainly is charmingly pretty in her personal appearance and tasteful in her dress. Piano, posthorn, cornet, saxaphone, and perhaps the greatest of all that smallest of instruments, the ocarina, are all brought into artistic and brilliant subjection, the result being one of the prettiest and most melodious musical turns we have ever had in London."

"Savo" is a juggler, and said to be one of the youngest and strongest jugglers in vaudeville. He comes from the Wintergarten in Berlin, and is appearing for the first time on the Orpheum circuit. Not only does Savo juggle small articles, but he also handles huge weights, juggling objects that weigh 200 pounds and over, apparently with ease.

The Orpheum moving pictures and the orchestra overture will complete the bill. The first performance will be given Sunday afternoon, and the bill will continue all week with a daily matinee.

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A big animal act will feature the bill of Dec. 18. Vallecita's leopards will be shown as the headliner that week, and among the other acts on the bill will be: Amy Butler and Boys, "Back to Boston," Dorothy Kenton, the Krag Trio, and Lem Put.

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"Double Play" is the name of the act presented by Mabel Hite and Mike Donlin. They are on the Orpheum circuit, and will be in Duluth later in the winter.

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More interest is being taken around the Orpheum theater in the approaching appearance of the Imperial Russian dancers, than there was in the engagement of Annette Kellermann. The troupe, consisting of three people with unpronounceable names, has been creating a big sensation in the coast cities, where they have been compared freely with Mordkin and Pavlowa. Their trip to the coast reveals an interesting little theatrical war. They were rushed out there ahead of Mordkin and Pavlowa, and played at Orpheum prices, of course, to be followed later by their two more famous countrymen, at Mordkin and Pavlowa prices. They will be in Duuth in January of early in February, after playing San Francisco, Los Angeles, Seattle, Portland, Oakland, Denver and all the other big Orpheum cities in the West.

AT THE EMPRESS

"A Jay Circus," the most hilarious farce of the present day vaudeville, will be the prime feature of the Empress bill next week. It will be presented by Dan Sherman and Mabel De Forest, recently of "Polly of the Circus," and a company of comedians. The travesty consists of a series of uproarious incidents habitual to the tented shows, including sensational feats and laughable antics of the aerial gymnasts, clowns, equestrians, jugglers and acrobats. The scene represents the interior of a circus tent, konwn in circusdom as the "Big Top," with the seats and bleachers crowded to capacity.

At the signal of the bandmaster the fun begins and there is one continual roar of laghter until the strains of "Home Sweet Home" are played. There are songs, dances, whirlwind comicalities, concluding with a surprise that gives the audience a keen thrill of pleasure. Dan Sherman is one of the most accomplished comedians in the realms of vaudeville and his mirth provoking creations are novel delights. Miss Mabel De Forest is said to be a beautiful woman of remarkable talents. "A Jay Circus" holds the records for business in every house it has played so far this season on the Sullivan & Considine circuit. This act was the feature attraction at the American theater in Chicago, where they run continuous vaudeville from 1 p. m. to 11 p. m. and play from fifteen to twenty acts. "A Jay Circus" was the headline feature and owing to it being such a drawing card it was held over for the second week.

Raymond and Hall will offer a novel specialty, "Pedal Poetry," which combines a series of intricate dances. As a clog and eccentric dancer, Mr. Raymond is claimed to be the equal of any in vaudeville. Miss Hall is a captivating comedienne of refreshing sweetness and presents several sprightly dances and chic little songs. Much is heard of the music of clogs but these brilliant artists are claimed to have an entire oratorio.

A mixture of patter, songs and piquant pianoism is combined in the amusing diversion which is offered by Caine and Odom, the song tailors. Miss Odom will display her remarkable technique with the piano-forte, rendering popular and classical selections and several of her own composition, which will be verbially interpreted by the dapper songster, Mr. Caine. Vaudeville cannot boast of a duo of entertainers to equal these brilliant artists in their line.

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AT THE EMPRESS

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gratify this taste the ensuing week, by the appearance of the Bento Brothers. These athletes are of the modern school, marvelously developed and execute a series of equilibristic evolutions different from anything ever offered in Duluth, it is claimed. Their work has an artistic and graceful finish and many of their feats are claimed to be extremely thrilling.

The added feature of the bill will be Miss Hope Booth & Co., in "The Little Blonde Lady." Miss Booth was recently the star of "The Pawnsman," "The Goddess of Liberty," and several other productions and is so well known to the American theatergoers that an introduction seems unnecessary, but when a legitimate star of her high standing takes a flight into vaudeville, it is noteworthy.

The engagement of this brilliant star at the Empress not only marks a new epoch in vaudeville annals of the present season, but it is another evidence of the resources of the booking managers of the Sullivan & Considine circuit in their endeavors to give the Empress patrons each week $1.50 and $2 attractions. For her vaudeville premier, Miss Booth will be seen in the comedy playlet, "The Little Blonde Lady," which concerns an incident in a newspaper office. This playlet was written by George M. Cohan and is said to be one of the most artistic and highly amusing playlets in vaudeville. The art and engaging personality of the actress, and the merit of "The Little Blonde Lady," are a combination quite unusual in vaudeville. Miss Booth will be aided by several capable players.

The moving pictures will be of the usual high standard and will close one of the best bills of the season. Matinees are given daily at 2:45 and evening performances at 8 and 9:30. Seats may be reserved one week in advance by either telephone. A special school children's matinee is given every Saturday at 2:45. All scholars under 14 years of age will be admitted for 5 cents. Special attention is paid to the comforts of ladies and children at all times.

AT THE MOVING PICTURE HOUSES

New Films at Odeum and Lyric for the Coming Week.

At the Odeum theater next week an attractive moving picture bill has been arranged. "A Child's Stratagem" is a dramatic offering that is said to be replete with human interest. "Arms and the Woman" is a dramatic offering that is full of action. "Jackfoot and Slim Jim" is a humorous film. Miss Maddox will sing "My Hero."

At the Lyric theater the "Maid of Niagara" is a dramatic film of intense action, "Popular Turns" is a funny film and "Hank and Lank" is a humorous film that is said to be one of the best obtained by the Lyric in some time. "Greater Love" is a dramatic film that teems with sentiment without being sentimental. M. S. Mistachkin will sing "Lou."

GOSSIP OF THE RIALTO

Kyrle Bellew and a company of fifty will start from London on Aug. 15 for a 45,000-mile tour of the world in a chartered steamship, so Charles Frohman announced recently.

A London syndicate and Mr. Frohman will finance this ambitious theatrical innovation, which it is estimated will take two and one-half years to complete.

Accordng to the announcement, the vessel will be fitted with a theater and both drama and musical comedy will be produced, either on board or at inland points. It is proposed to visit every port where there is an English settlement, including some where a professional company has never appeared. After leaving London the first stop will be Gibraltar. In British South Africa it is proposed to leave the ship for inland tours.

After two months in South Africa, the company will again board the ship and steam up the east coast of Africa and Madagascar. Thence they will follow the coast of Arabia, Indiana, Indo China, the straits settlements, the East Indies, Australia, Tasmania, the Philippines, China and Japan, and thence to San Francisco via the South Sea islands.

The vessel will be a fast steamship of at least 3,000 tons, and to assist in defraying the expenses of the tour, she will carry cargoes and extra passengers between ports. The theatrical company will be largely American.

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While Henry W. Savage's autumnal European trip was undertaken chiefly with a vacation in view, he took time while on the other side to secure a group of the most interesting of the new plays in Paris, Vienna and Berlin. "The Million," which has just scored the biggest laughing hit Paris has known in years, at the Palais Royal, and is regarded as such a prize that a half dozen other American producers bid for it, is perhaps the chief plum. That it is in no wise dependent for its fun upon suggestiveness makes it all the more attractive.

From Vienna Mr. Savage has brought the latest work of Julius Engle, author of many successful light comedies and farces that have seen the American footlights. It bears the odd title of "Weeping Josephine," and its central character is a unique variant upon the classic Cinderella — though the story proper is by no means to be confounded with that familiar tale.

"Lord Piccolo"—to be produced by Mr. Savage under the name of "Little Boy Blue"—is another Viennese capture. It is a romantic operetta by Henri Bereni, with libretto by Rudolph Schanzer and Karl Lindau, and it comes not alone with the prestige of success in the Austrian capital, but also with that gained by many triumphs throughout the continent generally.

Leo Walther Stein's light comedy, "Das Leutnantsmuendel" (The Lieutenant's Ward), and Heinrich Schrottenbach's merry "Baron Liederlich" (Baron Good-for-Nothing) are Berlin contributions, while there are several other similarly distinctive works, of which Mr. Savage is not ready to speak.

Mr. Savage also brought with him the English text of Puccini's new grand opera, "The Girl of the Golden West," which he further advanced the preparations for his re-entry into the field of grand opera in English by engaging in Europe several American singers who have made notable reputations in continental operatic circles.

The first production to be made by Mr. Savage will be "The Great Name," the delightful Viennese comedy of sentiment in which Henry Kolker is to make his stellar debut. The opening will take place on Dec. 26 out of town, and Chicago will be visited before the offering is brought to New York. Rupert Hughes' farcical comedy, "Excuse me," and Walter Browne's unique and powerful drama, "Everywoman," will be other productions in the long list.

"Excuse Me," the new American light comedy, which is to be produced shortly by Henry W. Savage, is by Rupert Hughes, a playwright who is advancing with rapid strides to a commanding position. Mrs. Leslie Carter has just produced, with what is said to be striking success, his drama entitled "Two Women," while his "The Bridge" last season won high critical praise in New York.

"Weeping Josephine" is the odd title of the new Viennese comedy secured by Henry W. Savage on his recent trip to Europe. It is the work of Julius Engle, author of a dozen other successful laughmakers, among them "Girls," the play the late Clyde Fitch adapted for the American stage with such pleasant results. The lachrymose Josephine of the title is a sort of up-to-date Cinderella, who finds something even in the brilliant sunshine to remind her of sad things in the past—until the events of the comedy bring about a revolutionary change in her views.

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Reports from Paris, where "The Million" has just been produced, declare that it is the biggest laughing hit the French capital has known in many years. It is the general belief in this country that all French plays are over-frisky, but "The Million," according to the cables, is absolutely free from suggestion. Henry W. Savage has secured the play for America.

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Business relations of over twenty years' duration were severed last week when Joe Buckley and Otis Skinner came to a parting of the ways. Buckley about a year ago took unto himself a wife, and her constant persuasions to give up the theatrical business has influenced him to abandon the game of crisscrossing the country and settle down to a less strenuous mode of living. His wife is estimated to be worth half a million.

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After an unsuccessful attempt to establish herself on the American stage Hedwig Richer has returned to Germany and will not likely be seen in this country again.

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William Brady has secured the entire scenic production, costume and properties, used by Sir H. Beerbohm in his production of "The Merchant of Venice," and will use them in a sumptuous production of that comedy, Robert Mantell as Shylock.

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The rumor has it that the new play that Belasco is writing for Warfield will be founded on the theory of reincarnation.

Mr. Warfield in the first act will be seen in the familiar role of an aged gentleman of Teutonic extraction, "an old Dutchman," who is passing his days in company with a life-long friend, to whom he has become very much attached. This friend is an adept in spiritualism, a mystic who instills into Warfield the belief that when a human being dies his soul always returns to earth in human form. The two old men make a mutual vow that the one who dies first will return in whatever body he happens to be cast and visit the other living friend.

Warfield dies in the first act and comes back to earth and his friend in the second act as a reincarnated spirit. He plays the part of a reincarnated spirit during the remainder of the play.

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In a few days Miss Lena Ashwell will sail for New York to appear there in "Judith Zaraine," C. M. S. McLellan's new emotional drama under the management of Liebler & Co. She has also secured H. V. Esmond's play, "The House of Usher," and expects to give that tragedy its first London staging early in the coming year. However, it is quite possible that New York may see this play before London.

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The American rights of the Viennese operetta "Fair Risette," by Leo Fall, which was put on at Vienna for the first time on Nov. 26 were gobbled up by Charles Frohman by noon of the next day and will be produced here in the spring.

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Few of the thousands who have seen "The Music Master" and the landlady's niece, Little Jennie, have ever dreamed that in private life Little Jennie was a widow. The fact became generally known when in the supreme court Mrs. Antoinette Walker Steward received a verdict of more than $6,000 against the Home Life Insurance company. Mrs. Steward, known professionally as Antoinette Walker, had brought an action against the insurance company on a policy of $5,000 held by her late husband. The company contested because of the alleged non-payment of one of the premiums. Miss Walker's husband, Charles H. Steward, was a play agent.

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Ernest Lawford, who went to London as a member of the cast of "Decorating Clementine," is to return in January and join Miss Maude Adams' company for the first rehearsal in "Chantecler." Mr. Lawford, who is best remembered for his Capt. Hook in "Peter Pan," will play the Blackbird in "Chantecler."

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Charles Frohman has secured the American rights to "I Love You," a German play which at present is being played with much success in Germany. Sydney Rosenfeld will make the English translation.

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Rehearsals have begun for "The Boss," the new play by Edward Sheldon, author, of "Salvation Nell" and "The Nigger," in which Holbrook Blinn will be presented by William A. Brady.

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"Daniel," the new play in which Wright Lorimer will soon be seen, is to have an elaborate stage setting. Mr. Lorimer will not discard "The Shepherd King," as he plans to alternately present the two plays.

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Louis Mann will revive "The Man Who Stood Still," but will return to "The Cheater," his other success, later on.

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"A Woman's Way," Grace George's successful play of last season, is in great demand this year by stock companies. Last week eight stock actresses in different parts of the United States were portraying the role of Marion Stanton.

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Robert Mantell, the leading portrayer of Shakespearian roles, has a large repertoire to draw upon. During his recent engagement in Chicago he presented "Macbeth," "Hamlet," "As You Like It," "Richelieu," "Othello," "The Merchant of Venice," "Romeo and Juliet," "Richard III," "King Lear," and "Louis XI." This season already gives indications of surpassing in financial receipts the tour undertaken last year by Mr. Mantell, which proved to be the most profitable he ever experienced. Marie Booth Russell continues to receive great praise in the roles opposite to Mr. Mantell.

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Henry E. Dixey is happily cast in his new play "The Naked Truth." Those who say Charles Hawtrey in the same role in London, have no hesitation in saying that Dixey easily manages to extract more quiet humor from the part. Marie Nordstrom has the principal feminine role in the American production.

Liebler & Company have engaged Harry Conor to be chief comedian in their musical comedy company shortly to appear in the new Ivan Caryll-C. M. S. McLellan musical comedy "Marriage a la Carte." Mr. Conor is a veteran of the Hoyt days. His part in "Marriage a la Carte" is that of Napoleon Pettingill, travelling showman, who has taken to this low form of life in preference to sitting at home and enduring the slings an darrows of outrageous matrimony. Accident brings him to the doors of an estate which he learns too late is the home of the wife who drove him to the woods. His efforts to escape furnish much of the fun of the play. His laughter, a wire-walker in the show, is played by Miss Emmy Wehlen, who is easy to look at, and has a style.

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Miss Lulu Glaser says she would like to act "Ophelia" but, "as the Grand Jury is in session" adds the comedienne, "the public need have no fear." In "The Girl and the Kaiser," Miss Glaser, by the way, is doing her first really serious work. Her role—that of Christ'l, a forester's daughter—is primarily a comedy one, but there is one scene in which Miss Glaser causes the greater portion of her feminine audiences to reach for their handkerchiefs.

The success of "The Girl and the Kaiser," however, will keep Miss Glaser busy for some time to come and should she care to indulge in the tearful drama it will more than likely be at a matinee performance.

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Frederick Truesdell has been selected by Henry B. Harris for the leading part in "Magie Pepper," the new Charles Klein play, which Rose Stahl is shortly to be seen in.

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Charles Bigelow and Robert T. Haines are the latest recruits to desert the musical and dramatic stage for vaudeville. Bigelow is to labor for William Morris and Haines will do a sketch for the United Booking office, entitled "Derelicts."

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Another play by Eugene Walter, or rather one on which he has collaborated with Walter Hackett, is soon to be produced. While no definite announcement is forthcoming, Broadway report has it that Charles Dillingham will be the man behind the check book. At present the play bears the title of "Homeward Bound." Originally it was known as "A Gentleman's Agreement" and later under the title of "C. O. D."

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"The Family" has closed and "The Girl Behind the Counter" is slated for a like fate.

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Frank Campeau, late of "The Virginian," has been engaged for vaudeville by William Morris. He will be seen in a new one-act dramatic playlet, "The Tin Horn," by John S. Carroll.

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Henry W. Savage will make the first production of Walter Browne's unique drama, "Every Woman," in Boston, the New York engagement coming a few weeks later. More than 400 persons will be required in the sensational scene of Broadway's New Year's eve celebration, while the speaking parts in the drama number thirty-one.

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McIntyre and Heath are making another assurance that they are about to substitute a new sketch for their ancient and honorable "Georgia Minstrels." Despite the merits of several such substitutions in the past these two comedians have always returned to their old minstrel stunt, and the reception to be given the new effort remains doubtful.

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After five years in "The Virginian," one in the "The Squaw Man" and three in "Cameo Kirby," Dustin Farnum is to have a new part. Liebler & Co., his managers, agree with the principal exponent of the dashing role that the desire for a new characterization is not unreasonable. Accordingly, they have arranged with Charles Scribner's Sons, publishers of Edwin Milton Royle's "The Silent Call," to have Mr. Farnum appear in a dramatization of that stirring "best seller." While the part is a new one for Mr. Farnum, it is not of the sort to bring alarm to those who associate him with the romantic. To allay any concern which may arise from the mere announcement of a new play for Mr. Farnum, it may be well to add that in "The Silent Call" he will be costumed in the picturesqueness of the West, wearing one pair of chaps, one flannel shirt, with knotted handkerchief, one broad-brimmed slouch hat, two boots and the famous Farnum smile. Rehearsals will begin immediately.

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The Shuberts have engaged Minnie Dupree to star in "The Lady From Oklahoma," a new four-act comedy to which they have obtained the rights, and which is the first play by Elizabeth Jordan ever to be presented. Miss Jordan, the author of "The Lady From Oklahoma," is the editor of Harper's Bazar, and is widely known in literary circles as the only woman who has attained the distinction of editing a leading periodical.

The story of Miss Jordan's first play concerns the struggles of a wife whose husband has "outgrown" her. He has become a United States senator and has been fascinated by a female lobbyist, working for large corporation interests. "The Lady From Oklahoma," instead of accepting the situation as inevitable, determines to win back her husband's affections, and rushes to New York in quest of beauty, refinement and knowledge to accomplish her purpose.

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On Dec. 18 the Friars, the well-known theatrical organization, will tender a complimentary dinner to William Harris, father of Henry B. Harris, at the Hotel Astor. Covers will be laid for 500.

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Percy Mackaye, the author of "The Scarecrow," which Henry B. Harris will produce with Edmund Breese as a star, describes his play as a fantastic romance. The period is laid in the early Colonial days in England. One of the characters shows an evolution from the materials which, when gathered together, form the semblance of external man. The progress of this evolution furnishes a stage illusion that has never before been attempted in the theater.

So important is this feature that the greatest geniuses in this line of work, both in America and Europe, have both asked to assist in perfecting this original idea. It will be the most ambitious production ever made by Henry B. Harris.

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Beatrice Noyes, who plays Mrs. Colton in the Chicago company of "The Commuters," has ensnared the heart of Count La Tour. They are really, truly engaged to be married. Miss Noyes notified her manager by wire of this interesting, and to her, important news.

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That Albert Chevalier, the English actor, may see the opening performance of his countrywoman, Miss Olga Nethersole, in "Mary Magdalene" at the New theater, Dec. 5, Mr. Chevalier's own New York premiere was put over. Instead of opening on scheduled time at the Hackett, Mr. Chevalier in his new character-comedy in three acts, "Daddy Dufard," made his bow Tuesday evening, Dec. 6.

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Miss Bessie Abott and the 150 members of the Bessie Abott Opera company, left for Charleston, S. C., Friday, on the Clyde liner Apache. They are due to reach Charleston Sunday noon, after which there will be a dress rehearsal of "La Boheme," in which the company is to make its appearance Monday evening. A month's tour of the principal Southern cities has been arranged by Liebler & Co. This will bring the company back to New York early in January, when the deferred premiere of Mascagni's "Ysobel" will take place at the New theater.

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Surprising has been the success which has overtaken the recent production by William A. Brady of Edward Sheldon's play "The Nigger," which was seen in Duluth with Guy Bates Post in the role he played originally with the New Theater production. Now an Eastern organization has been placed in the field and in that company Ethelbert Hales, last seen in Duluth with Wright Lorimer in "The Shepherd King," is playing the role in which J. M. Colville gave evidence of being exceptionally artistic. For the Pacific Coast company Florence Roberts has been secured to play the part in which Florence Rockwell played here and the role of the governor is being played by Thurlow Bergen. Another Sheldon play, "The Boss" is now in rehearsal in New York and in it Holbrook Blinn, lately with Mrs. Fiske in "The Pillars of Society" and "Becky Sharp" is to have the title role.

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Harry Davies is the latest stage manager to become a playwright. A farce from his pen has been accepted by Joseph Hart, and will be seen in the early spring. Mr. Davies is at present stage manager of "Baby Mine," the farce which is being played en tour by the Chicago company and which is now entertaining New Yorkers at Daly's theater.

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Fred Perry is now a member of Grace George's company playing "Sauce for the Goose." Mr. Perry has been succeeded in Jules Eckert Goodman's play "Mother," by Milton Sills, whose last Duluth appearance was made in company with Blanche Bates' in "The Fighting Hope."

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"Over Night" is the name of the latest comedy to be secured by William A. Brady. Its author is Philip Bartholomew. The comedy's locale is the Hudson river.

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Justina Wayne has left "Beverly of Graustark" and is now playing once again with Gus A. Forbes, whose ten weeks' engagement at the Lyceum last summer were so satisfactory. Mr. Forbes is directing the fortunes of the company at the Gotham theater, Brooklyn as well as the company at the Lyceum in Stamford, Conn. In the company playing in Brooklyn, Duluthians will be pleased to learn that James Kyrle McCurdy, Evelyn Watson and Kate Woods Fiske are active, while the Stamford organization is more recent, therefore its lack of Duluth favorites can be readily understood. The opening bill, by the way, at Stamford was "The Great Divide" as it was at the Lyceum last summer.

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In Earle Mitchell, William A. Brady has secured a comedian whose methods resemble Maclyn Arbuckle more than any other present day player. Full of unction, Mr. Mitchell is giving a most droll performance in "Baby Mine."

Some of Next Week's Orpheum Stars

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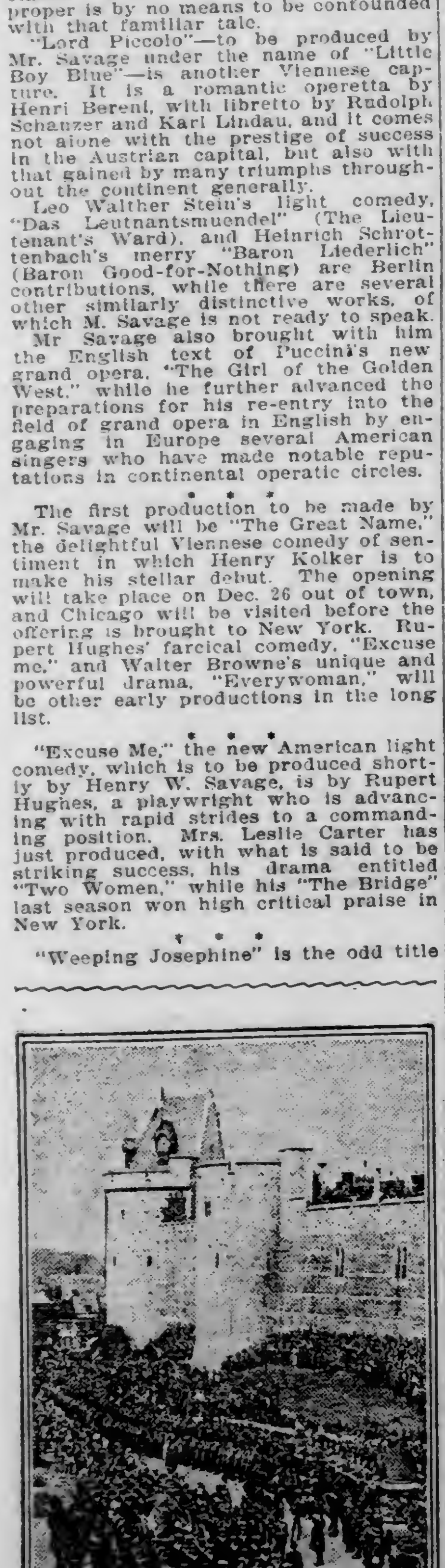

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By CARL BANNWART,
Secretary of the Newark, N. J., Shade Tree Commission.

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New Jersey by her shade tree statute converted the rocky pioneer trail of the tree planter into a graded, progress-fostering roadway. For whereas without this law the advance of tree planting and protection was slow, tortuous and inadequate, the municipalities of this state now bid fair to excel in the ease with which extensive plantings may be almost automaticaly projected, completed, paid for and maintained.

The law provides for a shade tree commission of "three freeholders who shall serve without compensation, and who shall have the exclusive and absolute control and power to plant, set out, maintain, protect and care for shade trees in any of the public highways" of its municipality. A later statute gives the same commission exclusive control of the public parks.

The street trees which were nobody's particular care are now committed to the custody of three leading citizens adequately empowered, whose zeal, civic patriotism, love of trees and administrative ability are concentrated on maintaining and promoting the welfare of the trees of their home city. The advantages of this arrangement are not only obvious in prospect but have been demonstrated in Newark and elsewhere.

The status of street trees is raised for they stand forth now before all the people as the special wards of a special municipal department, specially created to protect them. The fine stately old street trees, which have come down to us from the fathers, but which have so long been strangers to considerate treatment, at last are coming into their own. Not only does a commission protect them; a public sentiment which is constantly enlarging co-operates.

The commission is not only warden of the older trees but also planter of the new. Here in Newark, where the law has been in force six years, 17,000 young trees on 102 miles of streets have been set out. Picture this! One hundred and two miles of new plantings adorning the streets, gladdening the eye, cooling and purifying the air, and enhancing the city's beauty and wealth. There they stand and grow, increasing in stature and fulfilling the promise of their sapling days. Of course this increase in growth and beauty is not the result merely of "time and the elements" for a tree commision is required to systematically mulch, trim, spray, fertilize and otherwise nurture its young.

An innovation is the authority of a shade tree commission to assess the cost of new plantings against the property in front of which they are set out. This becomes a lien. The money from this source is reinvested in other plantings. Only the actual cost of the tree, guard, stake and labor is so taxed. The average assessment last year was $2.93. This covers once for all the entire cost. If the tree dies it is replaced under the guarantee without extra charge to the property.

The commission is required to give public "Notice of Intention" to plant certain streets or portions of streets through "one or more of the newspapers of the municipality." After "a hearing to all persons who appear in relation to such contemplated improvements," the streets to be planted are finally determined. Instructions are then given to go ahead, and the season's planting is begun.

Planting pits are dug at distances of thirty-three feet. Where the sidewalk is cut, pains are to have the walk in good conditions. From each pit fifty-six cubic feet of earth is removed and replaced with good soil enriched with fertilizer. When the new soil has settled, the tree is set in place with a wire guard topped with a rubber collar and a stake to hold it steady until it has got its own firm grip on mother earth. The trees for each street are all of one specimen and of equal size. With forty clear days in both spring and fall, the two planting seasons, and setting out fifty a day, the year's "output" will be 4,000 more trees to adorn twelve more miles of streets and to begin the transforming of commonplace thoroughfares into park-like highways overarched with waving trees, uniform in species and size.

The bill shows the property owner that the cost assessed against him for the excavating, the subsoiling, the tree, the guard, the stake and the guarantee is less than what he would have to pay a nursery for the tree alone. This saving to the property owner, made possible by the wholesale nature of the operations, will explain how the commission can advertise thirty miles of streets or sixty miles of property fronts, and not find one owner opposed.

The shade tree statute does not become operative until the "governing body" of a municipality authorizes the appointment of a commission. Over thirty cities and towns of New Jersey, differing in population from 387,000 to 1,000, have elected to place their trees in the care of a commission. In all these communities the problem of the care, increase and protection of street trees is being studied by these local conservers of the city's tree assets. To appoint a commission is to set in motion a legal mechanism toward adequate municipal control.

This is the story of six years' progress in New Jersey, the pioneer years of preparatory work. It is fair to expect cumulative progress in supervising street trees and preventing every form of destructive agency during the next five years. Through Mr. J. Horace McFarland's initiative, a similar statute is operative in Pennsylvania. Buffalo and Chicago, and the country-wide exchange list of the Newark commission demonstrate how general is the interest in this method, now no longer an experiment. These sowings of tested seeds will surely mature in more general adoption of the law. All over the country communities are gradually realizing that the tree is as much a friend to men in the city as in the country. From this conviction will follow the more general provisions for their protection.

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Does geniality pay?

It may be a fact that ultra optimism is a thing to be avoided and that the individual who is perpetually cheerful is likely to become tiresome, but it is equally certain that invincible geniality has been the basis of more than one celebrity's success. There have been famous churls, scores of them, but they remain as shadows on the record. It is the sunny exterior which means the warm heart within that has always been the winner.

Nor is the cultivated geniality akin to buffoonery, as a moralist of the middle ages once insinuated. The mere fact that it is the outcome of long and earnest effort need not stamp it with artificiality. The number of men who "may smile and be a villian still" is not large, and nowadays the smile is taken at its face value and no questions are asked. Those who have had the foresight and the ability to make it a part of themselves and their stock in trade have profited largely.

The Geniality That Victor Murdock Has Found Profitable.

Take, for example, Congressman Victor Murdock of Kansas, whose insurgent atitude in the lower house o fthe national legislature was of such a radical brand that Uncle Joe Cannon was inspired to dub its owner "the Black Beast." Incidentally, the speaker's characterization was entirely political and bore no reference whatever to Murdock's actual possession of the traditional horns and hoofs. Until he began voicing insurgent doctrines in the lower house even the speaker was under the spell of Murdock's geniality. They had been warm friends ever since the always-complacent Kansan took his seat in the house of representatives, and the optimistic Victor was regarded as a sort of protege—in a political sense—of the old laeder.

As a notable exponent of the most invulnerable optimism that walks the earth Victor Murdock is worthy to head any list of sunshine promoters. His disposition to keep his warm, reddish-brown eyes fixed continually on the bright side is not congenial, according to his own story. "I was a born pessimist, if ever there was one," he admitted recently, "but the time came when I realized that it wouldn't do; that I must rid myself of my inclination to look for trouble and make myself obnoxious to my fellows.

"My father helped me to come to that conclusion. One day when I was a kid at Burlingame, Kan., I came home to dinner as mad as a March hare. The boys at school—where I was by no means a favorite—had been making game of my hair, which was even more flamboyant in those days than it is at present. It was a point on which I was particularly sore and all the boys in town were aware of the fact, and conducted themselves accordingly. I was a cyclone of temper and vowed that when I grew up I would shoot some of my persecutors.

"My father took me on his knee and tried to cool me off a bit. 'Hold up a minute, my son,' he said. 'By the time you are old enough to use a gun shooting will be out of style in Kansas. I can tell you a better way to get square with the boys than that. The reason those boys pester you about your hair is because they are envious. There isn't another boy in the state of Kansas with a poll like yours. Why, Victor, you are positively distinguished. You don't know a good thing when you've got it.'

"'But I don't want the darned old stuff!' I blubbered.

"'Well,' my father went on very calmly, 'it's hitched on pretty tight, and you can't get rid of it altogether. But I was going to tell you a way to settle the hair business once and for all—make up your mind that you would rather have it just as it is than any other color in the world.'

"'How can I do it?' I asked, beginning to get interested in the proposition.

"'Easiest thing in the business—all you have to do is to make up your mind. That does the trick. See?'

"I didn't see, but I forgot all my troubles for the moment and then and there made up my mind to follow my father's advice. I don't exactly understand how I managed to get hold of so much resolution at my age, but I stuck to it until it worked out to a successful end. It was a lesson in self control and obliteration of self consciousness that served me admirably and in time enabled me to look on everything that couldn't be avoided as a species of pleasantry. I have so transformed myself that the time has actually come when I shrink from the personal discomfort of an absence of geniality in my intercourse with my fellow men."

The popularity of Victor Murdock in his own state of Kansas is the outcome of his never-failing geniality. It may be estimated by the fact that he had no opponent of his own party in the last primary campaign; this, too, despite the certainty that there are many voters in his district who have little sympathy with his peculiar methods of statesmanship.

Victor Murdock is a product of the district, and everybody in it knows him and his genial smile. He is a plucky fighter, but even when he is dealing an opponent a blow he lands it in a smiling and agreeable way. It has been affirmed of him that he might feel it to be his duty to kick a man down stairs, but he would be first to send some beautiful flowers after his victim reached the hospital. He is a man who can take a licking as genially as he administers one, although his optimism will not permit him to remain whipped very long.

Congressman Murdock comes of historic stock. His father, who was one of the pioneer newspaper men of Kansas, was a warm sympathizer with John Brown in his anti-slavery activity in that state. The elder Murdock was convinced that his son was born to a lofty political career and quite agreed with the precocious youngster when the latter observed to him one day with an air of superior wisdom: "In years to come your chief distinction will be in the fact that you are the father of Victor Murdoc." It was spoken semi-humorously, but it turned out to be prophetic. To carry the joke still further, during the temporary absence of the old gentleman the future congressman exchanged the sign on their office door, which bore the legend "M. M. Murdock & Son," for a newly-painted one which read, "Victor Murdock and Father."

W. Murray Crane, Champion "Mixer" in the United States Senate.

Senator W. Murray Crane has been characterized as the most remarkable "mixer" who has ever represented the old Bay State at the national capital. He is one of the most genuinely popular men in the senate, all because of this tactful and profitable ability to "mix" and make friends on all sides and without apparent effort. When he entered the senate in 1905 to fill the vacancy caused by the passing of Senator Hoar, one of his friends gave this concise description of him: "The senate is made up of fire works and firemen and several do the work and keep it going. Crane is in the firemen class and will soon be one of the bosses."

Senator Crane has the reputation of being the premier political organizer of his party, and it is his mastery of geniality that has helped greatly to put him in that position. He comes as near being the friend of every member in the United States senate as is possible in this life, and there is probably no man of influence at the national capital who is proof against his unfailing geniality. It is an open secret that when ex-President Roosevelt made up his mind that it would be best for the country for his big secretary of war to be his successor, he did not send for Cortelyou or Hitchcock or any other well-advertised political manipulator to manage the job. It was Senator Crane who was asked to call at the White House to talk the matter over, and it was the suave junior senator from Massachusetts who declined genially, but firmly, to undertake the business. That declination to accept the president's flattering offer was a most delicate business to handle, but in the hands of Senator Crane no catastrophe was precipitated.

It has been said of Senator Crane that he can discover more distinct knotholes in a political fence than any other man in the business, and that his genial manner enables him to pass through any or all of them at will. His way is to rest his hand on the other fellow's shoulder and buzz musically in his ear, something after the soothing fashion of the bumblebee, but without the sting. And while he is buzzing softly the genial senator never ceases smiling, a little thin-lipped smile, but unmistakably genuine. The upshot of the matter always is that the other fellow promises to do what is asked of him or gives the senator the information he craves.

All this sounds a trifle Mephistophelian, but it isn't. Crane actually possesses the genial disposition he seems to have. No one can accuse him of feigning a friendship in order to accomplish a desired end. He is always ready and even anxious to do a good turn, and is genuinely sorry when he cannot. It is the impeccable quality of his geniality that makes him one of the most capable and successful men in the senate.

He is a man who "gets things done" without friction, without apparent effort. During his three campaigns for the governorship of Massachusetts he did not make a political speech or write a political document. His first inaugural address was the shortest ever penned in Massachusetts and was painfully devoid of rhetoric or any attempt at literary quality. No greater testimony to his power to achieve results could be cited than the fact that every recommendation in that message found a place on the statute book.

Mr. Crane is probably the most modest and retiring man in the senate. A visitor in the gallery of the senate chamber would have to scan the members very closely before he could locate the junior senator from Massachusetts. When he did find him he would be surprised at his apparent lack of personal distinction—just a rather slender, neatly-dressed individual, with a small bald head, sitting at a desk methodically opening letters or examining papers. His precise business manner would impress the visitor even if his personal appearance failed to do so. The senator always opens a letter with a paper knife in precisely the same way, unfolds it with the samo motion, crinkles it between his fingers and then holds it up to the light before reading it. In this he unconsciously exhibits the sign of his craft. He is a paper manufacturer, and he instinctively seeks the watermark on every sheet of paper that comes into his hands. It is the habit of a lifetime and possibly a freak of heredity, since he is the third of his name to carry on, at Dalton, Mass., a business that has made the watermark "Crane" familiar throughout the country for generations.

VICTOR MURDOCK, A CELEBRATED SUN-SHINE PROMOTER

ROBERT J. BURDETTE.

HENRY CASSON, SERGEANT-AT-ARMS, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

WILLIAM G. MCADOO, WHOSE GENIALITY AND AUDACITY MADE HIM AN INTERURBAN TUNNEL BUILDER.

Samuel Baldwin Marks Young, Genial Warrior.

Lieut.-Gen. S. B. M. Young, retired Jan. 9, 1904, by the age-limit law, and now in charge of the National Soldiers' Home at Washington, has had an opportunity to test the virtue of geniality in the most exhaustive manner, and that it has been a profitable asset in his case has been demonstrated by his long and successful career as a soldier, a period covering forty-three years and a climb up the ladder beginning at private and ending at lieutenant general of the United States army. During all this long experience as a fighting man Gen. Young has never imperilled his reputation of being one of the most typically genial individuals who ever chose war for a profession.

There is no European army in which a private soldier would be permitted to outstrip the officers of the line or staff and attain the supreme rank. Gen. Young achieved that distinction in the American army, and he earned every step of his promtion by vigorous service or hard fighting. Enlisting in the Twelfth Pennsylvania infantry at the age of 20, he rose to the command of a regiment in three years, and before the close of the Civil war was brevatted brigadier general, being mentioned no less than four times for distinguished gallantry.

At the close of the war the best he could do was to accept a second lieutenancy in an infantry regiment in the regular army, but his ability as a horseman was so pronounced that he was soon transferred to the cavalry, and in that arm there has been no abler or more energetic officer in the army, despite his girth and stature—he weighs 235 pounds and is over six feet in height. In the Spanish war he was colonel of the Third cavalry, but after the battle of Guasimas was taken down with fever and remained in the hospital until the close of the campaign. In the Philippines, however, Gen. Young had his opportunity to come to the front, and he proved conclusively that age had not dulled his wit or taken the edge off his valor.

And throughout his extended term of service Gen. Young has never put aside the irresistible geniality that has been his passport in many a trying situation. Even as an Indian fighter he made it evident that his smile was a mighty adjunct to prevent the reservation savages from leaving their allotted bounds, always a difficult and detested assignment. Young had carte blanche to perform the service in any way he deemed most efficient, and his predecessors had embloyed force with scant success. Gen. Young resolved to keep his sword in its scabbard and trust to his smile.

One day he discovered that a band of Cheyennes, under the leadership of the wily Gray Bird, had left their reservation and were engaged in illegal trading with the Mexican smugglers on the border. Without showing any sign that he was wise to the chief's lawlessness, Young invited the redskin to visit him at his headquarters. Gray Bird jumped instantly to the conclusion that his rascality had been unmasked, but he did not dare refuse the invitation, and put in an appearance at the appointed time. Instead of a reprimand, he found a feast awaiting him, and his host gave him the glad hand and urged him to make himself comfortable. Relieved of his apprehension, Gray Bird accepted the situation as gracefully as he could and in a short time fell a victim to his host's effusive geniality. When they separated, the Indian loaded with gifts of articles which he had coveted and showed no hesitancy in soliciting, Young knew the battle had been won. Thereafter the band of Cheyennes remained on its reservation, at least until Gen. Young was transferred to another command.

When Gen. Young was chief of staff—he was the first man to hold that rank in the American army—he was sent to Germany to be present at the German army maneuvers, and it was understood that he was to be the guest of the kaiser. Before he reached Berlin the general met Mrs. White, wife of the American ambassador to France, and was invited by her to join her party at the Dresden opera. Without realizing the shocking breach of court etiquette involved, the general accepted. While he was deep in the mysteries of the Wagnerian opera, it occurred suddenly to his hotess that she had made a sad mistake in intercepting a royal guest and that it would be expedient to keep it from the ears of the kaiser. Gen. Young promised to say nothing of the Dresden episode and in time went on to Berlin.

When he entered the royal presence the kaiser greted him civilly and then so the story runs—asked brusquely:

"Is this the first place you have visited since your arrival in Germany?"

"O, no, your majesty," replied the officer.

"So—what others?"

"St. Louis and Milwaukee," replied Gen. Young, his genial countenance wreathed in respectful smiles.

The kaiser's sense of humor triumphed, he laughed heartily, and afterward repeated the joke to the kaiserin.

GEN. S. B. M. YOUNG, WHO TAMED RED SKINS WITH HIS GENIALITY

The Geniality That Helped Build the Hudson Tunnels.

A calm, smiling man of lofty ideals and never-tiring energy, full of hope and courage that no manner of disappointment can overcome, a dreamer of amazing dreams that have come true—such is William G. McAdoo, the genius who solved the problem of uniting Manhattan sland with the mainland by means of a group of tunnels under the Hudson river.

Two qualities in Mr. McAdoo's makeup overshadow all other things—persistence and his altruistic geniality. I fit is the privilege of genius to indulge in moods and to have immunity from the conditions which are imposed on the ordinary plodder, it may be said of Mr. McAdoo that he has not made any use of his right. While the digging of the tunnels was under way Mr. McAdoo was in and about the excavations at all hours of the day and night. Whenever the job was especially dangerous or difficult he was at the danger point, his face equipped with the genial expression which gave inspiration to all those who worked toward the attainment of his ideals.

James Wilson, the hardy old Scotchman who has been the dictator at the agricultural department during three administrations and has succeeded in convincing the most skeptical tiller of the soil in the country that he is "on to the job," is a firm believer in the smile that "won't wear off."

Another conspicuous example of the magic wrought by the smile is to be found in the interesting personality of Armond H. Griffith, director of the Detroit art museum, whose "sunshine" method of meeting lire and its problems is more than half the secret of his advance from the obscurity of a salesman in a Cincinnati art shop to his present position as curator of one of the most complete art collections in the country, and an authority in matters of art relied on by J. Pierpont Morgan and other American collectors of that class.

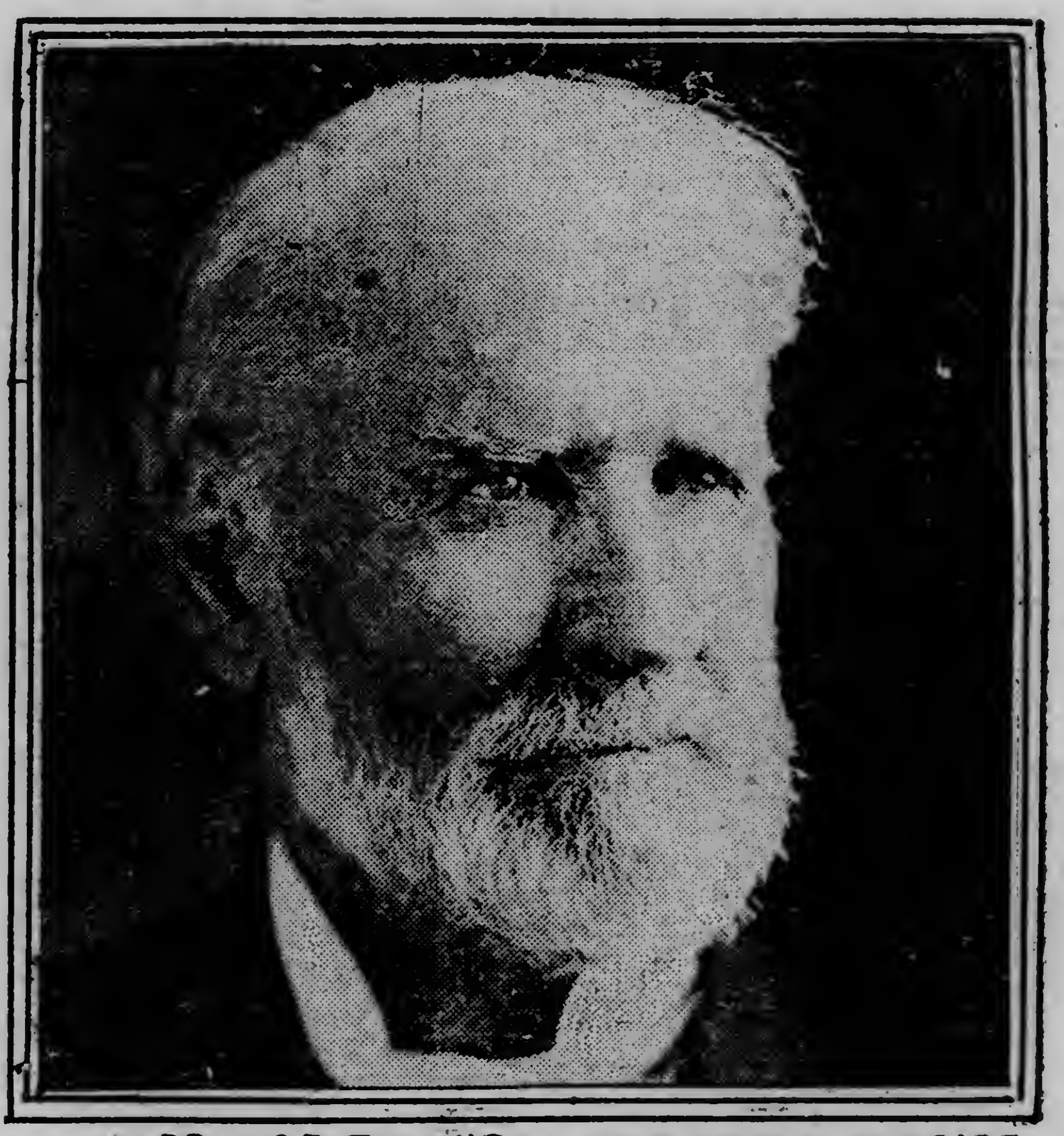
The old time funny man, Robert J. Burdette, now pastor emeritus of the Temple Baptist church at Los Angeles, Cal., is a striking example of the geniality that leads to success. In his early days his optimistic nature and his keen appreciation of his ability to produce spontaneous mirth led him to adopt the profession of a humorist. He admits that he found the calling very much to his liking and that his own sense of humor was so responsive and so acute that whatever he wrote seemed far more amusing to him than to any other person. It seems but yesterday that Burdette was working his fun-making plant at Burlington, Iowa, with all the energy he could summon, varying the process now and then by going out with James Whitcomb Riley to win more or less comfortably-filled purses from rural lyceums and lecture courses.

Albert J. Beveridge, who was defeated for the Indiana senatorship in the recent election, is a brilliant example of a genial loser in the political game. His personality is of the radiant order, a fair-weather disposition that makes him welcome everywhere.

Henry Casson, for many years sergeant-at-arms of the United States house of representatives, is a man of similar equipment. He has succeeded in making himself indispensable to the members, and no man about the national capitol is more popular. One of his duties is to pay the salaries of the congressmen, and he conducts this delicate business in such an agreeable fashion that it has become a part of the pleasure of being paid to receive the money from Casson's hands.

One of Andrew Carnegie's greatest personal assets when he was in active business was his smile; he himself has confessed that it helped him materially to make his millions. Perhaps Charles M. Schwab would not hesitate to make the same confession; his geniality among his friends and business associates is noted. Then there is Samuel McRoberts, a vice president of the country's largest bank, and former treasurer for the Armours, who, on his way up to financial fame and fortune, has undoubtedly found his gift of geniality a great help.

It was his wonderful geniality that made McKinley so loved. The same was true in even larger measures of Lincoln. Garfield numbered among his endearing qualities that of surpassing geniality. In the best sense of the term, he was one of the "best fellows" ever elevated to the presidency. The present head of the nation is world-famous for his genial smile, which he has found to be of great benefit in every one of the responsible political positions that he has held since he left the bench to set affairs at rights in the Philippines.



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BOOTLEGGING NOT TO BE TOLERATED

Party Who Shipped Whisky Consigned to "A. Bum" Being Sought.

Bemidji, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—At Grand Rapids Thursday night Agent Brents confiscated three barrels of beer which had been smuggled in quart bottles being packed in flour barrels. The name of the consignee had not been given and it was consigned to "A Bum." Neither "A Bum" or any other bum will get it while Mr. Brents has taken charge and is collecting evidence to prosecute the man who shipped it and the railroad company for accepting it and any one else who has violated the federal law which provides a penitentiary sentence for such violations.

"You can say," said Mr. Brents, "that there is not going to be any bootlegging or blindpigs. The government intends to supply enough men to work in harmony with the local authorities and enforce the law justly and impartially. I do not think the action in Washington of cutting down the appropriation for this work will in any way interfere with the enforcement of the provisions of the treaty."

Mr. Brents will come back to Bemidji to assist in checking up on the closed saloons and will be here several days before giving over command to Mr. Coggeshall who will succeed him.

Marshall A. Spooner of this city, who first was employed by the liquor dealers here to test the real power of the treaty and who decided upon the temporary injunction as the best way to obtain a quick decision left last night with E. E. McDonald, who prepared the injunction here with Mr. Brents, for St. Paul to attend a conference with federal officials in St. Paul today. Ex-Judge Spooner spent last week in St. Paul. He was formerly on the district bench here and is regarded as one of the keenest lawyers in the state. Mr. McDonald has a like reputation and for this reason the treaty will be "shot full of holes," say the liquor men if legal talent can do it.

The saloon men here taking out injunctions were:

John Dalton, John Larson, H. Gonsalus, F. E. Brinkman, A. E. Marshik, J. E. Maloy, E. Fay, J. H. Sullivan, Edwin Geralds, E. E Geralds, Frank Lycan and L. J. Kramer.

EARLY DAY PRIEST DEAD.

Father Dwyer, Who Officiated in Hancock Years Ago, Called.

Hancock, Mich., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Rev. Father William Dwyer, who was a priest here forty-two years ago, died a few days ago at Olympia, Wash., according to information just received.

Father Dwyer presided over St. Anne's parish from 1868 to 1874. Later he had charge at Mackinaw island and Rockland, leaving the Lake Superior country in 1888 to take a charge at Medicine Lake, Wash. Later he served as chaplain of a hospital at Tacoma, and for the three years last past had acted as chaplain of a hospital at Olympia, Wash. He was 75 years old, and so far as is known no relatives survive in the Copper country.

J. ADAM BEDE AGAIN WILL CONDUCT BUDGET.

Pine City, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Russell Bede is taking a course in printing preparatory to assuming mechanical charge of Bede's Budget. The office of the latter periodical has been moved to Pine City from Duluth and will hereafter be a Pine City publication. J. Adam Bede, who is editor-in-chief of the Budget, will devote the greater part of his time to the work of building up the paper.

MINER FALLS DOWN STOPE; BACK BEING BROKEN.

Calumet, Mich., Dec. 10.—John Leahy, a miner employed at No. 1 shaft, Allouez, met instant death Thursday night by falling down a stope. The decedent was in the act of barring loose ground when a half ton of earth gave away, the weight of the mass throwing Leahy down the stope. When picked up, life was extinct. Death was due to a broken back.

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SOCIAL and OTHER NEWS of our NEIGHBORS

THIEF RIVER FALLS

Thief River Falls, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Arrangements have been made for a series of meetings to be held in this city in February by Bishop Morrison of Duluth.

Messrs. Brown and Carlson of the college of agriculture are holding a number of dairy meetings among the farmers in the eastern part of Pennington and Marshall counties.

The first couple to be married in the new county of Pennington was Ole Braaten and Miss Clara Rustebakke. Rev. A. L. Larson of the Zion church performed the ceremony.

The city band will give another of their popular concerts in the auditorium next Monday evening.

Andrew Fritz of St. Cloud the new appointee for the position of public examiner, was in the city this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rose of Euclid returned to their home Monday after a visit of some length in this city.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop of Thief River Falls was elected a member of the newly organized society in Northwestern Minnesota, which purposes to carry on an active campaign against tuberculosis.

Ex-County Auditor Aamoth of Mahnomen county will be secured for a short time to assist in opening the auditor's office of Pennington county.

County Superintendent of Schools H. F. Anderson of Red Lake county was in Thief River Falls this week. The new superintendent of Pennington county is Rev. A. Mostue.

Miss Olga Hoff, a former teacher in this city, spent the latter part of last week at the home of Mrs. Ole Torrison.

Muns Anderson, who has been in Norway visiting for a year, returned to this city this week to visit his daughter, Mrs. Tessum.

Nels Hagen, the 19-year-old son of Paul Hagen in this city, and who was brought before Judge Bishop for examination on an insanity charge, was dismissed as sane.

Rodnay Lyon of Fairmont, Minn., spent Monday here, the guest of Mrs. Mussey, a cousin, whom he had not seen for twenty-three years.

Mesdames Houle, Kinney and Curran entertained the Catholic ladies at the McKinney home on Thursday evening.

Chris Person, a heavyweight wrestler and Ed Ober, another wrestler will try conclusions with each other at the auditorium this evening.

Erick Odelin died at his home in this city last Thursday, aged 54 years. He leaves a wife and several children.

N. W. Tarrant was appointed court commissioner this week for Pennington county.

Orie Sjoberg was arrested last week by Game Warden Munch for killing prairie chickens last August and pleaded guilty and was fined $32 for the offense.

Last week at the home of the bride's parents at New Richmond, Wis., occured the marriage of Miss Sadie Riley and Ray Marcoe of Thief River Falls.

A concert company, consisting of Madame Hesse-Sprotte and two pianists gave an excellent entertainment in the city auditorium last week.

The ice companies are getting ready to pack the season's crop of ice. One new concern will appear in the local field as a bidder for some of the ice business.

The new industrial high school building was officially inspected on Monday by Architect Orff and the board of education. It was satisfactory and was accepted from the contractor.

A number of men have gone into the woods lately to aid in cutting the dead and down timber of Northern Minnesota. The fires of last fall partly destroyed a great deal of standing timber, which must be cut this winter or it will be a dead loss.

IRON RIVER

Iron River, Wis., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Iron River mill, which has been closed for repairs, will open for the winter run on Thursday, Dec. 20.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Cummings were taken down with scarlet fever Tuesday morning. This is the first new case since the general quarantine of the town went into effect.

The farmers' institute will be held at Washburn on Dec. 13 and 14, and at Cable the two following days.

Misses Hattie and Evelyn McDonald returned home Tuesday morning after spending their Thanksgiving vacation with friends in Duluth.

George A. Hoene, salesman for the Edward Hines Lumber company of Chicago, spent a few days in this city the first of the week visiting friends.

Edward Richardson was an Ashland visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Hines, mother of Edward Hines of Chicago and Mrs. W. B. Clubine of this city, passed away last Tuesday at her home in Chicago, after a lingering illness, with paralysis.

J. M. Herbert met with an injury to his right hand, and left the next morning for his home at Chicago, where he will remain until the injured member is well.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Clubine returned Friday morning from Chicago.

Mrs. Sarah Rifkin of Proctor visited friends in this city, the first of the week.

Rev. Father Broniliard, who has been very ill in the hospital at Superior, is reported much improved and well on the way to recovery.

Miss Bessie Kennedy went to Ashland yesterday morning to visit relatives and friends for a few days.

Ole and William Olson, who were called to Woodville, Wis., last week by the death of their father, returned home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. John W. Hall, who underwent a serious operation at St. Joseph's hospital at Ashland last fall, is ill again and was obliged to return to the hospital a few days ago.

Miss Margaret Gamelin, who left for Wales, Wis., last July, suffering with consumption and who has been receiving treatment at the State sanitarium, has completely recovered and is expected home the first of the month.

Miss Ethel Crocker left last week to take charge of a rural school near Ashland.

Edward Babb left Tuesday for Hill City, Minn.

E. W. Gidlof of Port Wing and Michael Hopkins of Orienta were Iron River visitors Tuesday.

John M. McCabe, general agent for the New York Life Insurance company, was down from Superior Monday evening.

Mrs. M. C. Helmer and Mrs. C. Y. Morris made a trip to the head of the lakes Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Nelson returned to International Falls, Minn., last Friday after spending a month visiting with relatives and friends. Lylitle Lunn accompanied them and will visit there for a few weeks.

P. I. Bogia left Thursday evening for Ashland on his way to Rhinelander and Tomahawk, where he will visit for a few days with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jacobson spent a couple of days this week at Duluth.

W. B. Clubine left Thursday morning on a business trip to Rhinelander, Wis.

Dr. J. W. Tarter left Wednesday on a business trip to Northern Minnesota.

E. S. Perkins shot a wolf Wednesday while hunting near the Deschamp Creek fill on the Battleax.

Al Finnally went to Ashland Thursday morning.

Dr. F. G. Johnson of this city was chosen president of the Douglas County Medical society at the annual meeting and banquet held at Superior Wednesday night.

Philip Lund returned to New York last Friday after spending a month visiting with relatives in this city.

ALBORN

Alborn, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.) — Homer Carr returned from Duluth Friday.

Mrs. Mary Carr Coffin of Duluth visited with Mrs. W. H. Coffin several days last week.

T. T. Mykleby spent Tuesday in the Zenith City.

Miss Larson and her sister of Barnum are the guests of Miss Mollie Benson.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Trolander were in Duluth Wednesday.

Miss J. C. Satterlee, principle of the Alborn school, transacted business in Duluth Saturday.

Misses Inga Westelle and Nora Trolander came from Duluth to attend a dance given in the hall by the Alborites.

Master Albert Kirts of Proctor visited with Arthur Decorsey the first part of the week.

Miss Grace Heyden, who is teaching in district No. 2, went to Superior Saturday to spend a few days with her parents.

Haldon Magnuson, who is clerking in F. A. Trolander's store, was in Duluth today.

W. H. Coffin and family moved to Duluth last week, where he expects to run a grocery and confectionary store. Mr. Coffin's health has been failing him on account of hard work on the farm. In the future he will take life easier. We all wish him success.

A dance will be held at the Alborn hall this evening. A good time is expected. Also a large crowd.

EVELETH

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Solomon Sax returned Tuesday from a business visit in the Twin Cities.

Rev. P. C. Keranen returned yesterday from a business trip at Virginia and Hibbing.

Theodore De Mers, formerly collector for the Mesaba Telephone company at Hibbing, who has been appointed manager of the local exchange arrived Monday.

Rev. Father Bilban returned Wednesday from Aurora, where he visited Rev. Father Pirraut.

Dudley W. Freeman returned Tuesday from Chicago.

Rev. Philip A. Schwarz, Jr., of the First Presbyterian church returned Wednesday from Duluth.

Walter J. Smith returned the fore part of the week from a business visit in the Twin Cities and Brainerd.

Fred Krinning was at Forbes, Tuesday, to take charge of the body at Rudolph, the 15-year-old son of Mrs. H. Berg, who died of typhoid fever.

Rev. C. B. W. Ellis spoke at Virginia, Tuesday.

An apron sale was given this afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. M. Gans by the ladies of the St. Patrick church.

The home cooking sale that was to have been held this afternoon at the City drug store, by the Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal church has been postponed one week.

Supt. R. C. Mitchell of the Adams-Spruce mine was a visitor at Hibbing and Colerain the fore part of the week attending a meeting of mining superintendents.

Jacob Wilk, formerly of this city, visited here Wednesday and Thursday.

CLOQUET

Cloquet, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—The work of distributing Red Cross seals for the Christmas sale has begun, and four high school boys have been detailed to make the distribution. They are John Derusha, Ambrose Frederickson, Russell Case and Irving Nelson. The two first named have that part of the city west of Broadway, and Case and Nelson the East end.

R. F. Cochrane returned Saturday from the Yakima valley in Washington, where he went in his own and a number of Cloquet citizens' interests to look over the new fruit farming lands that are being opened up.

Miss May White has been visiting friends in Virginia for a week past.

Master Napoleon Bernier entertained a score of his schoolmates at a birthday party Monday afternoon.

Mrs. C. R. Smith and Miss Kate Smith were in Duluth Monday.

The North Country Study club was entertained this afternoon by Mrs. Otis Smith.

Fred Hunter was taken to St. Luke's hospital in Duluth Monday and the following day underwent an operation.

Indian Farmer J. W. Morgan has moved his family into the city for the winter, and they are occupying a house on Avenue D.

Miss Ollie Wright was taken to Minneapolis Monday for treatment at Lawrence sanitarium.

Miss Nellie Erwin spent the week at Holyoke, where her sister, Miss Carolyn Erwin, is teaching.

Mrs. John Moriarity visited with friends in Duluth Sunday.

Mesdames C. I. McNair, C. L. Dixon and A. J. Taylor went to Duluth Wednesday to see "The Chocolate Soldier" at the Lyceum.

Dr. James Fleming and wife were in Duluth Monday.

Miss Helen Ford entertained Wednesday evening at her parents' home on Carlton avenue.

Misses Clara and Bessie Olson were guests in Duluth Sunday at the home of their brother, Ole Olson.

Dillon P. Tierney and wife, Rev. F. C. Collbaugh and wife, H. W. Mixsell and wife, Mrs. R. McLeod and Mrs. H. E. McLean were Duluth shoppers Monday.

Mrs. L. B. Taylor of Stillwater is the guest of Mrs. C. L. Dixon.

Mrs. Clarence Kelly visited in Superior over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Mooney have been visiting the former's brother in Duluth.

Eulalie Lavoie, daughter of Mrs. Paul Lavoie, left today for Kankakee, Ill., to attend St. Joseph's convent. Mrs. Lavoie accompanied her daughter as far as Duluth, and from there to Chicago the little girl was in charge of Miss Mills, who was returning to her home in that city.

Harvey Hanson of Sawyer has been appointed teacher at the Indian school in the village north of Cloquet, but as no one has yet arrived to take his place at Sawyer, Mrs. Carl Johnson, who has been teaching in the school for the past two months, still continues in charge. Mr. Hanson has been in charge of the Indian school at Sawyer for several years, and he and his wife have been residents at the school.

Mrs. Jesse Wright was taken to a hospital in Minneapolis Monday, and Mr. Wright went down to the city Wednesday to be present at an operation which it was found necessary to perform.

City Attorney Fesenbeck and A. C. Schmidtill saw the performance of the "Chocolate Soldier" at the Lyceum in Duluth Tuesday night.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian church has elected these officers: President, Miss Grace Cameron; vice president, Miss Gertrude McNitt; treasurer, Clyde Kutzner; secretary, Madge Connors; corresponding secretary, Miss Rachel McMillan; chairman social committee, Miss Winnie McGillvray; music committee, Miss Lyda Hoyt; missionary, Miss Margaret McLeod; prayer meeting, Lyman Sheehan; lookout, Loren Sheehan.

Owing to some trouble with the boilers the box factory was shut down several days this week, but is now operating again.

H. E. McLean, surveyor for the Cloquet Lumber company, was in the city Thursday visiting his family and attending to some business matters.

Miss Mary Lancore of Virginia, and her niece, Cosette Deering, are guests at the Joe Stone home.

Frank Willette of Chippewa Falls has been visiting at the Peter Rousseau home this week.

Mrs. Ed. McDevitt returned the first of the week from Spirit Lake, Idaho, where she has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Isabel Phalon.

Roy Harrison came down from Camp 9 Saturday to remain in the city over Sunday.

Mrs. Bert McCoubrey and two children and Mrs. George Main were shopping in Duluth Friday.

Fred Sanborn is locating a number of camps at Boulder Lake and has been moving part of his logging outfit from Brimson to the new place of operating.

Mrs. Collins of Superior was the guest of Mrs. Jack Mahony Tuesday.

Louis Hanson of the Ada Milling company was in the city Wednesday on business.

The teachers of the Garfield school enjoyed a sleigh ride Monday night and afterward a lunch at R. F. Cochrane's.

Thomas E. Harper, employed by the government, in the department of justice, was in the city Wednesday investigating alleged frauds in connection with Indian lands on the Fond du Lac reservation. Mr. Harper has had years of experience in this work and is conversant with the entire history of the frauds in connection with the lands at White Earth.

Thursday night the Modern Woodmen, who number about 300 members, elected the following officers: Venerable consul, Roy Heasley; worthy advisor, A. J. Young; excellent banker, A. Bonnier; clerk, W. J. Peters; escort, William Boyer; watchman, J. Andrews; sentry, O. P. Roy; manager, J. A. E. Grenier; physicians, J. E. Nyquist, J. W. Havens.

The Brotherhood of American Yeomen elected as follows: Foreman, L. S. Patterson; master of ceremonies, Harvey Ralph; correspondent, Mrs. Kingsley; master of accounts, Gust Arnold; chaplain, Mrs. Letier.

The Royal Neighbors, Camp No. 3899, have not completed their election, but Thursday evening held a reception for their presiding oracle, Mrs. Isaac Bonnier, who has held the office for four years, and who succeeds herself for the coming year. Mrs. Bonnier was presented with a handsome library table from the members of the lodge, who appreciate her work as presiding officer of the lodge.

TWO HARBORS

Two Harbors, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Ole Wick visited friends in Duluth over Sunday.

Miss Anna Engstrom is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. A. Yernberg, in Duluth.

Miss Ruth Woodfill will leave the last of the month for Florida, where she will spend the rest of the winter.

Charles Lind left Monday for Chisago county and Iowa, where he will visit for the remainder of the winter.

M. L. Stott and family have moved to Duluth for the remainder of the winter and probably permanently as M. Stott is on a passenger now, which leaves him in Duluth a big part of the time.

Louis McKenna of Biwabik was in the city Friday.

E. J. Sturwald was down from Virginia, looking after his business here this week.

Emmett Jones of Tower returned home last week after a visit here.

J. L. Nelson of Saskatchewan came here last week to visit his brother, G. C. Nelson.

Mrs. H. C. Hamilton and baby left on Saturday for a visit with Mr. Hamilton's relatives in St. Paul.

Andrew Hanson and daughter are visiting in Hibbing with relatives this week.

D. W. Owens went to Baraboo, Wis., Wednesday with the remains of Thomas Brennan, as representative of the O. R. C.

Mrs. W. N. Moulton returned Saturday from a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. John Reigart at Nashwauk.

L. H. Bryan leaves Sunday on a business trip to Chicago.

Bert Laux has purchased the H. Glasford home on Tenth avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Glasford will leave for Western Canada where they will make their future home.

Mrs. John McGraw left Wednesday for a visit with her daughter in the West.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Irwin from Winnipeg were in the city last week visiting their cousins, the Irwin brothers, and families. Mr. H. M. Irwin is home on a furlough from Turkey, where he has been missionary for three years.

Engineer George Pirath left Thursday for Tacoma, Wash., to spent the winter with his mother.

FRAZEE

Frazee, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Charley Broberg left Wednesday evening for St. Paul, to be absent several weeks.

William Geisenheyner is in St. Paul.

Carl Schmitz arrived home Wednesday from Yates, Mont., for a visit with his family.

Mr. Beulke bought the City Meat market Wednesday of Edward Schraun.

John Kohler came up from Little Falls Wednesday to renew old acquaintances.

Charley Hoffman returned to his home at Knox, N. D., Monday.

The Fern Leaf Chapter of the Eastern Star elected officers Wednesday evening. The following were elected: Worthy matron, Mrs. Miles; worthy patron, N. Rosenbloom; assistant matron, Mrs. J. C. Nichols; conductress, Mrs. B. Y. McNairy; assistant conductress, Mrs. Durkin; secretary, Mrs. Lyons; treasurer, Mrs. Durkin.

The planing mill has been shut down all week, so the company can take stock of the yards.

F. C. Clayton, Bert Stelzner and Charley Mulenbine went to Fargo Wednesday morning to attend a special meeting of the Odd Fellows' lodge.

The Masons of the Frazee lodge gave a banquet at the Windsor hotel Monday evening. A large representation of the Detroit lodge was present.

A basket ball game was played Friday evening at the gymnasium between the Frazee Regulars and Independents.

Mrs. P. O'Neil and children left this week for Western Canada, where they will join Mr. O'Neil.

Dave Graham left Monday for a visit at Montreal, Can., and will be gone for some time.

Mrs. E. R. Barton and family returned Monday from their visit in the Twin Cities.

Mrs. Cook and family left Saturday for their new home in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirmse of Dubuque, Iowa, are here visiting their son, Dr. Kirmse, and wife.

Mrs. Emil Burrow returned Sunday from her visit to Little Falls.

H. C. Drewes and daughter Olivia left for Chicago Wednesday to visit Mr. Drews' parents for a couple of weeks.

Herman Meyers and Glenn Anderson left Wednesday for Alexandria, where they will attend a business college.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Lord returned Saturday to their home at Lake Park.

Mrs. Daniel Lucas visited in Perham the fore part of the week.

Frank Wokosch arrived home Saturday from Casselton, N. D., where he has been working this fall.

A quilting party was held Thursday afternoon at Mrs. Bates' home. Tea was served.

Mrs. F. C. Clayton spent a few days in Fargo this week.

Fred Iten returned Thursday from Spooner, where he has taken a homestead.

Mr. Robenstein of St. Paul arrived here Thursday for a visit with his sister, Mrs. N. Rosenbloom.

Glern Stein returned Tuesday from his visit with relatives in Minneapolis.

KELSEY

Kelsey, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—John Channer returned Saturday from a two weeks' visit with relatives in Iowa.

Mrs. Augusta Gingley is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. William Stevens.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. William Stevens, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia is reported improving.

The M. W. A. lodge held an election of officers Saturday evening, Dec. 3.

Mrs. H. Person went to the Zenith City last Friday.

Herbert Mathews returned to his home Saturday after spending a few days in Duluth.

The building committee of the First Presbyterian church held a meeting last week. Many attended besides the church members, all showing a progressive spirit.

The building committee of the First Presbyterian church held another meeting Tuesday evening. A large number were present.

Miss Beulah Dass, who has been very ill at her home is reported much better.

NEGAUNEE

Negaunee, Mich., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.) — John Stevens and Miss Kate E. Gilbert, a recent arrival from England were married Monday night at the home of William Allen on Jackson street. The ceremony was performed by Justice Irving Argall.

Mrs. Mary Stubbs of St. Paul has been visiting Mrs. Anna W. Johnson the past week.

Mrs. Charles Chick has returned to her home in Ontonagon, after a visit with Mrs. Cleo Meilleur.

Miss Mayme Kirkpatrick, who spent the past two months here visiting her brother, Charles, has gone to Oshkosh, where she will visit for some time.

Alfred Truscott, a resident of Negaunee for over twenty years, has gone to his old home in England, where he expects to spend the remainder of his life.

Alfred Thomas, clerk in the Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic Railway company's local office, who underwent an operation for appendicitis, resumed work the fore part of the week.

Dec. 30, is the date of the second of the series of dancing parties to be given by the Masonic club, in the local hall.

The Negaunee camp of the Modern Woodmen of America elected officers for the ensuing year Wednesday night.

Arthur Pascoe, son of Thomas Pascoe, who was recently operated upon for appendicitis, will soon be around again.

Jacob Maki a Negaunee Finn, and John Syryamaki, who recently sold his farm on the Palmer highway, left this week for Keene, N. H., where they will locate on farms.

G. W. Simonson of Green Bay left Monday evening for his home after a visit with his son-in-law, Ray Rrotherton.

Frank Van Handle, who resigned from his position at the South Shore passenger station here, has taken a position at Cusson, a telegraph station near Iron River, Wis.

The senior class of the Negaunee high school conducted their annual dance, Friday evening, the 9th.

The free mail delivery service will be started in Negaunee, Feb. 1.

ISHPEMING

Ishpeming, Mich., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Mrs. A. Ellstram of this city, who submitted to an operation at St. Mary's hospital in Marquette and has since that time been confirned to that institution returned to her home here this week.

Miss Florence entertained the members of her music class last Saturday afternoon at her home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Hugh Doudna have occupied the Gylling residence at the corner of High and First street in this city.

Prof. H. L. Smyth, who is head geologist for the Cleveland-Cliffs Iron company spent several days this week in the city on business.

Miles Butler, who recently assumed the management of the Swift house in Duluth removed his family to that city this week.

Mrs. Martin Golden of Menominee, Mich., has been in the city visiting at the home of her son-in-law, Louis Toutloff.

A. R. Watson, one of the Ishpeming high school faculty, who was married during the Thanksgiving vacation was tendered a reception by several of his Ishpeming friends and presented with an electric reading lamp.

Miss Mayme Brown of this city has accepted a position as school teacher at the new town of Diorite.

Charles Clewan of this city left the fore part of the week for an extended visit to England, where he has a large number of relatives and friends.

Harry Crafft, who has general supervision of the Swift Beef company's houses in the Northwest, spent some time in this city recently on business.

Harry Mack, who had been connected with the Marquette County Telephone company here for the past couple of years, has resigned and left the city for his home in Lafayette, Ind.

Mrs. George Duquette of this city entertained at her home one day the fore part of the week in honor of Miss Viola Oliver of Calumet, who has been in the city visiting for some time past.

Mrs. A. C. Braastad, who had been at Augustana hospital, Chicago, for some time past, arrived home from there the fore part of the week. Miss Ingeborg Braastad, who had been in Chicago with her for the past ten days or more arrived home with her.

Mrs. Joseph Cardinal of Beason, who had been in the city for some time visiting friends has gone to Kenton, where she will visit her son for some time before returning home.

John Quayle, who accidentally shot himself in the leg while hunting some time ago, and who has since been confined to the Ishpeming hospital, where it was found necessary to amputate one of his feet, has left the hospital and been taken to his home in the city.

Supt. E. E. Scribner of the local schools and some of the members of the board of education of the city of Ishpeming were in Marquette Wednesday attending a meeting of school superintendents and other officials, which was held at the normal school that afternoon.

Harry Lambert, manager of the "Seven Days" company, which will soon appear at the Ishpeming theater spent a couple of days this week in the city on business.

J. S. Wahlman left the middle part of the week for Milwaukee, where he has taken his son Edgar to a hospital there to have his eyes treated.

The first of a series of club dances to be given this season by several young men of the city was held in Anderson's hall Friday evening, and was a successful function.

Mrs. J. P. Outhwaite of this city spent most of the week in Gwinn visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. M. Leonard.

Annar Krogdahl and Len Olson, who are now located at Gwinn spent the fore part of the week in the city visiting relatives and friends.

Drs. D. R. McIntyre and W. E. Smith of Gwinn spent a couple of days the fore part of the week in the city on business.

Capt. Collick of the Cleveland Lake mine for the Cleveland-Cliffs Iron company, spent the fore part of the week in Gwinn.

FOND DU LAC

Fond du Lac, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas MacGilvray spent Friday at Fond du Lac.

Gust Rakowsky of West Duluth was a guest of his uncle, C. A. Krause, Saturday.

Miss Hilma Peterson was in the city Saturday.

Miss Celia Durfee was in the city Saturday and Sunday and was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Peterson.

Judge Cant and his son, Howard, spent Sunday in Fond du Lac.

A. Relfsness of Duluth was in Fond du Lac Sunday.

George Nelson of Duluth was a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Nelson, Sunday.

Maurice Hogstad of Duluth spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hogstad.

Dr. Graham of West Duluth made two professional calls here this week.

Mrs A. January, who has been seriously ill the past week, is convalescing.

Mrs. A. L. Bishop and her little daughter spent Saturday in Fond du Lac.

J. H. Brigham returned to the city for the winter months.

Game Warden John Green paid Fond du Lac a business visit Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Harvey left for Sparta, Ill., Wednesday. They will visit with Mrs. Harvey's brother for a few days. From there they expect to go to California for Mrs. Harvey's health.

Mrs. Cole was in the city Tuesday.

BROOKSTON

Brookston, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—E. F. Phillips of Cloquet has been in the village this week papering H. Perkin's house and doing some sign work for A. F. Hutchins.

James Richardson has moved his household goods from Scanlon and taken up his abode in the house recently vacated by P. A. Banta and family. Mr. Richardson has rented the Banta place for a year.

G. A. Wyly of Duluth was here Wednesday. Mr. Wyly recently purchased a tract of land about two miles up the St. Louis river from town, and is making preparations to improve the same considerably this winter.

J. B. Nygard, the sawmill man of Poupores Siding, states that the residents of Poupore are circulating a petition, which will be presented to the railroad and warehouse commissioners, asking the Great Northern Railway company to provde suitable station facilities at Paupores. There are no suitable quarters provided at present, and travelers are subject to considerable hardship while waiting for trains.

Elmer Weaver was in Duluth Thursday.

Local thermometers registered 25 below zero at 3 o'clock Thursday morning. This is the coldest weather of the present winter.

E. Keable and daughter, Dora, departed Sunday evening for Spring Valley, Sask., where they will spend several weeks with relatives.

A petition signed by about fifty residents of this vicinity was presented to the board of county commissioners Wednesday, asking that a highway into the reservation be legalized. The road as petitioned for will commence outside of the village limits and run south to the line between townships 50-18 and 51-18, thence west to the line between ranges 18 and 19, thence south on the range line to the county line. The road will be about ten miles in length and will serve in the neighborhood of 100 settlers.

Mrs. F. L. Brittany and son are visiting with Superior relatives this week.

The Carl Hall company of Duluth has a crew of men and horses at work at Mile Post 62, four miles west of town, where considerable work will be done for the Great Northern.

Henry Mueller of Duluth was transacting business in the village Thursday.

The Eklund Clothing company has installed a set of Pittner gas light, adding greatly to the appearance of the interior of the store.

Oliver Olson, John Bjorlin and A. Christensen returned Wednesday evening from Duluth, where they attended the meeting of the county board. The gentlemen presented a road petition, and upon their return stated that the committee on roads will viw the proposed highway some time in January.

Miss Regina Keable has completed a two months' course at a Duluth school of dressmaking, and returned to her home last Saturday.

Ward Hager, who was a valued member of the Brookston baseball team last summer, returned to the village this week after an absence of several weeks, and is now engaged with an extra gang on the Great Northern working out of here.

C. O. Eklund was present at the meeting of the board of commissioners Wednesday with a petition praying for a wagon bridge across the St. Louis river at this point. The commissioners will view the local situation in January, and there is no doubt but what they will favor the construction of the bridge at an early date.

Walter Petite has been working with the steam shovel crew at Lindsay pit this week.

O. V. Eklund, the jeweler, returned Thursday from a business trip to Duluth.

Earl Garland expects to leave in a few days to take up a position as third "trick" man at the State Line tower, near Superior.

Mrs. J. H. Fleming was up from Hinckley the first of the week, packing up her household goods preparatory to moving to Hinckley, where Mr. Fleming is now employed. Mrs. Keift, mother of Mrs. Fleming, was also here.

W. G. Black, who has a homestead claim about twelve miles from town, has purchased a sawmill outfit and will install the same during the winter. A portable mill such as Mr. Black has bought will be a great boon to the many settlers who have taken up homesteads within the former Fond du Lac reservation.

Edward Donley has commenced to haul his winter's output of timber. Mr. Donley expects to clear considerable land, which is heavily timbered, and the merchantable timber will amount to quite a bit.

Miss Dora Keable was agreeably surprised by a party of young folks last Saturday evening. They all had a merry time for a few hours, and Miss Keable was the recipient of several beautiful gifts.

Edward Harder, who is now working for Butler Brothers at Virginia, spent Sunday at his home in this village. Mr. Harder is undecided as to whether or not he will remove to the range city.

J. S. Cash and W. H. Smallwood, Jr., who are holding down homestead lands in township 50-19, were in the village Thursday on their way to Duluth to spend several days. They were accompanied by George Delisle, who has been visiting with them for some time.

Gene Keable and young daughter, of Cloquet, spent Sunday with Brookston relatives.

Mrs. L. M. Maloney of Fond du Lac, Wis., arrived here last Friday for a two weeks' visit with her sisters, Mrs. C. E. Shortell and Miss Margaret Ryan.

Mrs. H. F. Colson and Miss Gertrude Wentzloff were Cloquet visitors Saturday.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church will have a chicken pie supper and bazar in the church building next Saturday evening.

W. D. Stevens, who is now engaged in the timber and iron land business in Superior, spent a couple of days this week in the village.

A baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Ciocarelli, Sunday night.

At the regular meeting of the village council Monday evening the plat of Diesen's addition to Brookston was accepted, and a copy thereof placed on file in the recorder's office.

Through an unavoidable delay the state railroad and warehouse commissioners failed to arrive here Tuesday to hold the scheduled hearing regarding the local station facilities furnished by the Great Northern Railway company. The hearing will take place next Tuesday.

TWIG

Twig, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Peter Golivas, formerly of the engineer force of the Canadian Northern railway here, left Monday for Sturgeon Lake, Minn., to visit his uncle, after which he will spend the holidays at his home in Harvey, Ill.

The Twig baseball club will give a dance at the town hall tonight.

Joseph La Tave was hurt by a falling tree while cutting cord wood with Reginald Hood. He was able to return to his home in Duluth and it is expected he will soon recover.

Gustaf and Otto Leisner left Thursday for Chrigsler, Minn., where they will be employed for the winter.

Ole Nickelson of Duluth spent a few days last week with his family here.

James Barnard spent a week in Duluth last week visiting friends.

Miss Selma Moline, teacher at the Mud lake school, has resigned, her resignation to take effect at Christmas.

The children in the schools are busy preparing for the Christmas programs.

William Carper, formerly of Iowa, is spending a week here looking over the country. Mr. Carper thinks of locating here permanently.

W. G. Hammond has started his camp at Martin's Siding and will take out ties this winter.

INTERNATIONAL FALLS

International Falls, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Rev. T. W. Howard of Birchdale was in town this week en route to his home from the Twin Cities where he had spent several weeks soliciting funds with which to rebuild the Congregational church at Baudette, which was destroyed by the fire. Rev. Mr. Howard was at Baudette at the time of the fire and gives a graphic description of scenes incident to the same. The relation of his experiences and those with which he was familiar in the pulpits of the churches of the southern part of the state enabled Mr. Howard to secure $2,000, with which an even larger and better temple of worship will be erected.

Mrs. W. F. Marvin will spend the holidays at the home of her parents in Iowa.

Miss Stella Robedeau of Grand Forks, N. D., is visiting here.

Oscar Lindvall has purchased the interest of his brother, Fred, in the confectionery business conducted by Lindvall Bros.

Mrs. J. J. Doran and children visited here with Mr. Doran over Sunday.

E. W. Kibbey of Margie, the civil engineer, who was a candidate for county surveyor last fall, is opening an office here.

Will Herron will leave soon for Arkansas to spend the winter.

President Backus of the Minnesota & Ontario Power company has made application to the government for an additional strip of land along the river front in Fort Frances, which he states will be required in order to construct the paper mill which the company proposes to build there at an early date.

Bergeron & Malloy, pioneer merchants of Ranier, have disposed of their business to S. V. Palmer and E. H. Weber of Chisholm, and the latter are now in possession. Bergeron & Malloy are well known throughout this section, they have been connected with the construction department of the Rainy Lake railroad when it was being extended to Ranier. Their plans for the future are not settled as yet, but it is hoped that they will decide to remain in this locality.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Risberg are preparing to remove to Keokuk, Iowa, where Mr. Risberg will enter the employ of the Keokuk & Hamilton Power company, in the capacity of auditor. Mr. Risberg has been connected with the office of the manager of the Minnesota & Ontario Power company of this place during the past two years, in the capacity of chief clerk and has proven himself a valuable man in the handling on construction work accounts. The Keokuk & Hamilton Power company is preparing to develop the powers of the rapids in the Mississippi river above those towns.

AITKIN

Aitkin, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Miss Pearl Herring, who has been seriously ill for several months, has sufficiently recovered to go to her mother's home in Minneapolis.

Roscoe Reynolds was down from Shovel Lake Monday.

August Sherman and Miss Nora B. Christian of Hebron were married last Saturday in the courthouse, Judge Williams performing the ceremony.

G. S. Kathan, wife and children leave next week for Nebraska, where Mrs Kathan and children will visit relatives and Mr. Kathan will proceed to Arizona for the balance of the winter, seeking relief from throat trouble.

The funeral of Mrs. Kate Daly Smith was held in the Catholic church Monday morning and the remains were taken to North Dakota for burial.

Mrs. A. B. Feero underwent a very serious operation in a Minneapolis hospital Monday.

Miss Anna Wohlin has returned from Minneapolis.

Mrs. Dan Lemire has returned from Forrest Lake, Minn., where she was called by the illness and death of her sister. Leo and Joseph Jerry of Aitkin are brothers of the deceased.

The arc lights on the streets are being replaced by incandescent lamps.

The Charles G. Peterson Mercantile company has opened up for business in the new Foley brick block opposite the Northern Pacific depot.

Frank Carlson and James Yates have rented the building at the corner of Birch and Fourth streets and will open a moving picture theater.

Gust West, who was employed in the sawmill near the electric light plant, was struck on the head by a slab a few days ago causing a deep scalp wound.

William A. Eastwood, Sr., of the town of Hebron, was brought before Judge Williams Saturday and examined for his sanity by three local physicians, as he had threatened to shoot a neighbor. He was declared sane and given his liberty on the promise of no more trouble.

Harry Funston was called to Iowa last week by the death of his grandfather.

Announcements have reached here of the marriage of Miss Bessie Deneen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Deneen of this county, to A. M. Hays of St. Paul, executive clerk to Governor Eberhart. The wedding occurred at Forman, N. D.

T. C. Carroll of Circle City, Alaska, arrived here a few days ago to visit his mother, Mrs. Thomas Carroll of Pine Knoll and his sister, Mrs. Charles Peterson of Aitkin. Mr. Carroll has been in Alaska four years, and has some property there. He walked from Circle City to the coast, a distance of 550 miles, where he took passage for Seattle.

Mrs. W. I. Wilson has returned from Binford, N. D., where she has been visiting her daughter, Miss Geneva Wilson, who is teaching in that place.

J. B. Gilmore and Ray Gilmore arrived home Wednesday from Pine River dam, where they have been engaged in painting and decorating some government buildings.

Gorge Morine came down from Olson's camp last week ill with typhoid fever and is now in the local hospital.

Miss Wright of Duluth was the guest of Miss McDonald a few days ago.

During the game season seventy-one deer killed in this county were shipped to various places from here.

R. L. Dean shipped a live cub bear Monday night to John Mack of Minneapolis.

Mrs. J. V. Chaffee of West Concord, Minn., is the guest of her father, George Reynolds, and will later join her husband in Glendive, Mont.

BARNUM

Barnum, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Mrs. R. L. Goodell returned from Duluth Monday, where she had been to see her niece, Miss Scott, who is a patient at St. Mary's hospital, following an operation for appendicitis. Mrs. Goodell while in Duluth contracted a severe cold with symptoms of tonsilitis.

The I. O. O. F. lodge held their election Monday night and the following officers were elected for the coming year: R. L. Goodell, N. G.; S. S. Shannon, V. G.; H. Gerlach, treasurer; J. D. Barstow, secretary. The election called out nearly all the members and in consequence an enthusiastic meeting was held.

The young men of Barnum have arranged to give a dance at the hall, Saturday evening. The Miner Bros. and Miss Weske will furnish the music.

Mrs. J. M. Sauntry went to Duluth Wednesday for a few days' visit.

Miss Alice Carlson arrived from Duluth Wednesday, where she has been visiting.

Mrs. J. S. Goodell returned from a visit with her parents at Morris Sunday evening.

L. J. Beck and Otto Miller have gone to the range where they will remain for some time.

E. L. Barstow has rented part of the building known as the Clifton house, where he will reside.

Antone Osborne of Mahtowa was in town Wednesday and bought a stack of hay.

The Northern Pacific bridge and repair crew were here this week tearing down the water tank and loading it onto cars.

J. D. Connor was here Saturday and Sunday, attending the Carlton County Fair association meeting and visiting his family.

Misses Allie Spangle and Grace Cheeseman left Sunday for Marshalltown, Iowa, where they will remain for the rest of the winter.

J. D. Barstow had the misfortune to lose a $20 bill Tuesday.

SMITHVILLE

Smithville, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—George Hanson and Joseph Brett of the Canadian Northern surveying crew, were tranferred to Twig.

Miss Ethel Overton spent the last of the week in Duluth.

Elmer Magneson, who was employed at the Thompson and Stewart camp, left for his home in Duluth.

A. G. Messer of Duluth, brought out a large sleigh-load of men from the range, to buy real estate here.

Edmund Johnson and Miss Mable Johnson spent Wednesday in Duluth.

Miss Eileen Mahoney is spending the week here with her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Brink.

Miss Amelia Nelson spent Wednesday in Duluth.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Damkroeger and son of New Duluth, spent Sunday here as the guests of Mrs. Damkroeger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Dash.

Mrs. Andrew Nelson who has been confined to the house with rheumatism, is reported no better.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Larson spent the first of the week with friends in Duluth.

The Ski club are having good times here as the snow is fine for contests.

Walter L. Dash of New Duluth, spent Monday here with his parents.

Local residents are going to send a petition to the Northern Pacific Railroad company asking them to erect a waiting room at Grand avenue. There is only a platform there now and the public and mail carrier are compelled to wait in the cold for trains.

Herbert McMeeken, who was employed with the Duluth, Winnipeg & Pacific railroad, returned to his home in Duluth on account of sickness.

Einar Jacobson of Duluth, spent Sunday here as the guest of Arthur Renstrom.

William Havron of Duluth, is spending the week here with his brother Thomas Havron.

Mrs. William, who spent the week the guest of her brother John Hogan returned to her home in Duluth.

Mrs. John Hogan was hostess at luncheon Friday. Covers were laid for nine, the guests were: Mrs. Quackenbush, Mrs. Thomas Havron, Mrs. A. G. Renstrom, Mrs. Charles Lundquist, Mrs. Andrew Olson, Mrs. J. Hogan, Mrs. Williamson and Mrs. Carlson of Duluth.

James Burns of Aitkin, came here

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SOCIAL and OTHER NEWS of our NEIGHBORS

Tuesday. He will take Mr. Googie's place with the Canadian Northern Railroad company. Mr. Googie was called home on the account of his mother being ill.

Harry Renstrom is confined to the house with a severe cold.

Thompson & Stuart, contractors of Duluth, who are putting in the concrete abuttment for a 250 foot bridge to cross Stuart's creek here for the Canadian Northern railroad expect to be through the first of next week. They will go from here to Munger where they have a large contract for the same company.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Brink spent Wednesday in Duluth the guest of their daughter, Mrs. A. D. Mahoney.

The Smithville Yacht club is getting ice boats ready for use. There will be several new boats this year.

Mrs. John Hogan spent the first of the week with her parents in Duluth.

The school teachers and pupils are busy getting up the Christmas entertainment.

Mrs. A. R. Felkert transacted business in Duluth the last of the week.

Albert Overton returned home from a trip to the range.

Edward Dash was a business caller in Superior, Wis., Tuesday.

Miss Burnice Johnson of Short Line Park, was the guest of Ruth Renstrom.

Fire Inspector Schinlaub of Duluth, was out here Monday inspecting the new building.

Contractor O'Connel of Houghton, Mich., has a crew of men working night and day at the large tunnel for the Canadian Northern railroad between here and Short Line Park.

COTTON

Cotton, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—A prayer meeting was held at the Miller Trunk school, Sunday, Dec. 4.

Rev. Mr. Thornberg of Cook, was a caller here Sunday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Nelson, Dec. 5.

Abraham Wickstrom, postmaster of this place was in Duluth Monday.

John Magnuson was a caller at Kelsey Wednesday.

Mr. Stevens of Kelsey was here Wednesday.

A dance was given at the home of John Henrikson at Wall-Hollow Saturday night.

Miss Ella Erickson was a Duluth visitor last week.

Anton Erickson was at Kelsey Wednesday.

J. Henrikson of Wall-Hollow was a caller here Monday.

MIDWAY

Midway, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—H. E. Duncan of Fargo, N. D., was here Tuesday.

Arthur Aho of South Dakota is visiting at the John Knutinen home at Pine Hill.

Adolph Johnson and Arthur Helmer left on Monday for Cincinnati, Ohio, to work as firemen on the Baltimore & Ohio railway.

Adolph Nolin returned Monday morning from St. Paul, where he has visited with his mother and brother for a couple of weeks.

At the meeting of Midway camp, Modern Woodmen of America, Tuesday evening, the following were elected officers: V. C., Lewis F. Hill; W. A., Swan Olson; banker, Oscar Erickson; clerk, Henry Norman; escort, Walfred Peterson; watchman, Carl Strom; sentry, Axel Erickson; managers, Aaron Stark and Leonard Lambert; physicians, Dr. I. T. Burnside and Dr. L. T. Pare.

Harry Smith, solicitor for The Duluth Herald, was a Midway caller on Wednesday.

Oscar Erickson made a business trip to Duluth on Thursday.

Arnold Farm and Adolph Nolin made a trip to Cloquet on Thursday.

O. M. Lackie is taking out ties and logs from his property near Proctor.

FLOODWOOD

Floodwood, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Dr. M. N. Triplett returned Friday from a few days' business trip to Duluth.

M. H. Schussler of Minneapolis was here Wednesday looking after timber interests.

W. A. Epperson of Brookston was here Thursday on business.

R. L. Burke of the Bowe-Burke company, contractors at Duluth, was here Wednesday looking over the new school house which is nearing completion.

R. W. Wilson left for Duluth Friday for a few days' business trip.

A farewell luncheon was served at the Alhambra hotel Sunday evening in honor of G. Stokke who left Tuesday for a visit with his relatives in Norway.

Ande Anderson returned to Elmer Thursday after a week's visit with friends here.

M. Taylor and C. Boppel of Grand Rapids arrived here Thursday to complete the heating plant in the new school house.

John Stokke spent the fore part of the week in Duluth on business.

WALKER

Walker, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—District court completed its fall term Saturday after a three weeks' session.

Miss Cora Lucia went to Bemidji Tuesday, accompanied by Mrs. Bordwell and Earl Hoover.

Harry Bonga is numbered with the sick this week.

E. W. Endersbe has been troubled with blood poisoning in his right hand and has consequently been off duty at the box factory for several days.

Miss Martha Dubay is acting as deputy clerk in the office of county register of deeds.

James Campbell left for Red Wing the first of the week. He is working at his trade of blacksmithing at that place this winter.

Mrs. Rudolph Stettsbaucher was operated upon for appendicitis at the Walker hospital this week and is getting along nicely.

Will Spencer has returned to Le Grande, Or., after having spent several weeks here with his father and sisters.

Martin Groslein was up from Minneapolis this week. He was formerly foreman of the box factory here.

Mike Grange, a woodsman, was brought from Kinkele's camp Thursday suffering from a broken leg, received from a falling tree.

M. Bateman's son sprained an ankle this week while playing at the high school gymnasium.

Mrs. Rockivick returned to Minneapolis this week after visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Ed Rogers. Her little granddaughter, Vaunda Rogers, accompanied her to the city.

Ivan Peterson, freight agent at the M. & I. depot is sick at the Brainerd hospital with typhoid fever.

The Tuesday club went to Laporte this week and was royally entertained by Mrs. Louise Brumund at the Hotel Mearow. The party numbered over twenty and a delightful time was reported. Mrs. M. Lawr captured head prize at Five Hundred.

The Passion Play film was put on at the Grand theater Friday evening, the sacred music being sung by Miss Gladys Davis.

AURORA

Aurora, Minn., Dec. 10.—Special to The Herald.)—Miss Julia Lilja who recently resigned her position in the Aurora schools to accept a similar one at Eveleth has left for that place. Her position at Aurora has been filled by Miss Friedheim who has taught the Mesaba school for the past several years. The vacancy has been filled by Miss Berg of Duluth.

At a recent meeting of the I. O. O. F. lodge the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: P. M. Johnson, noble grand; August Tillmans, vice grand; F. L. Freeman, recording secretary; Marcus Levin, treasurer.

Two boxes of 60 per cent dynamite and one box of caps were exploded at the Hudson mine last Monday while being thawed. Things were jarred up as the result. No one was near at the time.

John Gersich and Charles H. Graham went to Duluth Wednesday on school business.

Mrs. P. M. Johnson and son were guests of relatives at Biwabik last Sunday.

The supper and sale held by the ladies' aid of the M. E. church at the K. P. hall Wednesday night was a very successful affair, netting a neat sum for the treasury of the society.

August Knuti was at Virginia on business one day recently.

Mrs. F. C. Wittee was an Eveleth visitor between trains last Monday.

Mrs. H. F. Kendall of Virginia visited friends in town several days this week.

RED LAKE FALLS

Red Lake Falls, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—The M. B. A. lodge has arranged for three entertainments to be given during the winter. The first number, Robert Miekle and his company was greeted by a packed house on Monday night. On Feb. 20, the "Merry Musicians" will appear and on March 25, the Lyceum Players will come for one night.

Rehearsal for the comedy drama, "Oak Farm" is progressing fine and it is the intention to give the play on the evenings of Dec. 29 and 30. This play is the first of a series of three to be given by local talent during the winter, the proceeds going towards paying the expenses of remodeling the Bijou moving picture house, into an up-to-date theater with stage and other necessary equipment.

The newly appointed county commissioners met with the balance of the board Monday and took the oath of office. No other business was transacted but a special ditch meeting has been called for Dec. 16, to hear the petitions in the matter of county ditches Nos. 51 and 52.

Miss Elsie Mead and Arthur R. Brown were married Wednesday afternoon by Rev. Mr. Hughes of the Presbyterian church. The young couple will be at home after Jan. 15 at Wenatchee, Wash.

The Pennington County Abstract company has been formed with head offices at Thief River Falls. Daniel Shaw of that place is president and Frank Jeffers, register of deeds of Red Lake county, is secretary.

The finishing touches are being put on the new Red Lake county courthouse and it is the intention of the contractor to have everything in readiness for dedication on Jan. 2.

In conformity with the laws of the Catholic church, Rev. Father Fayolle has resigned as vice president and director of the Farmers' National bank of this place.

Father Ambrose of St. Mary's parish has returned from a three months' trip to Europe. Father Conrad, who substituted here has gone to Richland, Minn.

Judge of Probate Richardson has moved his family from Thief River Falls and has gone to housekeeping here. Sheriff-elect Charles Fellman has also moved down from St. Hilaire. These moves have been made necessary by reason of the fact that a residence of thirty days in the county is required by any person elected to county office. Both St. Hilaire and Thief River Falls are in Pennington county, which was organized since the last election.

H. H. Zaiser of this city has announced that the new bank at Federal Dam, on the Duluth-Thief River line of the Soo, in which he is a heavy stockholder, will open for business before Jan. 1.

E. A. Mittwer has sold his hardware store in this city and expects to leave soon for Minneapolis.

John Mimesgern, a well known resident of this city died Tuesday afternoon from paralysis following a severe cold. He was 87 years old and was the father of six children. The remains were shipped to Port Washington on Thursday and interment will take place in that city.

NEW DULUTH

New Duluth, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Miss Lillian Krueger of South Superior was a Sunday visitor here with her parents.

Mr. Waymann of Brimson was a guest at the F. M. Hicks home last week.

Mrs. C. W. Peters, Miss Ethel Becklinger and Mrs. C. H. Giddings were Duluth visitors Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Brouillette spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Duluth.

Mrs. Henry Murphy was a Duluth visitor Tuesday.

Louis Fischer of South Superior spent Sunday in New Duluth.

Miss Jennie Hicks was a West Duluth visitor Tuesday afternoon.

Herbert McKay of West Duluth visited with his parents here the fore part of the week.

Mrs. P. Knudsen was a Duluth visitor Wednesday afternoon.

The Ladies' Social league met at the home of Mrs U. C. Tower Tuesday evening. It was decided to hold the next meeting at the home of Mrs. C. Christopherson. Refreshments were served by the entertaining committee.

Mrs. Bert Laidley was a Duluth visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. H. D. Bloyer and children of West Duluth visited friends and relatives here over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Hongell, who have resided in New Duluth the past few months, moved to West Duluth the first of the week.

The Royal Neighbor lodge elected officers at their last meeting, as follows: Oracle, Mrs. Frank Brand; vice oracle, Mrs. W. H. Thayer; receiver, Mrs. C. F. Wills; recorder, Mrs. J. Bartz; chancellor, Mrs. J. Yungberg; marshal, Mrs. George Reindl; inner sentinel, Mrs. W. O'Connell; outer sentinel, Mrs. J. Rutter.

Joseph Youngberg was a business caller at Duluth Wednesday.

Ernest Anberg spent Sunday and Monday visiting his mother at Lake Nebagamon, Wis.

The East End Ice Company of Duluth has a crew of men here getting things in shape to commence their annual ice harvest. They are putting up the chutes and repairing the house in general. The ice is about five inches thick.

There will be a masquerade ball at the Maccabee hall Saturday evening

New Duluth young people are enjoying fine skating despite the heavy snow which fell recently. Some of the energetic youngsters cleared off a large sized rink and Sunday the young people turned out and enjoyed the pleasant afternoon on the ice.

The Zenith Telephone company has a crew of men at work here this week distributing telephone poles along the streets and avenues, heretofore the company strung their wires on the electric light company's poles, but business has increased to such an extent the company has decided to install its own poles and string new wires which will mean better telephone service for New Duluth.

SPOONER AND BAUDETTE

Spooner, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—J. U. Williams and C. R. Middleton returned Saturday evening from Brainerd, where they represented the village of Baudette at the Northern Minnesota Development association.

William Ford was here Wednesday from his home at Clementson.

A. B. Can came from Clementson this week. He does not look like a typhoid patient now.

John Heindahl was here from St. Paul Tuesday.

Otto Stoltz of Argyle is here on business this week.

George E. Ericson returned from Wheaton, Minn., where he went to spend Thanksgiving with his family, who have been there since the fire.

The Baudette schools are open in the temporary school buildings with the old corps of teachers.

Shoemaker Bohn is rather unfortunate. After burning out at Baudette in the forest fire he moved to Rainy River, and on Wednesday the fire fiend was after him again. He barely escaped from the fire in his night clothes.

Myrtle, the 2-year-old daughter of W. J. Snooks and wife, died Saturday of spinal meningitis. Services were held at the home and interment was at the Rainy River cemetery.

Mrs. T. S. Bang was down from Stratton, Ont., last week.

Mrs. Albert Berg has returned from St. Paul, where she spent the last four weeks.

Paul Brodin went to Winnipeg on Tuesday. We presume he went officially as deputy sheriff.

The members of the M. N. G. stationed at Baudette carried out a social hop at the Hoover & Wibbens' building at Baudette last week.

Work is progressing rapidly on the new school building at Spooner. The contract calls for its completion by Jan. 15 and Contractor Wierschke is rushing the work to get it completed in time.

The foundation has been completed for the new village hall at Spooner.

Thousands of men are coming into the country to help on logging operations and there is work for all. The cry is still for more men, as there is a great deal of timber which must be cut this year to be of any value.

The I. O. G. T. hall is nearly completed and it is expected to be opened by a grand ball at Christmas time.

The planer of the Shevlin-Mathieu Lumber company has been shut down for repairs.

The general Red Cross committee did not meet here last Sunday as planned, but they will all be here on the 12th inst. The relief work is being nicely handled by Mr. Ash, who is in charge.

More than one and a half feet of snow covers the ground now and cold weather having set in, it helps a great deal in the logging operations.

Oscar Olander went to Stratton, Ont., last Monday.

W. D. Colburn was here from Rapid River on Thursday. Walt is busy logging these days.

John Peterson returned Monday from a visit at Mankato and Minneapolis.

Dick Running sailed from New York last Wednesday for a Christmas visit at his old home in Norway.

Work was commenced Monday on the foundation for the Arnold general store in Spooner. A large crew of men is at work so as to have the building ready for occupancy by the first of the year.

A. M. Robertson is having plans prepared for a drug store. Work will be commenced as soon as the plans are prepared.

Dr. Corrigan has had plans prepared for the erection of his hospital at the old site. The new building is to be ten feet longer than the old.

GILBERT

Gilbert, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—The schools of Gilbert, Sparta and McKinley, as well as those of the outlying districts will observe Christmas this year by programs of music, songs, parties and drills in the various rooms on the afternoon of Dec. 16, the programs beginning at 2:30 p. m. in order that parents and others may have sufficient time to be present. The kindergartens will have Christmas parties in their rooms, decorating their rooms and tables with evergreens and serving Christmas luncheons and receiving Christmas presents. Quite a collection of the latter have been arranged for through the generosity of friends of the children, both here and in the Twin Cities.

The schools of McKinley and Elba will give a program in the village hall at McKinley on the afternoon of Dec. 16. The Sparta schools wil have their programs in the school building.

All of the primary grades of Gilbert will meet in the auditorium at 2:30 in the afternoon and entertain their parents and visitors with a program and Christmas tree festivities. Rehearsals are being held after school and the program will be well selected and carefully prepared.

Invitations will be sent out to the parents by the children and a general invitation extended to the public to be present.

A dancing party was given in Dowling's hall, Thursday evening. Forty couples were present.

The Catholic ladies gave a supper in Jaten's hall, Friday. A large number were in attendance, and report a fine time and good supper.

Misses Elizabeth Ferguson, Alice Robertson, Ella Johnson and Florence Williams were Virginia visitors this week.

The juniors and seniors of the high school entertained in the high school auditorium, Friday evening with a dancing party. The members of the high school faculty were also present.

Mesdames Jones, Tredeau and Radermacker entertained at a bridge party Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. C. Jones. Those present were: Mesdames Newberry, Thompson, Colvin, Ninmo, Bowman, Tracy. Luncheon was served.

Peter Cosgrove has finished placing the poles for electric lights preparatory to installing the lights in the houses.

Miss Winnifred Chinn, teacher in Latin at the Gilbert high school, has been ill this week. Miss Inez Hovey has been taking her classe for recitations.

Miss Della Murphy, stenographer for Graham & Young, contractors of the new school, has handed in her resignation and intends taking a position in Duluth.

K. K. Kappellar has moved into his fine new residence on New Jersey avenue.

Rev. Mr. Shorts and Dr. F. M. Francis have returned from a hunting trip in Wisconsin and Michigan.

Nestor Laine, who formerly occupied a part of the Masterson building, has moved to Broadway. Mr. Laine but recently completed his new building.

Mr. Parisien of Aurora has moved into the rooms vacated by Mr. Laine.

CASS LAKE

Cass Lake, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—William Winter, who runs a small logging camp near Deer River, was arrested Friday by Game Warden M. L. Toole of this village, charged with having in his possession deer meat and other wild game. Winter was brought before Judge Ives for a hearing and fined $75 and costs.

A. A. Andrews of Bemidji was here Thursday on business.

The case of Biledeau vs. The Village of Cass Lake, in which Biledeau charges false imprisonment when arrested by Marshal Lilley last summer, was tried at Walker Wednesday. The plaintiff's case was a weak one and it was thrown out of court.

The M. W. A. lodge will hold its annual election of officers next Tuesday evening.

H. L. Mussey of Thief River Falls, an old-time newspaper man in his section of the state, was a Cass Lake visitor Friday.

The three Zaisers, H. H., Fred and Hugh, of Red Lake Falls, were here Friday morning several hours on their way to Federal Dam.

The Robinson-McCumber case at Walker came up for trial Tuesday, going to the jury in the evening. The verdict acquitted McCumber of the charges preferred against him.

Judge L. M. Lange was a Walker visitor Monday.

Rev. G. O. Parish is spending the week at Pine City, assisting his brother in holding revival meetings.

Albert La Blanc stopped off here Tuesday on the way from Duluth to his home at Crookston.

Miss Rose Miskella spent Sunday at Bemidji.

J. P. Foote of Crookston attended the directors' meeting of the First National Bank of Cass Lake on Wednesday and Thursday.

H. N. Harding spent several days at the Twin Ports the first of the week, returning Tuesday.

Jacob Sweedman, a farmer living at Max, north of Deer River, was here Thursday.

Lester Bartlett entertained the Stag Whist club Thursday evening. It is stated the younger members won all the honors.

The Royal league is laying plans for a dancing party next Friday evening.

Leigh Hendrickson of Bemidji visited friends here Saturday.

The sawmill at the crating factory has been rebuilt and the wheels were turned for the first time Thursday. The mill is modern in every respect and will give employment to an aditional crew of men.

A manual training course will be installed in the high school the beginning of the new year, the board of education at its last meeting having decided to add the course, and has already made arrangements for an instructor.

The Commercial club held a meeting Tuesday evening and considered several important propositions.

Sheriff Delury was up from Walker Monday.

Mack Kennedy came up from Walker Monday evening. Mack is acting as court deputy at the present term of court, and after the New Year will accept the position of bailiff under Sheriff Delury.

Dr. D. F. Dumas was on over-Sunday visitor at the Twin Cities.

Charles La Belle has received the fixtures for his new pool room, which will be conducted in the Warren building. The fixtures are all new, mission finish and five in number. We understand the new place will open for business today.

Probate Judge Jamison and E. J. Kulander of Walker were Cass Lake visitors last Saturday.

L. H. Burns was a visitor at Federal Dam Tuesday.

E. L. Warren of Federal Dam transacted business here the first of the week.

C. E. Battles of Bemidji was here Thursday on business.

Born, to Dr. and Mrs. L. B. Galbraith, on Tuesday, Dec. 6, a son.

Mrs. Ludwig has left for an extended visit with her children in the West. At Grand Forks a visit will be made with her son Arthur; at Paradise, Mont., with her daughter, Mrs. Bailey, and at Spokane, Wash., with her daughter, Mrs. Delsch.

E. A. Mills and wife of Crookston were visitors here Tuesday.

Charles Argall made a trip to Bemidji Thursday afternoon.

VIRGINIA

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—One of the prettiest social affairs of the season was given by Mrs. B. F. Smith at the Fay hotel, when about forty ladies were entertained at a bridge and flinch luncheon. A brief reception was held in the parlors on the second floor, after which the guests assembled in the main dining hall at 1:30, where a delicious luncheon was served. Cards followed, Mrs. Walter J. Smith winning the high score at bridge, the second prize going to Mrs. Neil McInnis, while Mrs A. E. Hall won the honors at finch. The following were guests: Mesdames Harwood, Moore, McInnis, Smith, Eveleth; Mrs. Fred Lerch, Biwabik; Mesdames Costin, Richards, Osborne, Schulze, Lamont, Levin, Griggs, Trumble, Everette, Fanning, Britts, Miller, Kendall, Shaver, De Noble, Terrill, Newton Smith, McNeil, Wright, Cudlip, Coats, Claypoole, Ketcham, Stebbins, Flourney Lenont, Crowe, Johnson, Stevens, Simons, Kimball, Gill, Hannaford,

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Senator P. R. Vail, who went to Battle Creek, Mich., several weeks ago for the benefit of his health, has returned home and is much improved.

The Methodist Episcopal church choir gave a banquet at the church parlors, Thursday night for those who participated in the home talent play, "The Singing School," produced at the Fay Opera house here some time ago.

Martin Endus and J. W. Murphy left this week for Florida to look over some land in which they are interested. Mr. Endus may conclude to remain in the Sunny South the balance of the winter, but Mr. Murphy will return the latter part of next week.

Art Swanky, who has been employed in the offices of the Virginia & Rainy Lake company in this city, the past year, has resigned and left the first of the week for Minneapolis.

The ladies of the M. E. church will give a New England dinner at the church parlors on the evening of Dec. 15.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Cuppernull were Duluth visitors the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J Murphy have gone to Tower where they will spend the winter

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Norwegian Lutheran church, will meet next Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Hans Peterson, 121 Mill location.

Mrs. James Laviollette has returned from Marquette, Mich., where she was called to attend the funeral of her brother.

R. E. Baille of North Yakima, Wash., has gone to Plattville, Wis., where he will visit his aged mother until after Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Yessni and daughter, Miss Anna, who were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Garon, have returned to their home in Duluth.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Williams of Bessemer, Mich., who spent several days here with their daughter, Mrs. Guy H. Moore, have returned home.

The Virginia Boys' Military band recently organized here, are practicing on Monday and Tuesday evenings.

Gust Johnson, proprietor of the Svea hotel, who sprained his ankle while doing some work on his farm on the Little Fork, several weeks ago, is still going about on crutches.

W. H. Harvey, state mine inspector, was a visitor among the mines in this district the past week.

Matt Hughes of Duluth, has taken a position here.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Errett of Minneapolis, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Flourney the past week.

The Order of Owls will hold its first annual ball at the Fay Opera house next Wednesday evening.

Mrs. A. J. Trumble of Seattle, Wash., is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Al F. Flourney.

Mrs. William Chapman and daughter, Dorothy of Livingstone, Mont., are guests of the former's sister, Mrs. F. H. Bidwell, her brother, W. H. Oppel and her father, Mr. Oppel.

D. B. McDonald of Duluth, was in the city this week.

F. J. Reinerston, of the Reinertson-Gamble company, was a business visitor in Duluth this week.

Eugene McCarthy of Hibbing, was in the city this week.

S. M. Parks, assistant cashier of the American Exchange bank, who has been ill with typhoid fever the past two weeks, is much improved.

G. W. Whitman of Eveleth, was here the first of the week.

HERMANTOWN

Hermantown, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Miss Leonora Ulsrud of Adolph visited Miss Signe Anderson of Five Corners.

Norwegian services were held in the Five Corners church Sunday at 11 a. m. by Mr. Lund of Duluth.

German services were held in the St. Paul Evangelical church by Rev. Mr. Bizer of Duluth last Sunday.

Miss Signe Anderson visited the Lyon's home Wednesday evening.

Mrs. A. L. Tusch is seriously ill with an attack of the grip.

Mrs. Peter Christopherson visited Mrs. Johanna Johnson Thursday.

Mr. Peterson and Mr. Oleman transacted business at Five Corners one day this week.

A dance was held at the Rudolph Martin home. A large crowd attended and reported a good time.

Edwin Johnson of Five Corners transacted business in Duluth a couple of days this week.

The ladies' aid society met at the home of Mrs. Nels Johnson Wednesday.

Andrew Anderson and Albert Manske visited their respective homes Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Acker was taken seriously ill one day last week, but is considerably better now.

The members of the Woodmen lodge met at the hall last Saturday evening.

Miss Ida Anderson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson, Sunday.

Mrs. Otto Johnson and family called at the Wentzlaff home one day last week.

ZIM

Zim, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Hilding Gradine of West Duluth, spent Tuesday here, the guest of his sister, Mrs. John Peterson.

John Anderson was in Duluth Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Per Peterson of -ayne, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Lindquist Sunday.

Ole Peterson spent Monday in Eveleth.

Misses Florence and Minerva Huxtable visited with friends in Virginia Saturday and Sunday.

Among those who spent Tuesday in Duluth were: S. W. Levin, Charles Stenlund, Anti Waulett, C. A. Carlson and Mr. and Mrs. Matt Olilia.

Matt Heikkenen and Arthur Lukkala were in Eveleth Wednesday.

Mrs. O. P. Willner and Mrs. Charles O. Stenlund spent Wednesday in Eveleth.

Nels E. Peterson was a caller in Virginia Wednesday.

Mrs. Gust Saari and Mrs. Herman Witula visited in Eveleth Thursday.

Victor Swanson was a business caller in Eveleth Wednesday.

IRONWOOD

Ironwood, Mich., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—A. Sutherland and J. W. Opnan, contractors, who are laying the sewer pipe through the various streets of the Ashland location to carry away the water from the Novig and Ashland mines, finished their contract this week. Mr. Meager was superintendent of the contract.

The city officers for the year of 1911 are as follows: Mayor, D. E. Sutherland; city clerk, Jacob Nelson; city treasurer, William D. Snyder; city attorney, Chester G. Rogers; city assessor, Peter Lolberg; city marshal, Nick Frank; street commissioner, O. F. Stabler; chief of fire department, James W. Opnam; health officer, William E. Conley, M. D.

The fire department was called out Sunday evening to put out a fire which had started from a chimney on one of the houses at the Aurora location.

The Oliver Iron Mining company will pay its employes Wednesday and Thursday of the coming week owing to Christmas being so near.

Christmas sales at the Presbyterian church parlors will be held Dec. 17.

W. H. Porter, the new proprietor of the St. James' hotel, took possession on Thursday morning.

The Scott & Howe sawmill of this city started in operation the first part of this week.

Miss Agnes Gately of this city and R. E. Horner of Saulte Ste. Marie, Ont., were married at the Soo and will make their future home there. Mr. Horner is a marine boiler inspector.

The Oliver Iron Mining company have completed their water line and are supplying water from their own water station, to boiler houses and other various buildings.

Owing to a breakdown in their boiler and shaft, the C. shaft at the Pabst mine was put out of commission the end of the week.

The logging season has opened and with the present indications will be profitable.

L. L. Wright, state superintendent of public instruction, will seek a renomination in the spring.

Information is wanted of the whereabouts of Henry Doran, formerly a resident of Ironwood. He left the city quite a number of years ago and was last heard of in St. Paul, Minn. Henry Doran, his father, died in Arizona about a year ago. Any information regarding him will be greatly appreciated if sent to Patrick F. Dryer, recording secretary, A. O. H., Ironwood.

Mrs. W. H. Wolfe has returned to Iron River, after a visit with relatives here.

George McKinney of Bessemer, recently received by express, prepaid, the famous pacing horse, Morningstar, as a gift from Col. Burke of Cleveland.

Circuit court will open at Bessemer Monday, the 12th.

Joseph Rainelli and John Aho, convicted of assault with intent to do great bodily harm, were each sentenced to serve not less than three nor more than ten years in the Marquette prison.

BIWABIK

Biwabik, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Miss Agnes Jennison of Wisconsin is here visiting friends this week.

Mrs. D. Mills of Virginia is here visiting.

Mrs. J. Conway and daughter, Mrs. B. M. Harrell of Minneapolis, who have been visiting Mrs. D. Hogan for the past month, returned to their home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Robinson returned home from Milwaukee this week.

Mrs. G. R. Smith was in Virginia between trains Thursday.

Theodore Wannabo returned from Two Harbors this week.

Mrs. B. Kinney was in Eveleth on business this week.

Miss Agnes Enrigt of Eveleth spent Sunday here with her mother, Mrs. B. Enright.

Vern Hill was in Tower on business Tuesday.

L. Spurbeck was in Aurora on business Thursday.

Miss Rose Weagle of Eveleth was here this week visiting friends.

Mrs. H. Morell of Eveleth was here Wednesday visiting Mrs. Greene.

Mrs. H. Seeley returned home from Michigan this week, where she has been visiting for several months.

CALUMET

Calumet, Mich., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.) — Charles Hansen has gone to Spokane, Wash., to remain for some time.

A daughter has been born to Mr. and Mrs. William Reesley.

Carl Mansikka has returned from Kingston, Minn.

William J. Bloy has gone to Oshkosh, Wis., on business.

Miss Lillian MacDonald, who has been visiting here with friends has returned to Brandon, Man.

The funeral of the young son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hill took place Thursday with services at the home on Willow avenue.

Miss Marie Hansen has gone to Marquette for a visit.

Thomas and James Hill have returned from a short trip to Lauderdale, Fla.

Among those who left here this week to attend the mid-winter ceremonial session of Ahmed temple, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, at Marquette, were John Jacka, Joshua T. Daniell, Angus W. Kerr, Wesley Downing and James Cruse.

Attorney John B. Coppo has returned from a business trip to Butte, Mont.

Attorney W. J. Gilbraith has gone to Chicago on business.

A daughter has been born to Mr. and Mrs. James H. Fry.

Angus McLean has gone to Spokane, Wash.

Miss Ada Polkinghorne has gone to Marquette to resume her studies at the normal.

Donald Monageau and wife of Covington, Mich., are visiting friends here.

Mrs. J. C. Abrams, who has been visiting with relatives at Valparaiso, Ind., for the past three weeks has returned home.

Mrs. Cordelia Jacka of Eighth street, accompanied by her daughter, Margaret, has gone to Milwaukee, where Mrs. Jacka will enter a sanitarium for several weeks.

Gordon R. Campbell, Captains James and Thomas Hoatson, Charles Briggs and Peter Ruppe, local directors of the C. & A. and S. & P. Mining companies, have gone to Chicago.

A daughter has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Raen.

Word has been received here announcing the marriage of Miss Mathilda H. Craze and Edwin A. Rasch, which took place at Chicago. Mrs. Rasch formerly taught school here and the groom is well known in Calumet. They will reside in Detroit.

Dr. O. B. Lambert has gone to Chicago, where he will undergo an operation.

S. Lamielle has returned from a visit to Detroit.

The Misses Stella and Zada Cane entertained a number of friends at their home Friday evening. Lunch was served.

L. W. De Cant of Watertown, N. Y., a director of the Santa Rosalia Mining company, is in Calumet on business.

Friends of Attorney W. R. Oates are congratulating him upon being asked to be secretary to Governor Osborne, recently elected.

G. S. Runyan has gone to Green Bay to attend the wedding of H. Barkhausen.

Aud Cruster of Chicago has arrived in Calumet and begun his duties as manager of the Lyric theater.

Charles Oke has gone to Duluth, where he expects to locate.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Matt Maki of Laurium.

Announcement has been made of the approaching wedding of Miss Mae Crothers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Crothers, to James Paull. The marriage will take place the 26th of this month.

Wilfred Ross has gone to Paterson, N. J., where he will visit his sister.

Henry Lambert, who recently resigned his position as foreman of tho Calumet News, accompanied by his wife, has gone to Chicago.

Rev. Fr. Klopcic of St. Joseph's church has returned from a short visit to Assinins.

Walter Howard of Jacksonville, Ill., has accepted the foremanship of the mechanical department of the News, succeeding Mr. Lambert. He has arrived in Calumet and assumed his new duties.

Rev. A. L. Heidemann and family left this week for Florida, where they will spend several weeks with relatives.

Carl G. Smith has returned to Hurley, Wis., after visiting his parents here, Supt. and Mrs. Fred Smith.

The Misses Ethel and Bertha McKenzie entertained Monday evening at their home.

Peter Wagner of Saukville, Wis., is visiting relatives here.

Miss Lillian Wieber of Helena, Mont., is visiting Calumet friends.

John and Harry MacLeod have returned from Detroit, where they were called by the illness of their father.

George Richards has gone to England to spend the winter with relatives.

John R. Ryan has returned from Oshkosh, Wis., where he attended a meeting of the Northwestern Undertakers' association.

Frank Allen left Sunday for Cornwall, Eng., where he will spend the winter.

Mrs. John Sasche of Milwaukee was called to Calumet by the death of her brother, Frank J. Kempf.

Township Clerk George Martin has gone to Chicago.

Dr. and Mrs. W. T. S. Gregg entertained the Home Fortnightly club Monday evening. An interesting paper was read by William B. Anderson on "The Carnegie Benevolences."

M. E. O'Brien has gone to the iron country and Chicago on business.

The funeral of Alida Rabys, aged 17 years, took place Thursday from the Finnish Apostolic church.

Miss Lottie Cullis has gone to Vassar, Mich.

William Lowry has gone to England to spend the winter.

A son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Huber.

Alex Wilson has gone to Detroit to live with his parents.

HALLOCK

Hallock, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Mike Kinsella is here from Alberta, visiting with relatives for a few days.

Mrs. J. A. Estlund and Miss Jennie Estlund of Kennedy, and Senator and Mrs. Sundberg attended the teachers' convention here.

Mrs. Lindell of Swift Current, Man., returned home Monday, after a month's visit with her sister, Mrs. Hanson.

Raymond and Henrietta Ecklund of Winnipeg are staying with their aunt, Mrs. E. A. Nelson, during the absence of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Ecklund, who have been called to South Bird, Wash., by the serious illness of Mrs. Ecklund's mother.

Julius and August Larder shipped a car load of horses and equipment to the woods near Baudette this week. They have secured a contract for a big haul of cedar ties for a railroad company and will keep a crew of men busy until spring.

The following officers were elected last Tuesday evening at the Hallock lodge A. F. & A. M.: R. V. Blethfn, W. M.; A. M. Nilsestuen, S. W.; A. P. F. Suffel, J. W.; E. P. Le Mausier, treasurer, and G. Goodman, secretary.

John A. Carlson, once a Kittson county farmer, and a pioneer of this locality, arrived a few days ago from Washington, where he has spent the past few years. After a brief visit here he leaves for Sweden, where he intends to spend his remaining days.

Frank Kiene, the Kennedy merchant, was in town on business Thursday.

John Anderson was married this week to Helen Mickelson. They will make their home at Kennedy.

Superintendent of Schools Blanda Sundberg left Thursday evening for East Grand Forks to attend the Northwestern Minnesota Educational convention there.

The following marriage licenses have been issued during the past week: John Harstad to Tina Kollard; John Anderson to Helen Mickelson.

TOWER

Tower, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—The senior class of the high school has organized with the following officers: President, Esther Strand; vice president, Allie Murphy; secretary, Nellie Pederson; treasurer, Harvey Gordon.

Chester Kolb of Pittsburg, a nephew of F E. Kolb, has returned to his home after a several week's visit here at the Vermilion hotel.

Gus Lee went to Duluth Wednesday morning.

C. J. Johnson of Rush City attended the wedding of his daughter, Miss Selma, to Nick Nelson.

Misses Grey and Stephenson entertained informally at the home of Mrs McQuade. Misses Agnes and Frances Thompson, Ethel Harbin, Ruth Crawford and Mamie Mahady were guests.

Frank Tauzic died Wednesday after a long illness. He leaves some grown up children, his wife having died two years ago.

Ernie Merrill and John Mahady have gone to Ely, where they will be employed in the D. & I. R. yards.

Dr. Burns has returned from his hunting trip. He shot one deer, the only one he saw while he was gone.

Mrs. S. E. McLoughlin entertained the Wednesday evening club at her home. Those present were Misses Alma Swanson and Julia Willman; Mesdames Agen, Tackey and Annie Colberg.

Charles and Ed Osterberg, the diamond drill contractors, made a business trip to Duluth a part of last week.

Bert Burgess has returned home from Ely, where he has been employed the past few weeks.

W. H. McQuade and wife went to Eveleth Monday for a few days' visit.

There was a large attendance at the dancing party given at the Vermilion opera house Monday evening. Kraft's orchestra furnished the music.

M. E. George returned to Duluth Monday after a two days' visit here with friends.

John Majerle went to Ely Monday.

Mrs. Emily Earle has returned to her home in Austin, Minn., after a short visit here with relatives.

Mr. Fraleigh will move his family into the Kloss house, lately vacated by M. F. Marion.

Miss Edna Schaffer went to Duluth last Thursday to resume her school work, after a short visit at home.

G. A. Colberg went to Duluth on business last Monday.

Rev. Mr. Knuteson of West Duluth will preach in the St. James' Presbyterian church both morning and evening.

Dr. J. W. Burns, who has been looking after the practice of his son, R. F. Burns, while the latter was away on his vacation, has returned to his home in Oakfield, Wis.

Mrs. H. D. Olson came home Wednesday last from a several weeks' visit with relatives in different Wisconsin cities.

Miss Julia Peterson returned to her school work in Duluth Tuesday, after a short vacation spent here at home.

Mr. Ripley of the Foundation company has left for Brownsville, Tex.

J. W. Thompson is home again after spending a few days in Duluth on a business and pleasure trip.

The Ladies' Aid Society of St. James' Presbyterian church will give a supper soon at Odd Fellows' hall. There will be home-made candy, fancy and useful things to sell, and a food sale of home-made good things. Supper, 25 cents.

T. H. Wheeler is home after a couple of days' visit in the Zenith City.

Gunder Peterson has purchased the McNamara house on North Third street, now occupied by John Mahady. They do not expect to move before spring.

J. H. Jeffrey, chief clerk at the Soudan mine office, was a county seat visitor several days last week.

James Shaw went to Duluth Tuesday on a short business trip.

G. A. Whitman, a banker of Eveleth, was here for a day or two this week.

J. R. Rogers of the City hotel was in Duluth Monday.

Mrs. John Norlin died Wednesday. The funeral will take place Sunday at the Norwegian church, Rev. Falum of Virginia officiating.

The Duluth & Iron Range switch engine at Tower Junction has been taken off for the season, the work now being done by freight crews.

SANDSTONE

Sandstone, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Mrs. W. B. Mangold returned Thursday from a three days' visit with relatives in Minneapolis.

Mrs. J. N. Forstrom was a guest of Mrs. James Hogan at Kerrick the first of the week.

Miss Merle McCormic of Foxboro visited her brother here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bergwell of North Branch visited with their daughter, Mrs. Robert Kline, last Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Winnifred Batton, who has been a guest at the B. Wilson home, returned Wednesday to her home at Waupaca, Wis.

The Catholic Ladies' Aid Society will hold their annual sale of fancy articles and serve supper next Thursday at the home of Mrs. M. Ritchie.

The Presbyterian ladies will hold a bazar and serve hot luncheon next Friday afternoon and evening at Larson's opera hall.

The W. C. T. U. will meet Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. J. B. Moe, at which time the minutes of the state meeting will be read.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ames of Bruno called on friends here Tuesday.

Martin Johnson was a Duluth business visitor the first of the week.

Mrs. Claus Freman and children returned Monday from an extended visit with relatives at Pine City.

Mrs. J. Crimmins and Miss Beatrice Rankin returned Sunday from a shopping tour in Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Edin are rejoicing over the arrival of a son at their home on Wednesday.

V. Campbell returned Tuesday from a week's stay at a hospital in Minneapolis.

Dan McLain has returned from Canada to remain with his family during the winter. At present he is confined to his home on account of illness.

Chairman Parish attended the last commissioner meeting of the year at Pine City Tuesday. Mr. Bullis will succeed him as county commissioner from the Third district.

At the men's meeting held regularly every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Presbyterian church, the topic for next Sunday will be "Civic Corruption and the Causes."

Rev. A. J. Mueller will conduct English services in the Swedish Lutheran church next Sunday evening.

The Ladies' Unity Reading club will meet next Monday evening at the home of Mrs. W. B. Mangold. Reading of "Christmas carol" is on the program.

Basketball is getting to be a favorite pastime here and at present several teams are being organized among the business men and laboring men to contest with the high school team.

The Methodist ladies conducted a successful sale of fancy articles and served a delicious supper last Saturday evening at the Chelgren building which netted them about $50 clear.

Archie Campbell, John Nicol, Hector McLean, Angus St. Clair and William Baird are in Duluth this week.

At the lodge of instruction by the Eastern Star last Saturday evening the work was carried out by Sandstone chapter, although it was expected that neighboring towns would send delegations. A banquet was given after the work was finished. Among the visiting members present were Mesdames E. H. Holbert, O. H. Ingram, C. T. Swain and M. Richardson, all of Hinckley.

Peter Langsley and sister, Nellie, departed Tuesday for Faribault to remain during the winter.

HAYWARD

Hayward, Wis., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Sheriff Madden went to Ashland Monday returning Tuesday bringing Miss Myra Dietz.

Pat Nelson, who has been in Minnesota running a camp for John Colbroth, returned home Tuesday suffering with stomach trouble.

Roy Marquette of Shell Lake, was a visitor here the first of the week.

Mrs. J. Ross of Eau Claire, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. Carpenter.

Funeral services for Charles Peterson, who died at St. Joseph's hospital, Ashland, took place Friday morning at St. Joseph's church, the Rev. Father Gudentins officiating. Among the mourners from out of town were, Mrs. Frank Lavalle and son of Hibbing, Minn., Mrs. Frank McIntyre of Superior and Misses McCarthy of St. Paul, who attended the funeral.

District Attorney Davis left for Milwaukee Wednesday on official business.

Attorney Frank McNamara of Chippewa Falls, was a business visitor here the first of the week.

Harry Peterson was called home from St. Thomas college at St. Paul.

Sheriff Madden and Roy Van Alstine left for Madison Thursday evening, with John Dietz.

F. L. Thorbahn of Radisson is a business visitor here this week.

Dr. Phillip Fox of Milwaukee was the guest of Mr. ad Mrs. Madden Wednesday.

Mrs. Brown of St. Paul returned to her home after a two weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. R. C. Pugh.

PARK RAPIDS

Park Rapids, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Order of Good Fellows has been organized here, the object being to collect funds for Christmas presents for the poor children. Boxes for contributions will be placed in the First National bank, First State bank, Commercial club rooms and the Great Northern hotel, where those who wish can contribute to the fund.

One of the finest deer heads ever seen here was brought to town by John Stillwell of Becida. It is a twelve point set of very large size and perfect in symetry.

Mrs. C. Bradt returned home after a short visit with friends at St. Charles.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lindquist are rapidly recovering from the typhoid fever and will soon be able to return to their home.

The Commercial club held an informal meeting Saturday night. A large number were in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Winslow of Battle lake were the guests of G. A. Cram from Saturday until Tuesday.

Frank Tabitowsky left for North Dakota Monday evening. He is making a business trip.

R. Warner has traded his farm one mile south of the village to Mr. G. W. Burns of Long Prairie. Mr. Warner will move to Long Prairie.

The evangelical meetings that have been held under the auspices of Rev. Lowrey, assisted by Mr. Moodey and wife, will come to a close Sunday. The meeting has been a success from the start and nearly 400 have gone forward. The meetings have been of unusual interest and the awakening of the community to better thought has done much good.

A number of the local Mansonic fraternity went to Akeley to attend the installation of the officers of Berry lodge last Thursday.

Mrs. J. Steel is experiencing an attack of inflammatory rheumatism and is confined at home.

O. L. Thomas of Jenkins, Minn., who formerly conducted a summer resort at Dorset, is visiting friends and relatives here.

The firemen will give their annual ball Dec. 26 at Athletic hall.

Robert Crossland of Delavan, Wis., accompanied by his father and mother, arrived here and will make this their permanent home.

Mrs. L. O. Petrie of Maltby is visiting relatives here. She is accompanied by her son.

MOOSE LAKE

Moose Lake, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Jacob Eckhoff of Cloquet spent Sunday with friends here.

E. S. Ternberg transacted business in Duluth Thursday.

O. A. Winquist of Finland was in town on business Saturday.

Mrs. S. Olson is visiting friends and relatives in Superior this week.

G. V. Gray spent Sunday at his home in Pine City.

Charles Mattson of New York Mills is visiting with his son, J. H. Mattson, and family.

Joseph Winquist of Finland attended to business in town Monday.

Mrs. F. M. Hull visited friends in Duluth and Superior a few days the first of the week.

J. H. Mattson was a Duluth business visitor Monday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. William Dye of Barnum, Sunday, Dec. 4, a daughter.

Wallace McDonald, who is employed in Superior, spent Sunday with his family here.

Miss Agnes Vanouse departed Monday for a visit with relatives and friends at Park Falls, Wis.

Miss Belle Crooks departed Friday for Duluth, where she is training as a nurse.

Mr. Carlson of Duluth, a member of the Salvage Sales company, was in town on business Tuesday.

J. W. Sherrick of Willow River was a business visitor here a few days last week.

Mr. Leith of Cloquet spent Sunday here with his wife, who is engaged in teaching school here.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Campbell and Mr. Campbell's sister, Mrs. Hubbard, were Twin Port visitors the first of the week.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. George Woodring, Monday, Dec. 5, a son.

Ray Osgood is acting as marshal in place of Charles Madsen, Mr. Madsen being detained at home by the illness of his wife.

Louis Brown, who has been employed on the Great Lakes the past summer, arrived here the first of the week and is visiting with relatives and friends.

Miss Minnie Ostlund of Barnum was a visitor here Saturday.

C. W. Kelly of Duluth transacted business here Friday.

Samuel Lilves, who has been employed at Two Harbors the past summer, returned Friday and will spend a few weeks at his home near Ronald.

Miss Anna Staberg of Duluth spent several days last week visiting with her mother here and also her uncle, Gus Skog. Mrs. Staberg is here nursing her father, who has been in poor health for some time.

Mr. Lard of Minneapolis spent a few days last week with the G. E. Carrol family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gay were Duluth visitors Wednesday.

Mr. Sly of White Pine was in town on business Wednesday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Felix Ainas, Sunday, Dec. 4, a daughter.

Joseph Brown departed Thursday morning for Minneapolis, where he will make his home with relatives.

Henry Johnsen of Black River Falls and Ed. Johnson and family of Thief River Falls, spent a few days last week with the Lewis Gunderson family.

Mr. and Mrs. R W. Abbott spent a fwe days this week visiting with hor son, Frank, at Willow River.

Fernice Giberson of Barnum, assisted H. D. Cooper in the barber shop a few days last week.

Miss Mille Basye was a Friesland visitor a few days the first of the week.

Rev E. E. Ternberg was a Carlton business visitor Monday.

Mrs. G E. Nevers spent Sunday and Monday with relatives and friends at Sandstone.

Miss Laura Golder was a Cloquet visitor a few days the latter part of last week.

Rev. and Mrs. L. L. Litchfield attended the Carlton county Sunday school convention which was held at Cloquet last Thursday and Friday.

Worse than an alarm of fire at night is the metallic cough of croup, bringing dread to the household. Careful mothers keep Foley's Honey and Tar in the house and give it at the first sign of danger. It contains no opiates. Sold by all druggists.

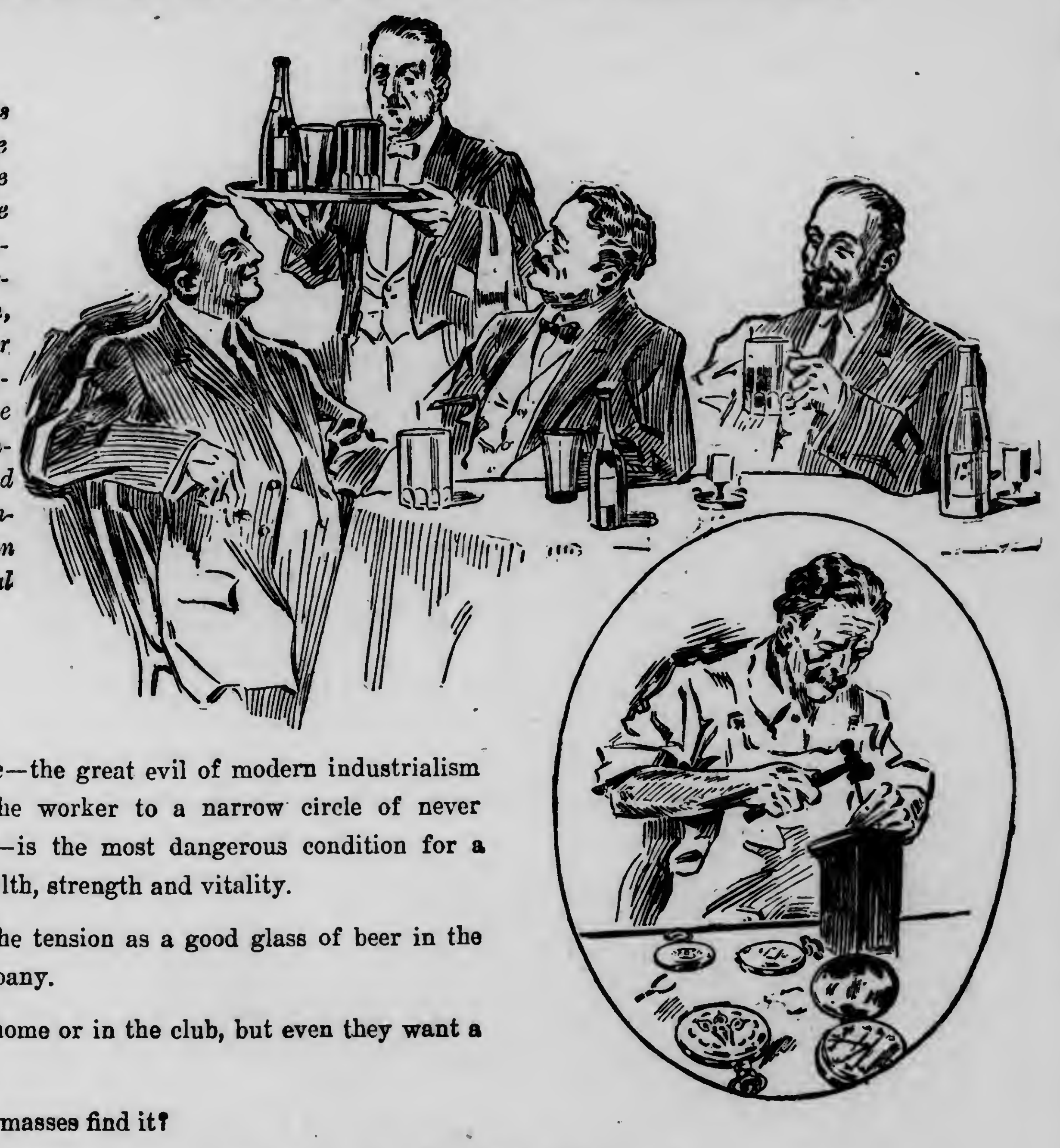
Central Business college, 30 East Superior street.

There are never "dead stocks" in a store that does "live advertising."

$50.00 In Gold for the Best Essay on Beer—See HERALD of October 11th or 13th or 15th, 1910

Public Drinking Places are Necessary

"To say that certain evils come from a certain source suggests only to fools the hasty annihilation of the source before studying whether greater evils might not result from its destruction, and without asking whether the evils might not be reduced, and the good from the same source remain untouched and untampered with."—Prof. Hugo Munsterberg, of Harvard, in "Prohibition and Social Psychology."



MONOTONY of life—the great evil of modern industrialism which confines the worker to a narrow circle of never changing duties—is the most dangerous condition for a people full of health, strength and vitality.

Nothing so relieves the tension as a good glass of beer in the evening in congenial company.

Many can have it at home or in the club, but even they want a change now and then.

And where will the masses find it?

Where, if not in the beer hall, concert garden or other form of public-house?

Places for the public dispensing of beer are a necessity for the health of the public mind. If there are bad features connected with existing saloons they can be corrected by those who will earnestly and honestly study the matter.

We want our beer sold only in an environment as wholesome and clean as our beer itself.

Look for

FITGER'S PALE BOHEMIAN BEER

And You Will Find a Good Place to Drink It.

CONTEST NOTE: This article marks the completion of the series, and those desiring to compete in the Essay Contest for the prize of $50 in Gold must have their essays in not later than Saturday, Dec. 17th. The name of the winner of the prize will be announced in this paper as soon thereafter as the judges can come to a decision. For complete details as to Conditions of Contest, see our Introductory Ad published in this paper on Oct. 11th, 13th and 15th.

FITGER BREWING CO.,

DULUTH, MINN.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

REAL ESTATE AND BUILDING

NEW SYSTEM OF LISTING BENEFIT TO ALL PARTIES

Buyers, Sellers and Agents Will Profit By Exclusive Listing.

Cheapening of Property By Hawking Will Be Avoided.

Hereafter the Duluth real estate exchange will be conducted on the lines of exchanges in the larger cities. An exclusive listing contract has been prepared, an office has been obtained in the First National bank building and Miss M. G. Barnett will be in charge of the listings. All listings in the future will be made on the exclusive listing contract and members of the exchange will make use of the facilities offered for the transferring of property by listing it on the exchange.

Several evils of real estate dealings are wiped out by the new system. Benefits will be brought to buyers, sellers and agents and the real estate business will be on a systematic basis, which should result in a better movement of property and better satisfaction among dealers.

Under the old haphazard system, five or six or a dozen agents were often given the right to sell a piece of property. No one would feel like exerting extraordinary efforts to sell, knowing that others might step in with a sale just when he was about to close the deal. Deals were often blocked by prospective buyers going around among dealers and finding the same piece of property on the lists with different prices attached on account of the "I'll take so much net" system. The seller had no particular person representing him and the property was hawked all over town at various offices, cheapening it in the estimation of prospective buyers.

Owner Has Agent.

Under the new system, property may be listed with but one agent. That agent will make an examination of the property to determine if the price set by the owner is within reason. The agent must pay a filing fee to get the property listed on the exchange and he will not pay fees for the listing of property on which an unreasonable price is set, precluding all probability of a sale being made.

When the property is listed on the exchange, all other members will be notified of the listing and it will be to the interest of each to try to find a buyer. If a buyer is found, the agent representing the buyer will be required, under the rules of the exchange, to deal with the agent of the seller, and if a sale is made, the commission will be split between the two agents.

The seller will have an agent representing him and working for his interests. An agent, knowing that he has exclusive sale of a piece of property, will advertise it and work for a sale, knowing that no sale can be made that will cut him out of his fees. The agent will not consent to an unreasonable reduction in the price, whereas if he did not have the exclusive sale, he might try to get the owner down to an unreasonable figure in order to cut prices below the other agents having listing of the same property.

The owner will thus get the active efforts of one agent, the combined effort of the members of the exchange and will not be in danger of getting into a controversy over fees with two or three agents finding buyers at the same time. He is held for but one fee, that to the agent with whom the listing is placed.

Benefit to Buyer.

A prospective buyer will be able to go to an agent under the new system, explain his wants, and if there is a piece of property answering the description for sale in the city, the agent will be able to find it on the exchange and will be able to get into touch with the agent for it. Thus buying and selling will be facilitated.

The system has been adopted in all of the big cities of the country and has been found to work out satisfactorily. Business men investing in property would rather buy under such a system, for they will know the price is reasonable, or the agent would not have paid the listing fee; that he will get the lowest possible price, for no agent but the one having the listing can approach the owner, and that he is dealing with a reliable agent, for the exchange will not tolerate unfair or dishonest dealings and complaints will be immediately dealt with.

The listing contract calls for the exclusive handling of the property by the agent for a certain length of time, the regular fee to be paid in case of sale. It is the contract in use in other cities and has been found to work out satisfactorily.

CREEL DENIES THAT HIS SON IS KIDNAPED.

City of Mexico, Dec. 10.—Enrique C. Creel, minister of foreign relations, denies the report from San Antonio, Tex., that his son has been captured by revolutionists and held as a hostage in Chihuahua. Mr. Creel said:

"My son Enrique visited me for several weeks and has left for Chihuahua. My other sons have not been molested in any way. The report is absolutely false."

PAID $1,532,022 IN STRIKE BENEFITS.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 10.—Strikes of coal miners throughout the United States and Canada cost the United Mine Workers, in strike benefits paid, $1,532,022 during the year ended on Nov. 30, according to a report made public by Edwin Perry, secretary of the organization. At present 140,000 men on strike in the coal fields of North America are receiving benefits from the international union.

DECEMBER IS QUIET MONTH

Little Activity in Real Estate Until After First of Year.

M. H. Alworth Buys Two Lots Near New Courthouse.

December is a quiet month in the real estate business and dealers are looking for little activity until after the first of the year. November, with its election and unsettled business conditions, was also a quiet month and some of the edges are worn off of the optimism the real estate men have consistently maintained during the fall.

The dealers are looking forward now to the period after the first of the year and they say that, with spring looming ahead, the investors will begin to get busy and there will be a pronounced movement in all classes of property.

Interest now centers on residence lots and farm lands. The cold weather of the past week and the covering of snow on the ground have hampered operations on account of the inability of prospective buyers seeing property. A number of deals, which were arranged before the snow fell, are being closed and absolute stagnation does not exist.

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A good deal of interest is being taken in acreage in the vicinity of the Jean du Luth farm and especially in the activities of the Greysolon Farms company. The company has a force of men at work preparing the way for the extension of the car line to the farm and acreage in the vicinity is greatly in demand by those who want to make use of the car line.

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Probably the most important sale made this week was that of two lots on the upper side of Second street between Fourth and Fifth avenues west by Charles A. Wright to M. H. Alworth for $10,000. Mr. Wright recently purchased the property.

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Anna A. Johnson has sold to Gustaf Bergquist a small triangular block lying between Fourth street, Twentieth avenue west and Piedmont avenue. The consideration was not given in the deed.

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Following were the transfers for the week:

Jane E. Fitzgerald et al to D. W. & P. Railroad company, lot 14, block 7, Macfarlane's Grassy Point addition	$ 150
Estate of John L. Dodge to D. W. & P. Railroad company, lots 10, 13, 14, 15 and 16, block 8, Macfarlane's Grassy Point addition	1,000
William P. Marston et ux to D. W. & P. Railroad company, fractional lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, block 8, Stowell's addition	625
D. W. Freeman, trustee, to A. C. Barthe.	

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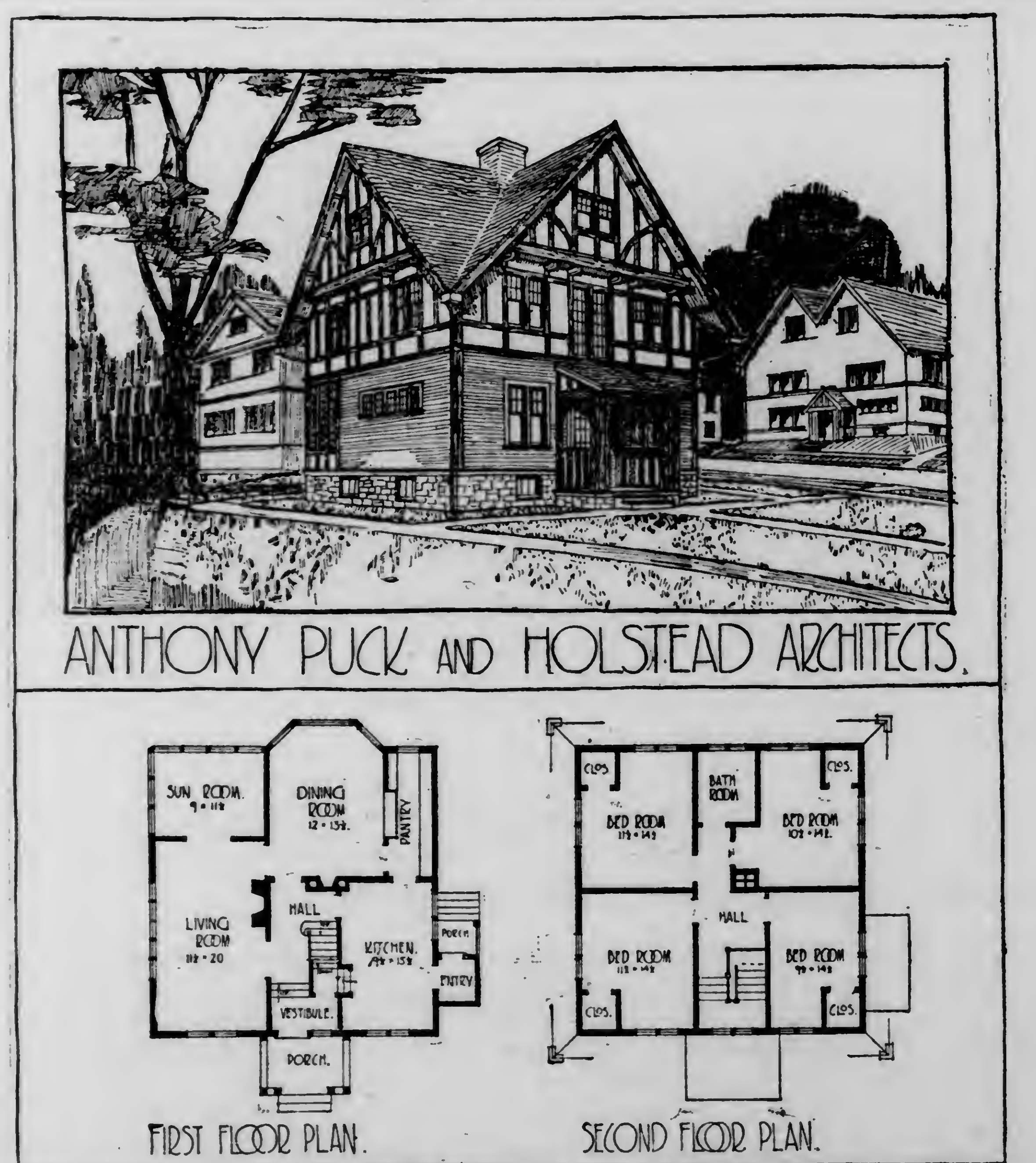
ARTISTIC ENGLISH HOME WHICH WOULD COST $4,500 IN DULUTH



Our sketch shows an artistic low cost English residence of eight rooms. The walls on all sides are carried up to a gable, which gives an economical arrangement and also balance, harmony, and rhythm to the exterior.

The plan is reduced to essential and useful elements with high ideals as to essentials. Noto the large living room, well arranged dining room with pantry connecting with kitchen, and the well planned second story, each bedroom having a fine closet where the roof is kept low for economy.

The basement is of stone, the first story is shingle and the second story and gables in half-timber work with ruogh cast stucco panels.

There are maple floors throughout. The first story is finished in birch and the second pine enamelled.

Including hot water heating plant and plumbing, a home as shown, the above house would cost to build in Duluth and vicinity, $4,500.

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ON OR BEFORE PRIVILEGE.

F. I. SALTER CO.
LONSDALE BLDG.

BEST CONTRACT—LEAST COST

NORMAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

We are offering at a bargain a beautiful home in this restricted district for a few days only. Circumstances compel the owner to sacrifice the property.

Clarke-Wertin Co.,
200 Alworth Building.
Insurance Loans Real Estate

$6,000—Brick house, centrally located on Third street, nine rooms and bath, modern conveniences, hardwood floors; will make terms.
$3,500—Will buy a good home on East Third street—six rooms, bath and attic, stone foundation, hardwood floors first story, furnace, electric light. Make terms.
$1,100—Takes five-room, two-story house and two lots in Duluth Heights — basement, hardwood floor in kitchen; good well; fence; shade trees; small barn. Half cash. A good home for little money.

D. W. SCOTT & SON,
402 Torrey Building.

$400 CASH

Buys a new ten-room house, East end. Rents, $30 per month. Has all improvements except heat; concrete foundation; 50x140-foot lot. Will pay big rate of interest on investment.

PRICE, $3,500. $400 cash.

C. L. RAKOWSKY & CO.
201 Exchange Building.

HOME

New and warmly built, six rooms and bath, etc. No. 723 Tenth avenue east. Very easy terms.

LOT

Fifty feet on London road, near Twenty-third avenue. The cheapest good lot in the East end.

FORTY ACRES

Near Fond du Lac and Steel Plant. A snap.

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U. S. FIDELITY & GUARANTY CO., AGENTS,

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Old Reliable Companies.

REAL ESTATE
Monthly Payment Plan.

COOLEY & UNDERHILL,
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$5,000

For new six-room house on Greysolon Road—all modern conveniences—lot 50x140 feet—$700 cash, balance in monthly payments.

C. H. GRAVES & COMPANY
500 ALWORTH BLDG.

A GOOD BUY

A brand new six-room house, stone foundation, hot water heating plant—hardwood floors—50x140-foot lot—one block from car line.

EXCEPTIONAL Price—$3,500. Terms, $400 cash; balance, $33.00 monthly.

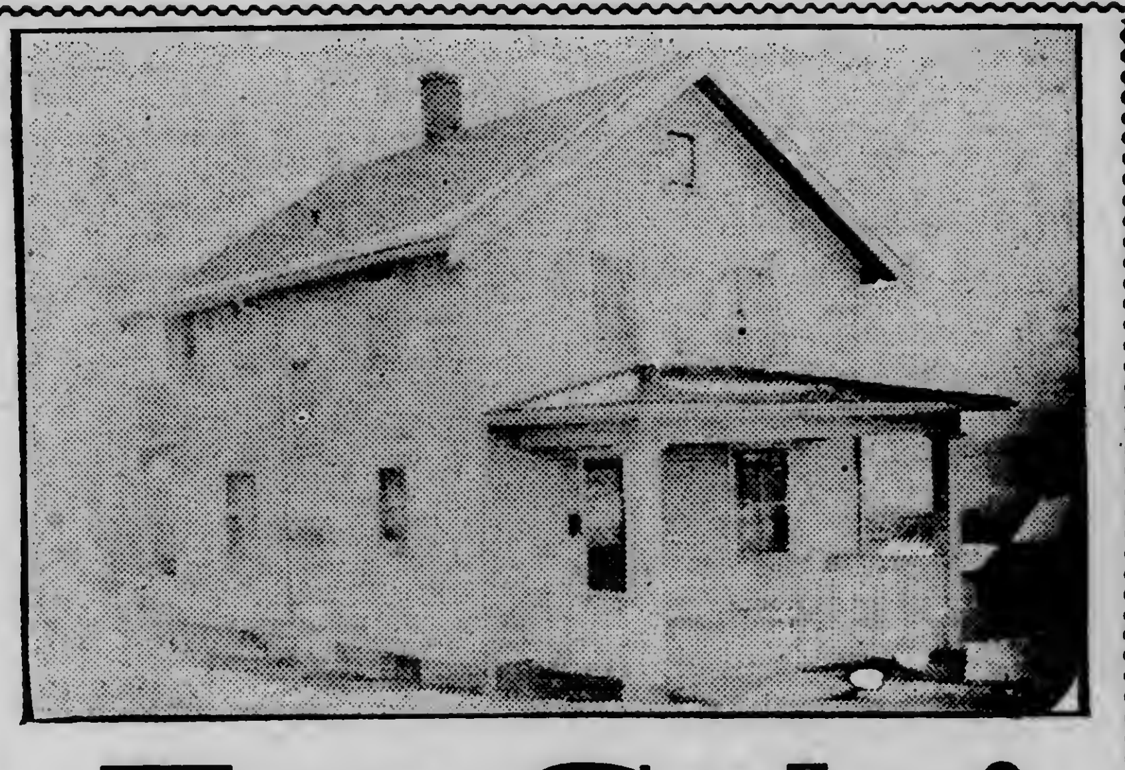
No phone calls answered on this.

LAKESIDE LAND CO.
501-505 SELLWOOD BUILDING.

LAKESIDE

$5,500—Desirable home on McCulloch street, eight rooms and reception hall, and newly decorated; full basement, stone foundation, hot water heat, laundry tubs and supplementary heater, strictly modern throughout; good barn. Lot 50x140. Reasonable terms.
$4,775—Excellent value—six-room dwelling on Regent street; all modern hot water heat, gas heater, hardwood floors throughout. Lot 50x140. Some cash, balance monthly.
See us for further particulars. Don't telephone.

Chas. P. Craig & Co.,
501-505 SELLWOOD BUILDING.



For Sale!

New house, 622 Eighth avenue east — hot water heat, laundry in basement, three rooms on first floor, four rooms and bath and toilet on second floor; equipped with gas, electric fixtures and window shades. Possession January 1st. Will sell for $4,200; $500 cash, balance on easy payments to suit. Call at 525 East Fourth street for particulars.

BARGAINS IN LOTS!

$500 cash buys a corner 50x140 feet on Superior street and Forty-first avenue east. 240-14

100 feet on East Second street, near Nineteenth avenue. This is a beautiful site for a home, $4,000

$1,000 for 50x140 feet on London road, near Nineteenth avenue east. 211-16

LITTLE & NOLTE
INSURANCE LOANS
UNDER AM. EX. BANK.

WEST END SPECIALS!

$600—Buys a fine fifty-foot lot on upper side of Eighth street, near Twenty-fourth avenue west. Easy terms.
$2,300—For an eight-room house at Thirty-ninth avenue west, on corner lot. Can be arranged for either one or two families; in fine condition; $500 cash will handle, balance on terms.
$350—For fifty-foot lot on Seventh street, near Twenty-fourth avenue west. Monthly payments.

WESTERN REALTY CO.,
1922 West Superior Street.

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At lowest market rates on improved Duluth real estate.

Money Always on Hand.

MENDENHALL & HOOPES
209 First National Bank Bldg.

We Loan Money on Real Estate

NO RED TAPE—NO DELAY

RICHARDSON, DAY & HARRISON

Upham's Good Buys.

$500—For a corner lot on car line, in West end.—(56).
$4,000—For a nine-room house in East end, stone foundation, hardwood floors downstairs; all conveniences; handy to car line. Terms easy.—(870).
$2,000—For a seven-room house at Hunter's Park; full lot; hardwood finish; cement foundation; well. House in good condition and very cheap.

N. J. UPHAM CO.,
18 Third Avenue West.

FOR RENT.

Four rooms and bath, 5381 East Superior street	$12
Three rooms, fireplace, electric light, toilet, etc., 220 West Fourth street	$15
Five sunny rooms, with bath, gas, etc., 315½ West Third street	$16
Seven-room house, bath, furnace, large yard, 112 South Nineteenth avenue east	$30

E. D. FIELD CO.,
203 Exchange Building.

IF YOU LOVE YOUR WIFE
BUY HER A HOME.

It would be the cheapest, yet the most appreciated

CHRISTMAS GIFT

Your rent money would pay for it—$25 per month and a trifle to start—$300.

C. E. ROE,
412 Providence Building.

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If Your Job Won't Let You Save—Quit Your Job!

That's just plain logic—if you can't save enough during your work-years to keep you in old-age you'll have to live on the bounty of others or starve! Sounds brutal, doesn't it?—but it's so!

Break away from the uncertainty of "job-life" now—while you are young and strong!

Carve out a living for yourself, by yourself, be your own boss and live! You can buy a fruit ranch in the famous Bayfield county fruit district of Wisconsin at the present prices, on the present terms!

BAYFIELD COUNTY FRUIT LANDS

Offer you an independent future and an immensely valuable property to belong to your family forever!

These lands now cost from $15 to $20 an acre; you will live to see them selling from $300 to $1,000. Get one now. I will make terms to suit you and will pay your fare to see the land. GET BUSY!

C. A. KNIPPENBERG,
300-301 Alworth Bldg.,
Phones 597.

Are You Looking for LOTS?

AT LAKESIDE
We have a fine lot on Gladstone street. At our price it is the cheapest lot in Lakeside. We will sell on easy terms, or will build on same to suit tennant. A proposition worth investigating.

DULUTH HEIGHTS
$300 buys two good lots here on the car line. This price is for a quick deal, and we believe it to be a bargain.

AT WEST DULUTH
We offer a fine level building lot, which must be sold quick to close an estate. As it is located close to the Irving school, it is a fine location to build on.

AT SUPERIOR VIEW
$100 buys three lots. This group will be useful in many ways, and we believe there is a buyer for them at this low price.

We are "Specialists in Rapid Real Estate Deals," and whether you wish to BUY or SELL city property or farm lands let us handle your property. We aim to please.

EBERT, WALKER & McKNIGHT
312-314-315-316 TORREY BLDG.

Buy Lots on Your Own Terms

That makes it easy for you. We have a group of fine lots in the West end on Fourth, Fifth and Sixth streets, which we are selling rapidly at $400 each. If you are looking for lots, better see these. The choice is good now.

A. H. BURG & CO.
REAL ESTATE LOANS INSURANCE
300 Alworth Building

HOMES!

$5,500—Ten-room house, stone foundation, hot water heat, handsome hardwood finish and floors on first floor. Central location, upper corner lot. (3080)
$5,250—New house, eight rooms and bath, concrete foundation—hot water heat, hardwood finish down, white enamel up, hardwood floors throughout. Lot 35x100 feet, on Sixteenth avenue east. (5670)
$5,800—Brick and stucco house, with concrete foundation, hot water heat, seven rooms and bath—extra fine electric light fixtures—hardwood floors throughout—fine 50-foot lot on upper side of street, two blocks from car line, at Lakeside. Easy terms. (5648)
$2,800—Nice five-room cottage, near Sixteenth avenue east, stone foundation, bath room with new open plumbing, electric light, gas in kitchen. Nice lot. Very easy terms. (5603)
$2,500—On Greysolon road, near Nineteenth avenue east, 8-room house, bath, furnace, street and avenue paved, cement walks. Easy terms. (927)
$5,500—Double house on London road, eight rooms and bath on each side, furnace, gas and electric light, good stone foundation with cement floor. Rents for $60 per month. Nice 50-foot lot on upper side of street. Live in one side and rent the other. (1450)

We can build a house for you on your own plans on some handsome lots in the restricted Normal district, and sell on easy payment plan.

Money on hand for loans.
Stores, houses and flats for rent.

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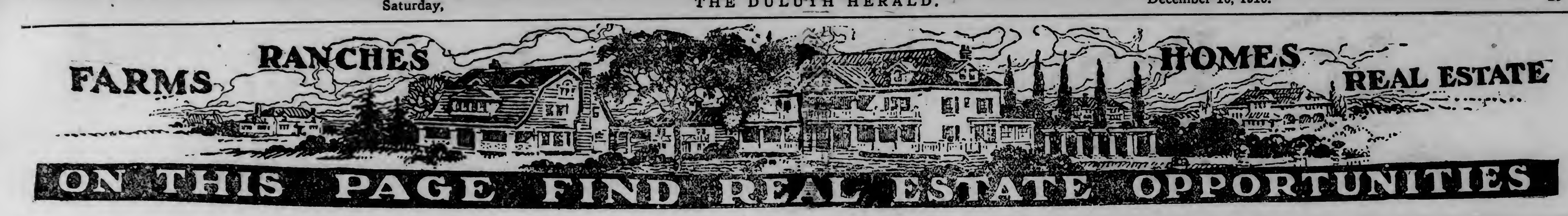
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BUILDING WORK SCARCE

Winter Construction Is Not as Great as Was Expected.

Bids for Normal School Addition Will Be Opened Monday.

Winter building is not looming up in such volume as the builders and architects expected and little new building is expected to be begun before the first of the year. Most of the builders are working on residences started earlier in the fall and it is thought that after the first of the lear, enough work will come out to keep everybody in the building trades busy.

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Duluth contractors are taking considerable interest in the meeting of the Minnesota Association of Real Estate Exchanges, which will be held here next Wednesday. Some of the most prominent contractors and material dealers in the state will be in Duluth for the meeting and the subjects up for discussion will be of great interest to the members of the Duluth exchange.

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The state normal school board will open bids at St. Paul Monday for the new addition to the Duluth normal. A large number of Duluth contractors will bid on the work.

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P. M. Olsen is preparing plans for a frame residence for W. H. Haglin. It will be built on the lower side of Fourth street between Twentieth and Twenty-first avenues east, and will cost about $4,500.

Mr. Olsen is also preparing plans for a residence for W. L. James. It will be built on Woodland avenue and will be a two-story frame structure costing about $4,000.

Mr. Olsen has also been commissioned to prepare plans for a reinforced concrete, fire-proof vaudeville theater to be built at Hancock, Mich. It will be 50 by 150 feet and will seat 1,100 people. It will cost about $65,000.

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Few building permits were issued druing the past week and December has started out with an unusually poor record. The record for the first eleven months of the year was good, however, and the figures for the year will not fall far short of those for last year. The permits issued during the past week follow:

To Zenith Box Lumber company, frame factory, Traverse street between Forty-third and Forty-third avenues west	$2,000
To Martin Smith, alterations, East Third street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues	4,000
To C. Hellquist, frame dwelling, Eighth avenue east, between Seventh and Eighth streets	2,500
To Edward Heir, addition, East Fourth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues	500

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lot 12, block 1, Gilbert	105
Virginia Realty company to Independent school district of Virginia, lots 1 to 32, inclusive, block 11, Rooney's addition to Virginia	9,500
Andrew Enberg et ux to Frank Tolvonen, undivided half lot 25, block 27, Virginia	2,500
Joseph Sellwood et ux to La Rue S. Mershon, lot 6, block 57, Endion division	1
Jacob Jacobson to M. F. Bafes, lot 317, e½ of lot 319, block 10, Duluth Proper, Second division	5,500
Rose Markkula to Ida Haapala, lot 18, block 31, Chisholm	310
Matt Borlin et ux to Swan River Logging company, limited, lot 10, block 12, Chisholm	300
Oskar Pahkala et ux to Sam Hantila, lot 1, block 21, Chisholm	600
Virginia Improvement company to John Jekson, lot 21, w½ of lot 22, block 46, Virginia	450
Roosevelt Addition company to Frank Carroll, lot 3, block 4, Roosevelt addition, Hibbing	125
George F. Hennings et ux to W. A. Schreiter, undivided ½ interest in se¼ of se¼, section 32, 69-18	1
Norman C. Schreiter to W. A. Schreiter, undivided ½ interest in sw¼ of se¼, section 34, 69-19	1
Norman C. Schreiter to W. A. Schreiter, undivided ½ interest in lots 1 and 2, se¼ of sw¼, section 24; lot 3, section 23, 69-19	1
The Shogomoc company to Charles West, lots 2 and 3, block 7, Kinney	300
M. S. Stein et ux to Henry Turrish, undivided ½ interest in w½ of sw¼ of se¼ if sw¼, section 3, 64-18, and much other land	1
Frank H. Tibbletts to the Pitman Educational company, lots 10, 11, 12 and 13, block 2, Princeton Place additon	5,000
Virginia Improvement company to John Jekson, lot 21, w½ of lot 23, block 46, Virginia	450
Home & Garden company to Otto B. Kotz, e½ of lot 5, block 6, Chester Park division	1
Stella M. Young to Jennie E. Little, w½ of lot 12, all of lots 13, 14, 15 and 16, block 7, London addition	1
Thomas J. Walsh et ux to Harry C. Scribner, lots 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36, block 1, Ross street, Walsh townsite	1
Rollo N. Chaffee et ux to Herman Nickson, lot 15, block 11, Spirit Lake addition	150
Thomas Thorburn to Mary Ola, lot 1, block 7, Spirit Lake addition	250
Harry C. Scribner et ux to North American Hotel company, lots 31 to 36, inclusive, block 1, Ross street, Walsh township	1
Northern Pacific Railway company to Ruth M. Shepherd, se¼ of nw¼, section 25, 63-13	330
Charles Saul to Steve Stepherson, n½ of ne¼, section 9; nw¼ of nw¼, section 10, 61-15	10
Steve Stephenson to Thomas J. Walsh, n½ of ne¼, section 9; nw¼ of nw¼, section 10, 61-15	1
W. G. Horham et ux to Thomas J. Wash, undivided ½ of nw¼ of nw¼, section 10, 61-15	15
William J. Bates et ux to Thomas J. Walsh, undivided ¼ interest in nw¼ of nw¼ section 10; ⅛ interest in n½ of ne¼, section 9, 61-15	1
Asa E. Camp et ux to Steve Stephenson, n½ of ne¼, section 9; nw¼ of nw¼, section 10, 61-15	50
George Fairley to Marie Myhrberg, southerly 5 feet of lot 13, all lot 14, northerly 47 feet, lot 15, block 2, Hunter's Park, First division; sw¼ of ne¼, ne¼ of sw¼, lot 5; nw¼ of se¼, section 30, 65-16; undivided ½ of lot 11, section 6, 62-15	1
John M. McClintock to Alice L. Lindner et al, s½ of nw¼, section 26, 60-13	1
Robert Maxwell to Percival C. Lindner et al, s½ of sw¼, nw¼ of se¼, section 20, 60-13	50
John F. Myhrberg et ux to George Fairley, southerly 5 feet of lot 13, all lots 14, northerly 47 feet of lot 15, block 2, Hunter's Park, First division, etc	1
Charles Swanson et ux to Blanche B. Brigham, lot 12, block 5, altered plat, London addition	1
Hattie M. Mason et al to D. W. & P. Railroad company, lots 1, 2 and 3, block 2, Carlton Place addition	1
Lillian M. Himebaugh et mar. to Blanche B. Brigham, lot 12, block 5, altered plat, London Park addition	1
W. J. Holmes et ux to Diamond Calk Horseshoe company, lot 1, block 68, Oneota	1
Alice L. Flett et al to Scott-Graff Lumber company, timber on s½ of nw¼, section 29; s½ of sw¼, nw¼ of se¼, section 20, 60-13	2,200
Onondaga Iron company to Carl Johnson, timber on w½ of sw¼, section 3, 52-17	200
Charles Kallis to Ebert, Walker & McKnight company, se¼ of nw¼, n½ of sw¼, section 27, 56-12	1
George L. Dewey et ux to George F. Lindsay, s½ of ne¼, se¼ of nw¼, nw¼ of se, section 18, 66-21	1
Ellen Moore et mar. to John E. Rowan, lots 7 and 8, block 16, Virginia	1
The Shogomoc company to G. H. Swan, lot 10, block 7, Kinney	225
N. J. Miller et ux to E. B. Miller, lot 8, block 53, Oneota	1
H. T. Lundgren to Christina Nordstrom, lot 8, block 128, Myer's rearrangement, Duluth Proper, Second division	1
Pliny F. Stevens et ux to James H. Constantine, lot 32, block 3, Chandler Park addition	700
O. G. Olson et ux to Frank Johnson, lot 15, block 7, Ironton, Fourth division	350
O G. Olson et ux o Jacob Fant, lot 11, block 7, Ironton, Fourth division	400
McKinley Townsite company to Abe Marco, lot 5, block 16, McKinley	140
Home & Garden company to Matt Harala, part sw¼ of sw¼, section 1, 49-15	1
Charles A. Goodyear et ux to George F. Lindsay, undivided ½ interest in ne¼ of ne¼, section 35, 66-19	1
Same to same, nw¼ of nw¼, ne¼ of nw¼, section 30, 66-18; sw¼ of sw¼, se¼ of sw¼, section 19, 66-18	1
J. L. Washburn et ux to M. H. Alworth, se¼ of nw¼, sw¼ of ne¼, section 30, 53-13	1
Daniel King to William M. Welsh, lot 14, block 35, Second addition, Eveleth	600
Charles A. Wright et ux to M. H. Alworth, lots 69 and 71, West Second street, Duluth Proper, First division; lots 69 and 71, block 29, Duluth Proper, Third division	10,000
Abe Marco to Hyman Marco, lot 5, block 16, McKinley	1
Annie Kitz et al to John Geval, lot 23, block 6, Kitzville	150
American Exchange National Bank of Duluth to Oliver L. Burrell, lot 8, block 21, Fourth Glen Avon division	750
H. P. Reed et ux to William Broker, se¼ of nw¼, section 31, 59-21	1
Same to Theodore Hurwick, sw¼ of nw¼, section 31, 59-21	1
C. F. Colman et ux to Ida Lindberg, n½ of n½, sw¼ of sw¼, section 9, 51-13	250
Charles A. Goodyear et ux to George F. Lindsay, land in 65-19, 66-17, 66-18, 66-19, 67-20, 67-21, 68-20 and 68-21	1
Home & Garden company to Alex J. Mergener, west 25 feet of fractional lot 12, block 9, Chester Park division; lot 9, block 162, Portland division	1
W. D Bailey et ux to M. H. Alworth, lot 2, nw¼ of ne¼, n½ of nw¼, section 17, 51-12	1
J. L. Washburn et ux to M. H. Alworth, s½ of nw¼, ne¼ of sw¼, sw¼ of sw¼, nw¼ of se¼, s½ of se¼, section 19, and land in sections 20, 22, 26, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, township 52-13	275
Charles A. Goodyear et ux to George F. Lindsay, timber on land in townships 67-18, 66-21, 67-20, 65-16, 66-16 and other land	1
Charles A. Goodyear et ux to George F. Lindsay, timber on land in township 65-20, sections 1, 3, 4, 8, 9, 10, etc; townships 65-19, 68-21, 66-21, 66-20 and 67-21	1
Same to same, timber on lots 1 and 2, e½ of ne¼ of section 30, 67-19, and other land	1
Frank A. Maron et ux to Richard Cullen, undivided ½ of mineral lease 2945, undivided ½ mineral lease 527, undivided ½ mineral lease 2914, etc., se¼ of section 16, 62-13; sw¼ of section 16, 62-13	375
Same to same, undivided ½ interest in mineral contract on se¼ of section 16, 62-13, sw¼ of section 16, 62-13	1
Charles A. Goodyear et ux to George F. Lindsay, ne¼ of ne¼, section 35, 66-19; se¼ of nw¼, section 10, 66-17, sw¼ of ne¼, section 12, 66-19 and other land	1
Frank W. Gilchrist et al to George F. Lindsay, timber on sw¼ of sw¼, section 7; nw¼ of ne¼, sw¼ of ne¼, se¼ of ne¼, ne¼ of se¼, section 13; nw¼ of nw¼, sw¼ of nw¼, se¼ of nw¼, ne of sw¼, nw¼ of sw¼, sw¼ of sw¼, se¼ of sw¼, section 18, 66-16, and other land	1
Lillian E. Kjellin to Herbert T. Lundgren, lot 8, block 123, Meyer's rearrangement, Duluth Proper, Second division	1,000
Guaranty Farm Land company to J. Q. A. Crosby, e½ of se¼ of section 34; sw¼ of section 35, 56-16	1
Nels Anderson et ux to Abraham Savolainen, lots 26 and 26, block 7, Anderson's Second addition, Virginia	1
George Atchison et ux to John W. Jennison, lots 2 and 3, section 26; lots 1, 2 and 3, sw¼ of nw¼, section 35, 60-19	1
Duluth & Iron Range Railroad company to Hope Iron Mining company, se¼ of ne¼, section 5, 63-15	190
Peter Galewski to Helena Gajewski, s½ of lot 16, East Eeighth street, Duluth Proper, First division	1
Louis Levy et ux to Henry Turrish, undivided ½ interest in se¼ of sw¼, section; n½ of ne¼, ne¼ of nw¼, section 12, 66-22	1
Alex J. Keith et al to Henry Turrish, undivided ½ interest in lots 5 and 6, section 6, 66-16, and other land	1
Charles S. Johnson to Gustaf K. Johnson, n½ of nw¼, se¼ of nw¼, section 23, 50-15	1
Home & Garden company to Alex J. Mergener, west 25 feet of fraction lot 12, block 9, Chester Park division; lot 9, block 162, Portland division	1
Minnesota Iron company to John Pearson, lot 9, block 22, Tower	125
Same to same, lot 5, block 25, Tower	125
Shaw Iron company to J. C. Ames, lot 8, block 6, Biwabik	95
Same to John Strom, lot 7, block 6, Biwabik	95
Roosevelt Addition company to C. A. Remington, lot 29, block 3, Roosevelt addition, Hibbing	125
George R. Sloan et al to Duluth, Winnipeg & Pacific Railroad company, lots 13, 14, 15 and 16, block 135, West Duluth, Fifth division	2,850
Virginia Realty company to Joseph P. Cudahy, lot 17, block 5, Rooney's addition, Virginia	300
H. R. Fessenden et al to A. M. Knapp, se¼ of ne¼, e½ of sw¼ of nw¼, section 35, 69-18	—
Duluth Land & Development company to Karl Waltonen, e½ of nw¼, section 31, 52-12	640
Annie Cain et mar to C. C. Yawkey, lots 1 and 2, se¼ of ne¼, section 1, 68-18	1
Axel E. Lun et ux to W. I. Nicholas, lot 14; n½ of lot 15, block 102, Second addition, Virginia	1
Judd Brewster to Matilda Felto, lots 21 and 23, block 8, Superior View addition	100
Gena Robinson et mar to Jennie Ribeault, lot 1, block 8, Biwabik	1
Walter H. Coffin et ux to William A. McClaran, ne¼ of sw¼, section 24, 52-19	1
Beriah Magoffin et ux to M. M. Shackelford, lot 10, block 17, Proctorknott	1
Andrew James Anker to Robert Skamfer, nw¼ of ne¼, section 32, 53-17	1
C. A. Goodyear et ux to A. D. Daniels et al, e½ of nw¼, section 25, 68-20; n½ of sw¼, sw¼ of sw¼, section 11, 66-21	1
William H. Lightner to Frances C. G. Cheney, undivided ½ of lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16, block 22; lots 14, 16 and 18, block 23, Bay Front division, First rearrangement	—
Estate of J. A. Felthous to Roy E. Todd et al, w½ of ne¼, section 34, 63-16	220
George F. Lindsay to Alfred D. Daniels, et al, timber on s½ of nw¼, ne¼ of sec-10; se¼ of sw¼, section 3, 65-19, and other land	1
Frank W. Miller et ux to Joseph Backus, s½ of sw¼, section 34, 60-18	1
Boston & Duluth Farm Land company to M. W. Hingeley, lot 4, section 27, 50-20	303
Emil Olson et ux to Ole Hedlund, nw¼ of se¼, section 2, 56-13	500
M. W. Hingeley et ux to Elvarti Ylinen, fractional sw¼ of sw¼, section 27, 50-20	362
Frank McMerty to Daniel McMerty, lots 9 and 10, block 7, Merritt's addition	1
Stephen Thomas to Morris Thomas, s½ of se¼, section 8; nw¼ of ne¼, section 17, 59-16; undivided 15-16 of e½ of se¼, sw¼ of se¼, section 25, 63-13, and of lot 5, section 30, 63-12	1
Hillside Investment company to Oscar Runstrom, lot 16, block 9, Chamber's First division	275
Buhl Investment company Billi Magliore, lots 24 and 25, block 6, First addition, Buhl	120
Carl N. Stockwell et ux to Samuel P. Snider, lots 1 and 2, section 14, 62-13	1
The Shogomoc company to Luigi Rosati, lot 15, block 1, Kinney	150
Somo to N. Costanz, lot 14, block, 1, Kinney	200
Samo to D. Costanz, lot 16, block 2, same	175
Edward Tatro to Hannibal Romlein, lot 10, block 11, Brooklyn	1
Edward Kleinert to Thomas Brown, tract in lot 4, section 15, 52-11, and roadway easement	200
Matt Pojala et ux to Alavus, a corporation, 2 acres in ne¼ of se¼, section 13, 57-19	30
Charles R. Cannon to William H. Wilson, sw¼ of ne¼, s½ of nw¼, nw¼ of sw¼, section 35, 56-12	875
Boston & Duluth Farm Land company to John Sundquist et al, s½ of sw¼, section 28, 51-16	760
C. O. Carlson et ux to Axel N. Anderson, lot 6, block 9, London additon	1,000
Albert E. Dyer et al to Joseph Angell, lots 3 and 4, block 7, Hibbing Heights	125
Hibbing Investment company to John Martin, lot 3, block 14, Cotton	250
Lakeside Land company to Herman Brunner, lot 16, block 60, London addition	450
Uno Lindstrom et ux to Cavosi Angelo, lot 7, block 9, Bay View Addition No. 1	1
Harry E. Walbank to Claus C. Hoekstra, lot 7, block 5, Walbank's Third street rearrangement, Walbank's addition	800
Uno Lindstrom et ux to Hans Bredeson, lot 4, block 7, altered plat, London Park addition	1
William Horkan to L. M. Dickerson, lots 11 and 12, block 79, Portland division	4,700
Victor Rooth et ux to D. W. & P. Railroad company, lot 12, block 10, Spirit Lake addition	152
Andrew Binder et ux to Mina E. Ebert, undivided 2-3 interest in ore on sw¼ of nw¼, section 12; s½ of ne¼, ne¼ of se¼, section 11, 68-20	1
John P. Zygmanski et ux to Lewis H. Kusnierek, part lot 8, block 121 and of block 122, Portland division	700
Nels Nelson to George W. and Thomas H. Martin, timber on s½ of nw¼, ne¼ of nw¼, section 5, 54-17	475
George H. Gamble et ux to William O'Brien, s½ of ne¼, n½ of se¼, section 7; se¼ of nw¼, n½ of sw¼, section 8, 60-12	1
John T. Stack et al to Agnes S. Reed n½ of lots 1 and 2, block 15, Banning & Ray's sub-division	5,500
Pilot Mining company to Wickwire Steel company sw¼ of ne¼, section 1; lots 1 and 2; sw¼ of ne¼, nw¼ of se¼, section 2; ne¼ of ne¼, section 11, 58-18	1
Swedish American National Bank of Minneapolis to Agnes S. Reed, northerly ½ of lots 1 and 2, block 15, Banning & Ray's sub-division	1
Northern Pacific Railway company to George F. Hennings, s½ of sw¼, sw¼ of se¼, section 35, 69-19	990
M. D. Coate et ux to Wickwire Steel company, se¼ of se¼, section 2, 58-18	1
H. J. Jonswold to Wickwire Steel company, se¼ of se¼, section 2, 58-18	1
George W. Norton et al to John Olson, lot 7, block 5, rearrangement of Norton's Bay View outlots	100
Carolyn A. Blackmarr to Frederick D. Davidson, lot 7, block 4, First addition, Proctorknott	200
C. A. Blackmarr to F. D. Davison, lot 19, block 3, First addition, Proctorknott	400
Jacob Anttila et ux to Elmer Anttila, lot 27, block 12, First addition, Gilbert	260
George Andria to Mike Baich et al, lot 6, block 5, Second addition, Chisholm	1,600
Same to same, same	1,600
Anna A. Johnson to Gustaf Bergquist, fractional block 126, Duluth Proper, Second division	1
Thomas C. Wiggins et ux to George C. Martin, lot 1, section 11; lot 1, section 12, 62-16	1
John Turolo et ux to Oscar Maki, lot 4, block 31, Ely	500
F. A. Wildes et ux to Robert Murray, lot 7, east ½ of sw¼, section 3; nw¼ of ne¼, section 10, 67-17	1
Otto Johnson to J. A. Anderson, undivided ½ of e½ of ne¼, section 34, 62-21	300
Alvin H. Gardner to W. E. Dean, Jr., lot 8, section 12; lot 2, section 13, 64-15	1
Alvin H. Gardner to W. E. Dean, Jr., sw¼ of sw¼, section 32, 68-18	1
A. S. Kitto to F. A. Wildes, lot 7, e½ of sw¼, section 3, nw¼ of ne¼, section 10, 67-17	1
H. F. Douglas et ux to Stella M. Young, lots 1 and 2, Hall & Lindberg's Park Place addition	167
Margaret Russell to Mrs. Hattie Jollymore, se¼ of nw¼, section 5, 52-14	500
G. A. Rydberg et ux to Otto Wickman, nw¼ of se¼, section 32, 52-12	1
Earl Wilber to St. Louis River Power & Improvement corporation, lot 4, section 12, 50-18	300
Mrs. John Flustad et mar to Joseph H. Grant, part lots 9, 10 and 11, block 1, Buhl	1
Ida Berglund et mar to Minnie Doyle, lots 3 and 4, east 10 feet of lot 2, block 51, West Duluth, Sixth division	2,100
W. J. Holmes et ux to Frank Horgan, west 50 feet of lots 2 and 3, block 10, Carlton Place addition	400
Same to D. W. & P. Railroad company, lots 3 and 4, block 30, Dodge's addition	1
Same to same, lot 3, block 1, Carlton Place addition	1
Same to same, lots 15 and 16, block 7, Macfarlane's Grassy Point addition	400
Thomas Matlak et ux to Annie Blondowski, lots 6 and 7, block 2, Princeton Place addition	400
St. Louis Investment company to Helen C. Rooney, lot 401, block 48, Duluth Proper, Second division	3,750
Allen P. Lovejoy et al to Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie Railway company, portion of lot 16, block F, Duluth Proper, Second division	1
George H. Ebert et ux to Frank F. Davidson, nw¼ of section 14, 61-15	1
Iowa Land & Investment company to Emil Johnson, strip across e½ of ne¼, section 15, 50-17	75
H. O. Underwood et ux to A. W. Hartman, lot 10, Taussig's rearrangement of s½ of block 45, Harrison's division	1
Estate of Peter L. Kimberly to The Kimberly corporation, se¼ of se¼, section 6, 58-17	1
M. D. Nides to Louis P. Freed et al, timber on ne¼ of sw¼, se¼ of sw¼, nw¼ of se¼, sw¼ of se¼, section 20, 55-18	850
F. B. Schumann to George F. Lindsay, timber on s½ of sw¼, section 24; nw¼ of nw¼, section 25; ne¼ of ne¼, section 26, 64-19	1
Wacoota Land company to Johnstown Land company, lots 15 and 16, block 2, Wacoota	700
George W. Norton et al to Frederick Davidson, lots 14, 15, 16 and 17, block 1, Norton's additon, Proctor	300
Same to same, lots 12 and 13, block 1, same	200
Same to same, lots 18 and 19, block 1, same	200
Emil Johnson et ux to Duluth & Northeastern Railroad company, strip 50 feet wide across e½ of ne¼, section 15, 50-17	1
Henry A. Winton to Addie M. Winton, lots 35 and 26, block 10, Hunter's Grassy Point addition	1
Ebert, Walker & McKnight company to Frank Pozar et al, w½ of nw¼, section 35, 59-20	400
Arthur Aaronson et ux. to Charles Kronick et al, undivided ½ interest in s½ of sw¼, sw¼ of se¼, section 5; nw¼ of nw¼, section 8, 66-16	1
Matt Kauppi et ux to D. W. & P. Railroad company, part west 2-3 of ne¼ of nw¼, section 30, 49-15	1,850
Anna A. Johnson to Gustaf Bergquist, fraction block 126, Duluth Proper, Second division	1
A. E. Dyer et al to Morris Mitchell, lot 10, block 1, Hibbing Heights	62
Same to same, lots 11 and 12, block 1, same	125
Same to Louise Rhodes, lots 24 and 25, block 3; lots 7 and 8, block 10, same	250
Gust Lee to Thomas H. and George W. Martin, nw¼ of ne¼, e½ of nw¼, lot 1, section 64-18	500
Martha Karjalainen to Adolf Johnson et al, lots 7 and 8, block 7, Anderson's addition, Virginia	1
D. W. Freeman, trustee, to George Rasich, lot 9, block 0, Gilbert	400
Onondaga Iron company to Carl Johnson, lots 1 and 2, section 3, 52-17	421
E. R. Jefferson et ux to John H. Brigham, lot 112, First street, Fond du Lac	1
Edward M. Gaylord to Emma Streeter, w½ of lot 23, block 118, Duluth Proper, Third division	650
Algot Nelson et ux to August Anderson, part lots 431 and 429, block 79, Duluth Proper, Second division	400
N. R. Shank et ux to Biwabik Realty company, all Shank's additon to Biwabik	1
William R. Wright et ux to city of Duluth, lots 19, 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24, block 95, West Duluth, Sixth division	3,600
C. F. Colman et ux to Torbjorn Wettesto, lot 22, block 12, Colman's addition	155
H. E. Abell et ux to Chris Romundstad, e½ of lot 10, block 3, Bryant addition, First division	350
H. J. Gratunis et ux. to Torinus company, lot 4, section 28, 55-16	1
Ebert S. Oakley et ux to William W. Wells, timber on lot 6, section 27, 55-12	1
Curry & Whyte company to Skibo Timber company, timber on n½ of sw¼, n½ of se¼, section 35, 59-12	1,375
Toledo Investment company to William Giertz, lots 3 and 4, block 44, Bay View Addition No. 2	175
Godfrey J. Hodges et ux to Great Lakes Dock company, lots 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45 and 46, block 1, Mitunger's sub-division	1
Amelia Sherwood et mar to Prescillo Kreiwitz, easterly 25 feet of lot 5, block 20, Highland Park addition	1,120
Ellen Myott et mar to Mary E. Ebert, ne¼ of nw¼, section 14, 50-20	530
Thomas Dola net ux to Elle Gravelle, lot 14, block 26, West Duluth, First division	1,200
Moses Perault to Louis Anderson, undivided ¼ of ne¼ of nw¼, section 33, 59-18	175
Shogomoc company to B. Karon, lot 8, block 2, Kinney	150
Shogomoc company to B. Karon, lot 4, block 7, Kinney	150
G. W. Hellstrom to Anna O. Berg, lot 18, block 118, Duluth Proper, Third division	1,100
Peter E. Berg to G. W. Hellstrom, same	1,000
Sadie M. Johnson et mar to Nels Johnson, lots 1 and 2, block 24, Magoffin's division, Proctorknott	500
Godfrey J. Hodges et ux to Great Lakes Dock company, northerly ⅔ of lot 17, Transfer division	1
D. & I. R. Railroad company to William McKinnon, sw¼ of ne¼, section 22, 56-18	595
J. H. McNiven to village of Chisholm, blocks 22, 23, 26 and 27, Western addition, Chisholm	1,800
Home & Garden company to August Anderson, lot 257, auditor's plat, Morningside tract	1
J. W. Lyder et ux to Elizabeth Nearing, lot 12, block 4, resurvey of Murray & Howe's addition	1
M. R. Denning to Lucy R. Denning et al, undivided ½ of ore on sw¼ of nw¼, s½ of nw¼, s½ of ne¼, e½ of se¼, section 27, 67-19	1
John Hegadorn to Amelia Sherwood, easterly 25 feet of lot 5, block 20, Highland Park addition	1
J. W. Bowers et ux to W. C. Auld, lot 55, East Fifth street, Duluth Proper, First divisoin	1
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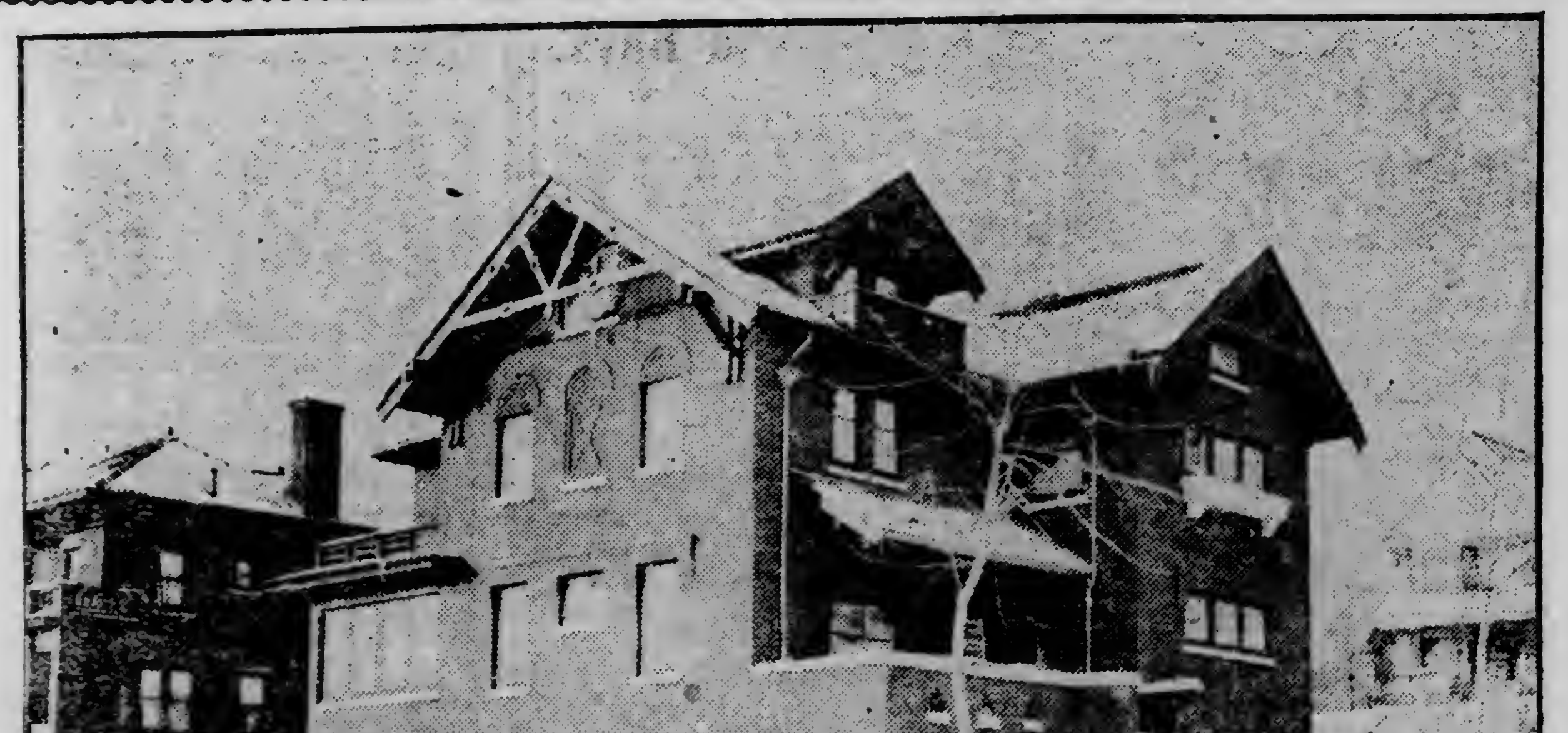

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Crew of Steamer Sharpless Rescued After a Harrowing Experience.

Grain Carrier Driven Ashore on Island in Lake Ontario.

Oswego, N. Y., Dec. 10.—Marooned for thirty-two hours on the bleak shores of the Galloup islands the crew of the steamer John Sharpless was rescued yesterday by the steamer Hinkley of this city.

The Sharpless, with twenty men and one woman aboard, and bound from Ogdensburg for Chicago laden with 70,000 bushels of corn, was overtaken Thursday by a blinding snow storm on her last trip this season. The gale drove the big grain carrier upon the rocks on the shores of the islands in the dead of night.

Efforts to release the vessel were futile and the crew suffered intensely from privation and cold.

The islands are thirty miles due north of this city. The vessel when abandoned was pounding hard upon the rocks and unless the storm abates, it is feared, will become a total loss.

When the vessel struck, a great wave broke over her and flooded the boiler room, extinguishing the fires, leaving the steamer in a helpless state.

Mrs. Frank Russell, wife of the first mate, who was abcard as a passenger was at first greatly alarmed, but displayed remarkble fortitude during the trying hours that followed.

The hatches were secured and hand lamps lighted to keep the crew from freezing. The crew remained in the cabin all night, hoping that by the following day the seas would have abated and that they would be able to secure shelter.

They were doomed to disappointment, however, the seas continniug and increasing in fury. This condition continued until early yesterday morning when the life boat was manned and a party, which included Mrs. Russell, was taken ashore. As the boat was returning for a second load, a ship was sighted.

The fog whistle, which is run by compressed air, was tested, and there was a shout of joy as the passing ship responded.

It proved to be the steamer Hinckley, which was engaged in picking up the buoys in the river and lake, and was returning to Oswego.

Those on the Sharpless were rescued by boats sent to the wrecked craft by Capt. Hinckley, master of the rescuing steamer.

The Sharpless now lies in a shattered condition off the islands. She is owned by the Great Lakes & St. Lawrence Navigation company. Her captain is George Longley of Ogdensburg.

The officers and crew are quartered at a hotel. They say that but for Capt. Hinckley's timely appearance, they might have perished.

This is regarded here as more than probable, for navigation has closed on Lake Ontario and the Hinckley was probably the only craft on the lake.

First Mate Russell and his wife live in Ogdensburg. Most of the crew are from Chicago.

DIES WITHOUT KNOWING BABY WAS MURDERED.

Johnstown, Pa., Dec. 10.—Miss Fannie M. Robinson, mother of the 3-day-old child for whose murder her mother, Mrs. Adelaine Robinson, is confined in Ebensburg jail, died in Memorial hospital here yesterday, without having been informed of its fate.

Miss Robinson was a professional nurse of Hollidaysburg, Pa., and refused to disclose the paternity of the child. Mrs. Robinson maintains an attitude of indifference. The child was chloroformed while the grandmother was taking it to the railway station in a cab.

MRS. OLESON AGAIN HEAD OF DEGREE OF HONOR.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 10.—Mrs. Faunie Buell Oleson of St. Paul, Minn., was re-elected superior chief of the Degree of Honor, the woman's auxiliary of the Ancient Order of United Workmen; Mrs. Frank M. Kempsey of Spokane, Wash., was elected past superior chief; Margaret F. Lentz of Stuttgart, Ark., superior lady of honor; Mary A. Pratt of Coldwater, Mich., superior chief of ceremonies; Elizabeth E. Ailburn of Sioux City, Iowa, superior recorder; Mary Miller of Diller, Neb., superior receiver; Frances Lichtner of Chicago, superior usher; Mary Newell of Sturgis, S. D., superior watch.

SAY CHURCH WILL HOLD TO MRS. EDDY'S PLANS.

Boston, Dec. 10.—A declaration that the government of the Christian Science church under the board of directors will continue according to the ideas of the late founder and leader, Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, has been made public by the five directors, following the first meeting of the board since Mrs. Eddy's death. This statement, which was given out through Afred Farlow of the publication committee, was signed by Stephen A. Chase, Archibald McLellan, Allison V. Stewart, John V. Dittemore and Adam H. Dickey, who constitute the board of directors.

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FLAX AND WHEAT OFF

Longs Try to Duck Delivery of Small Lot of Flaxseed.

Argentine Offers of Wheat Cheaper—Kansas Report Bearish.

Duluth Board of Trade, Dec. 10.—The flaxseed market declined precipitately today, the loss in December being 8½ cents and in May 7 cents. The December option has declined 21 cents and the May delivery has slumped 20 cents a bushel this week. Cash flax was on a December basis.

Wheat continued to take the toboggan. December lost 1⅛c and May declined ⅞c. Cash wheat was 1½ cents over December. Oats, rye and barley were unchanged. Durum lost ¼c.

The weakness in flaxseed was pronounced from the opening. Although the market limped throughout the entire session there was no support. Selling commenced early and the market slid without receiving any encouragement from crushers. The condition was entirely local and centered about 5,000 bushels of seed which was delivered on a December contract. Three or four houses kicked this 5,000 bushels around the pit trying to get rid of it. It was considerably battle scarred but it hung on like the cat that came back.

Nobody wanted the stuff and everybody tried to duck delivery. The result was a sharp slump in values that did not tend to foster confidence in the market. Prospective purchasers were not disposed to take the seed and run the risk of disposing of the stuff to crushers who are fighting for lower prices. The chances of a profit in such a transaction were slim. While the cat was being booted about some hardy spirits got the speculative fever and the result was a few scattered sales on speculative account.

Crushers are not disposed to support this market. They are endeavoring to buy Argentine seed and they naturally want to get the stuff as cheaply as possible. While this market may not dictate world's prices for flaxseed yet the fluctuations here have a salutary effect on the prices elsewhere. The sentimental effect of lower prices in the world's leading flaxseed markets is not lost on foreign sellers. La Plata future seed, for instance, was offered at Antwerp today for approximately $1.904 a bushel, a decline of about 17 cents from quotations of a little more than two weeks ago.

There has been a suspicion in the minds of some folk that the crushers were putting down prices this week so they could broaden and stimulate the market for linseed oil. This has not been the practice of crushers for some time. Crushers are willing to see prices sink lower in order to get their Argentine seed as cheaply as possible. Whether they care to see values then advance so that they can get a high price for the oil is problematical. Time will tell. The question is, can crushers make more money buying Argentine seed cheaply and selling a moderate amount of oil dearly than by getting the seed as cheaply as possible and selling a large amount of oil at a small profit. Any person who would attempt to answer all of the questions and solve all of the peculiar situations that appear in the flaxseed market would not only have considerable work cut out for him but it would not be long before he would be singing his swan song.

The use of substitutes for linseed oil and the disposition of buyers of products in which linseed oil is used to delay improvements and to retard projects in which these products are used will greatly reduce the consumption of linseed oil and consequently of flaxseed. On the other hand this is a new country and it cannot expand and contract its consumption either of staples or specialized products with the facility of Europe. Assuming that we will cut down our consumptive requirements by several million bushels we will have to import from 10,000,000 to 12,000,000 bu and maybe more.

Whether crushers are willing to sell the leading future short in the face of existing conditions and take a chance on a heavy loss in a market susceptible to speculative influences so they can get the actual Argentine stuff cheaply will appear as the situation unravels itself.

Weather in Argentina is favorable and cable today said an Argentine expert had predicted a crop of 38,000,000 bu. This is slightly under the highest estimate for the crop. Some people have thought the crop would reach 40,000,000 bu and an international commercial concern which sells farm implements in Argentina estimated the flaxseed crop of Argentina this week at this figure. It is not likely, however, that the production indicated will be reached.

The foreign markets were lower on account of the weakness in the Buenos Ayres market and cheaper Argentine offers. The harvesting in Argentina is extending southward. The yield is said to be good and the quality of the grain is better than last year, the weight being reported at from ½ to 1 pound heavier per bushel. Smaller world's shipments this week caused some covering by shorts abroad but the effect was lost.

There was considerable liquidation in December from people who do not want to take delivery. The estimate of about 90,000,000 bu for the Kansas winter wheat crop had a weakening effect. The condition was placed by Secretary Coburn at 75.2 per cent of normal. The government made the condition of winter wheat in Kansas 73 per cent which represents an estimated crop as of Dec. 1, of 88,679,000 bu. On Dec. 1 last year the condition of the growing plant was 72 per cent.

Weakness in corn contributed to the depressed condition of wheat. There was some snow today in Illinois and prospects are favorable for additional moisture in some parts of the winter wheat territory.

The cash position in the Northwest was easier. Premiums at Minneapolis were easier but the premium of 1½c over December was unchanged here. Business is dull.

Cash Sales Saturday.

No. 1 northern, 3 cars	1.02⅞
No. 1 northern, 1,000 bu to arrive	1.02⅝
No. 1 northern, 10 cars	1.02⅝
No. 1 northern, 4 cars	1.02¼
No. 1 northern, 2 cars	1.02⅜
No. 1 northern, 2,000 bu to arrive	1.02½
No. 1 northern, 3 cars	1.02¼
No. 3 northern, 1 car	.98¾
Flax, 275 bu 17 lb	2.39
Flax, 1 car	2.40
Flax, 800 bu	2.33½
No. 1 durum, 3 cars	.85
No. 1 durum, 4 cars	.84⅞
No. 1 durum, 9 cars	.84⅝
Barley, 1 car	.78
Barley, 1 car	.75
Rye, 1 car No. 2	.75

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AMERICAN WHEAT MARKETS, DEC. 10.

Dec.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Dec. 9.
Duluth	$1.01¼	$1.02¼a	$1.00⅝a	$1.00⅝b	$1.01¾b
Chicago	.91	.91½	.90⅝	.90¾b	.91¾a
Minneapolis	......	1.00⅜	1.00⅛	1.00⅛a	1.00⅞
New York	.96⅝	.96⅝	.96⅝	.96⅝	.96¾
Winnipeg	.90n	.90⅛	.89⅝-¾	.89¾	.90¼b
Kansas City	.90¼	.90¼	.89¾	.89¾	.90¼
St. Louis	.94¾	.94¾	.94	.94	.94½
May—					
Duluth	1.04⅞	1.05½a	1.04¾	1.04⅞	1.05¾a
Chicago	.95½-¾	.95¾-⅞	.95⅛-¼	.95⅜a	.95¾-⅞
Minneapolis	1.03½-⅝	1.03⅝-¾	1.03⅛	1.03¼a	1.03¾-⅞a
New York	1.02	1.02⅛	1.01⅞-2	1.01⅞-2	1.02¼
Winnipeg	.94⅜	.94½-⅝	.94⅛	.94⅛-¼b	.94⅝b
Kansas City	.93¾	.93¾	.93¼	.93⅜	.93⅝
St. Louis	.96¾-⅞	.96¾-⅞	.96⅝	.96⅝-¾	.97⅛

Southwestern and Winnipeg quotations furnished by B. E. Baker & Co.

DULUTH DURUM MARKET.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Dec. 9.
December	$ .85a	$ .85a	$ .84⅝a	$ .84⅝a	$ .84⅞a
May	.89	.89a	.88⅝	.88⅝b	.89¼

DULUTH FLAX MARKET.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Dec. 9.
December	$2.40	$2.40	$2.32	$2.33½a	$2.42a
May	2.44	2.44a	2.37	2.39b	2.46a

Duluth close: Wheat—On track: No. 1 hard, $1.03⅛; No. 1 northern, $1.02⅛; No. 2 northern, 99⅛-1.00⅛. To arrive: No. 1 northern, $1.02⅛; No. 2 northern, 99⅛-1.00⅛; December, $1.00⅝ bid; May, $1.04⅞. Durum—On track, in store and to arrive: No. 1, 84⅝c; No. 2, 82⅝c; December, 84⅝c asked; May, 88⅝c bid. Flax—On track and to arrive, $2.33½; December, $2.33½ asked; May, $2.39 bid. Oats, 32¼c. Rye, 74-76c. Barley, 73-84c; feed barley, 60-70c.

Receipts—Wheat, 121,320 bu, last year, 97,758 bu; oats, 3,684 bu, last year, 4,304 bu; barley, 6,103 bu, last year, 1,172 bu; flax, 15,378 bu, last year, 12,980 bu.

Shipments—Wheat, 2,933 bu, last year, 90,000 bu; oats, 3,148 bu; barley, 5,500 bu; flax, 16,069 bu.

MARKET GOSSIP

Chicago Tribune: "There seems in some quarters a disposition to exaggerate the drouth situation in the Southwest by figuring the rain deficiency last spring as a factor in the present crop condition," says R. W. Snow of Bartlett-Frazier. "The rainfall from March to Aug. 1 has no more to do with this crop than does the drouth of 1904. There was surplus rainfall all over the Southwest during August and September sufficient to restore good soil conditions after the spring and summer drouth was ended, and it was under these soil moisture conditions that seeding was generally done.

"The aggregate rainfall for September, October, and November shows a material shortage only over a comparatively narrow belt in Southern Kansas west of Wichita and in Central and Western Oklahoma. All Missouri points show an aggregate rainfall above normal for the last three months, but with November taken alone deficient. Topeka, Kan., shows heavy excess of rain in September and only a moderate deficiency since."

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Chicago Record-Herald: Julius Barnes of Duluth passed through Chicago on his way to the East yesterday. "We probably will have enough wheat in the Northwest to run us through and probably more than most people think," he said. "I recall very vividly how Southern Minnesota broke our backs during the black rust year by showing up more wheat than any of us thought she had. She may do the same thing this year."

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Chicago Record-Herald: "Barley is in a class by itself this year," said Fred F. Bullen, the well known maltster. "This is precisely what my Northwestern people told me some months ago, and it is being demonstrated daily. There is not enough barley this year to meet the demand. The trade here will not buy the California malt because they had trouble with it when they used it three years ago. The government reports a shortage of about 12,000,000 bu in the total crop, but the shortage East of the Rockies is at least 20,000,000 bu. Farm reserves the country over at Christmas time are not over 20 per cent, according to the highest estimates that I have been able to find anywhere. They are usually about 60 per cent at this time. The quality is generally fine, as it is all good color, although some is light. Losses in cleaning run up from 5 to 25 per cent because of thin barley, oats, seeds and wild oats mixtures. As barley is not raised as extensively as the other grains, a dealer or maltster has no means to protect himself in the speculative market like dealers in wheat, corn or oats. Prices of malting barley have advanced about 10c in two weeks and about 20c from the low price this fall."

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Closing wheat markets abroad follow: Paris, unchanged to ¼c lower; flour, unchanged; Liverpool, ½d off.

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Broomhall cabled from Liverpool—The wheat market at the opening was influenced by the weakness in Buenos Ayres and values were ¼d to ⅜d lower. Argentine offers are three pence lower and the quality is excellent as according to our agent the weight is ½ to 1 pound per bushel over last year. During the morning the market was dull, but with pressure to sell, and a further decline of ⅛d to ¼d occurred. There was some little covering by shorts during the morning on the predictions of smaller world's shipments this week, but at the close Plata houses here were free sellers and prices at this time were ½d lower than yesterday. The corn market was dull and about steady, especially the American grade. The fact of free Plata offers and predictions of larger world's shipments were offset by the fewer American offers. Wheat cargoes arrived off coast, 1 and waiting orders, 1. Wheat cargoes in distant positions, easy under large Argentine offers. Corn easy with very little inquiry. Our Argentine agent cables that the weather is generally favorable and harvesting is progressing rapidly.

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Cars inspected: Wheat—No. 1 hard, 2; No. 1 northern, 12; No. 3 northern, 4; western red, 2; winter, 2; mixed, 1; durum, No. 1, 7; total wheat, 30, last year 40. Flax, 9; oats, 1. Total, 40; on track, 92.

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Car receipts of wheat:	Today.	Last Year.
Duluth	30	40
Minneapolis	330	106
Northwest	360	146
Chicago	17	7
Winnipeg	173	162
St. Louis, bu	32,000	18,000
Kansas City	51	22

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Car receipts of flax:	Today.	Last Year.
Duluth	9	7
Minneapolis	23	5
Winnipeg	13	22
Totals	45	34

Primaries: Receipts, wheat 633,000 vs. 304,000 bu; shipments, 153,000 vs. 227,000 bu. Corn, receipts 820,000 vs. 404,000 bu; shipments, 416,000 vs 276,000

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Clearances: Wheat 264,000 bu; flour, 13,000 bl; corn, 41,000 bu; oats, 40 bu; wheat and flour, 232,000 bu.

THE CHICAGO MARKET.

Wheat Shows Tendency to Sag on Foreign and Crop News.

Chicago, Dec. 10.—With Argentine offerings more and more cheap at Liverpool and with the new harvest yielding one-half to one pound heavier weight to the bushel according to dispatches from Buenos Ayres, the wheat market here showed a tendency today to sag. Another bearish influence was the fact that receipts in the southwest part of the winter crop region in this country were making a heavy exhibit. Traders apparently gave little attention to predictions of smaller world shipments. The opening was a shade to ⅜c lower. May started at 95½@⅝c to 95¾c, a decline of 1-16 to ¼c and sold down to 95½c.

The Kansas crop report making a bearish estimate increased the depression. The close, however, was steady with May ⅜@½c net lower at 95⅜c.

Large purchases strengthened the price of corn. Previous big short sellers were putting no pressure on the market. May opened a shade higher to a shade off at 47⅜c to 47½c and rose to 47⅞@48c.

Selling on the bulge eased the market. The close was at a net gain of a shade at 47½c for May.

Oats were bullishly affected by the December shortage and by corn. May opened a shade up at 34¼c and advanced to 34¼@⅜c.

In provisions, there was a general evening up with shorts liquidating on the bulge and with longs realizing rather freely. First sales showed an advance of 5c to 17½c, May being at $17.80 to $17.97½c, lard at $9.97½ to $10 and ribs at $9.67½.

Articles—	Receipts	Shipts.
Flour, bbl	14,000	11,100
Wheat, bu	20,500	15,000
Corn, bu	463,000	188,900
Oats, bu	246,600	175,900
Rye, bu	5,500	1,000
Barley, bu	120,000	59,700

Car lot receipts: Wheat, 17 cars, with 5 of contract grade; corn, 397 cars, with 5 of contract grade; oats, 223 cars. Total receipts of wheat at Chicago, Minneapolis and Duluth today were 377 cars, compared with 377 cars last week and 154 cars the corresponding day a year ago.

Cash close: Wheat—No. 2 red, 92¼@94c; No. 3 red, 91½@93c; No. 2 hard, 93¼@95c; No. 3 hard, 92@94c; No. 1 northern, $1.05@1.07; No. 2 northern, $1.04@1.06; No. 3 northern, 95c@$1.02; No. 2 spring, $1.02@1.05; No. 3 spring, 96@99c; velvet chaff, 94@97c; durum, 87@97c. Corn—No. 2, 48½@49c; No. 2 white, 48¾@49c; No. 2 yellow, 51@51½c; No. 3, 48@48½c; No. 3 new, 45@45¾c; No. 3 white, 48@48½; No. 3 white new, 45@45¾c; No. 3 yellow, 50½@51c; No. 3 yellow new, 45¼@46c; No. 4, 47@47½c; No. 4 new, 43@44c; No. 4 white, 47@47½c; No. 4 white new, 43@44c; No. 4 yellow 48@49c; No. 4 yellow new, 43¾@44¼c. Oats—No. 2 white, 33¼@33½c; No. 3 white, 32½@32¾; No. 4 white, 32@32½c; standard, 32¾@33c. Rye—Cash, 81@81½c. Barley—Cash, 60@89c. Timothy—Cash, $8.00@9.75; March, $10.25. Clover—Cash, $10.00@14.00; March $15.00.

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Dec	.91	.91½	.90⅝	.90¾
May	.95½-¾	.95¾-⅞	.95⅛-¼	.95⅜
July	.92⅞-93	.93⅛	.92⅝	.92¾-⅞
Corn—				
Dec	.45⅞-46	.46⅜-½	.45⅝	.45⅞
May	.47⅝-¾	.48	.47⅝	.47½
July	.48¼-⅜-½	.48⅝	.48⅛	.48⅛-¼
Oats—				
Dec	.31⅝	.31¾-⅞	.31⅝	.31⅝-¾
May	.34¼	.34⅜	.34⅛	.34¼-⅜
July	.34⅛	.34¼	.34-⅛	.34-⅛
Mess Pork, per bbl—				
Jan	18.87½-90	19.12½	18.87½	19.12½
May	17.80-97½	18.15	17.80	18.15
Lard, per 100 lb—				
Jan	10.17½	10.30	10.17½	10.25
May	9.97½-$10	10.07½	9.97½	10.02½
Short Ribs, per 100 lb—				
Jan	10.00	10.02½	9.95	9.97½
May	9.65-67½	9.72½	9.65	9.70

THE MINNEAPOLIS MARKET.

Wheat Is Again in Narrow Range and Is Somewhat Easier.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 10.—The wheat market again today was in narrow range and slightly easier. Offerings were a trifle heavier and there was some moderate selling pressure. December closed ¾c lower than yesterday, and both May and July ⅝@¾c lower. Local elevator stocks of wheat increased 95,000 bu for one day. Minneapolis today received 330 cars of wheat against 106 a year ago. Duluth 30 against 40, and Winnipeg 173 against 162. December wheat opened $1.00⅜; high, $1.00⅜; low, $1.00⅛; closed, $1.00⅛. May opened, $1.03½@1.03⅝; high, $1.03⅝@1.03¾; low, $1.03⅛; closed, $1.03¼. July opened $1.04½; high, $1.04½; low, $1.04; closed $1.04@1.04⅛.

Cash wheat was steady to a trifle easier. Demand good, especially for choice milling grades. Elevators and mills both buying. No. 1 northern sold for 1@1½c under the May contract. Closing range: No. 1 hard, $1.02¾; No. 1 northern, $1.01¼@1.02¼; to arrive, $1.01¼@1.02¼; No. 2 northern, 98½c@$1.00¾; to arrive, 98½c@$1.00¾; No. 3 wheat, 97¼@99¼c; No. 3 yellow corn, 42@42½c; No. 3 white oats, 30¼@31c, No. 2 rye, 76@77½c.

Millstuffs—Shipments, 2,078 tons. No quotable change. Mills report an excellent business. Bran in 100-pound sacks, $20.50@21.00.

Flour—Prices lowered today on account of continued decline in wheat. Demand only fair. Shipping directions slow. Shipments today, 47,920 bbl; this week, 258,685; last week, 298,778; corresponding week last year, 233,369. First patents, $4.75@5.25; second patents, $4.65@5.15; first clears, $3.20@3.55; second clears, $2.15@2.75.

Flax—Receipts, 23 cars; year ago, 5; shipments, 3. Demand continued good for both spot and to arrive at 1c over the Duluth December contract, closing $2.34½.

Barley—Receipts, 79 cars; year ago, 1; shipments, 44. Easier tone in barley today. Offerings liberal. Demand fair for both feeding and malting grades at prices 1c lower than yesterday. Closing range, 65@83c.

Liverpool Grain.

Liverpool, Dec. 10.—Closing: Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 1½d; futures quiet; December, 6s 8⅝d; March, 6s 10⅝d; May, 6s 11⅜d. Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, 5s 4d; futures quiet; January, 4s 4½d; February, 4s 3⅝d.

New York Money.

New York, Dec. 10.—Money on call nominal; time loans easy; 60 days, 4@4½ per cent and 90 days, 4 per cent; six months, 4@4¼ per cent. Close: Prime mercantile paper, 5@5½ per cent; sterling exchange easy with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.82@4.82.15 for 60 days and at $4.53 for demand; commercial bills, $4.81½@4.81⅞; bar silver, 54¼c; Mexican dollars, 46c; government bonds and railroad bonds steady.

South St. Paul Livestock.

South St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 200; steady, unchanged. Hogs—Receipts, 2,800; market 10c higher. Range, $7.55@7.75; bulk of sales, $7.60@7.65. Sheep—Receipts, 100; market steady; sheep, $1.00@4.75; lambs, $3.00@6.10.

ADVANCES IN STOCKS

Confident Buying Sends Up Prices, Many Leaders Rising a Point.

General Undertone Is Strong and Close Is Around the Top.

New York, Dec. 10.—The stock market showed slight heaviness at the opening today, but sales were in moderate volume and losses generally were not important.

Union Pacific and Reading were depressed ⅝ while Illinois Central gained a point.

Small buying orders were distributed and the market advanced easily with a growing inquiry for the usual market leaders. Minor low priced stocks were in better demand. Wisconsin Central, American Agricultural Chemical, American Woolen, American Steel Foundries and Western Union gained 1 and General Electric 1¾. Toledo, St. Louis & Western preferred yielded 1½ and Chicago-Great Western preferred 1.

The market closed firm. Confident buying sent prices up vigorously, many of the recognized leaders rising a point or over, including United States Steel, Reading and Union Pacific. Atlantic Coast line jumped 2½. Some later realizing took the edge of the rise, but the general undertone was strong and the closing around the top.

New York stock quotations furnished The Herald by Piper, Johnson & Case, Alworth building.

STOCKS—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amalgamated	64	64⅜	63¾	64⅝
American Car Foundry	50½	......	......	50½
American Locomotive	36	37	36	37
American Smelters	74	75⅛	74	74¾
Anaconda	39⅞	40¾	39⅞	40¾
Atchison	100¼	100¾	100¼	100¾
Baltimore & Ohio	105⅞	106	105⅛	106
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	74	74⅜	74	74¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	79⅞	80⅜	79⅞	80⅞
Chicago-Great Western	22	......	......	22
do pfd	44	44½	44	44½
Chicago Northwestern	141½	......	......	141½
C., M. & St. Paul	122⅞	123⅜	122⅞	122⅞
Colorado Fuel & Iron	31½	......	......	31½
Canadian Pacific	192⅝	192¾	192⅝	192⅝
Distillers	32¼	32½	32	32½
Erie	27⅞	27⅞	27¾	27⅞
do 1st pfd	44⅝	45	44⅛	45
Great Northern	122¼	122⅞	122¼	122⅞
Great Northern Ore	55¼	......	......	55¼
Kansas City Southern	31	......	......	31
Louisville & Nashville	143	......	......	143
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	31½	......	......	31½
Missouri Pacific	45	45½	45	45½
New York Central	112⅜	......	......	112⅜
Northern Pacific	114¼	114⅜	114⅛	114⅜
Pennsylvania	128⅜	129	128½	129
Pressed Steel Car	30	......	......	30
Republic Steel & Iron	31	......	......	31
Rock Island	29⅝	30⅜	29⅝	30⅜
Reading	147	148⅜	146⅜	147⅝
Southern Railway	24⅝	25	24⅝	25
Southern Pacific	114	114½	113¾	113⅞
Tennessee Copper	35	35	34½	35
Union Pacific	169	170½	168⅝	170⅛
Utah Copper	45½	46½	45½	46½
U. S. Steel	72⅞	74	72⅝	73⅝
do pfd	116	......	......	116

Duluth Securities.

SECURITIES—	Bld.	Asked
First National Bank	400	.....
American Exchange National Bank	325	.....
City National Bank	180	.....
Northern National Bank	125	.....
St. Louis County State Bank	180	.....
Western State Bank	140	.....
Duluth-Superior Traction Co.	69	70
do pfd	65	72
Duluth Street Railway, 1st g. 5s 30 M & N. A	96	100
Duluth Edison Electric, 1st g. s. f. 5s March, 1931, op. M. & S. A.	98	100
Great Northern Power Co. bonds	80	.....
American Carbolite, par $1	2.85	3.25
Zenith Furnace Co.	85	100

THE COPPER STOCKS.

The following are the closing quotations of copper stocks at Boston today, reported by Paine, Webber & Co., 316 West Superior street:

STOCKS—	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Copper	64½	61¾
Anaconda	40¾	sale
Adventure	6½	......
Ahmeek	180	190
Allouez	39	40
American Telephone	141½	141¾
American Zinc	26¾	27
Atlantic	6	7
Arcadian	3½	3⅝
Arizona Commercial	14¾	15
Butte-Ballaklava	7⅜	7⅝
Boston Corbin	13½	14
Black Mountain	......	10c
Butte-Coalition	18¼	18½
Calumet & Arizona	49¼	49¾
Calumet & Hecla	535	540
Centennial	16	17
Cons. Mercur	5c	8c
Copper Range	67½	68
Daly West	3½	3⅞
Davis Daly	1 7-16	1 9-16
East Butte	12½	12¾
Franklin	9¾	10
First National	1⅞	1 15-16
Giroux	6¾	7
Granby	39¼	......
Greene-Cananea	7⅛	7¼
Hancock Consolidated	22¼	22½
Helvetia	1¾	2
Indiana	12½	13
Isle Royale	17¾	18
Keweenaw	3	3⅛
Lake Copper	33⅞	34¼
La Salle	7¼	8
Mass. Consolidated	7½	8
Miami Copper	19¾	20
Michigan	3½	4
Mohawk	45½	46
Neveda Consolidated	18¼	19
Nevada Utah	95	98
North Lake	6¾	7
Nipissing	10¾	11
North Butte	29¾	30⅛
Ojibway	6½	7
Old Dominion	37½	......
Osceola	124	125
Parrot	12	12½
Pneu. Ser	4⅞	5
Quincy	70	72¼
Ray Consolidated	18⅞	19¾
Santa Fe	1	1¾
Shannon	11⅝	11¾
Shoe Michigan	54½	55
Superior Boston	5¾	6
Superior Copper	42¾	43½
Superior & Pittsburg	13⅞	14½
Tamarack	55	58
Trinity	4⅞	......
United Fruit	196	196½
United States Mining	33⅜	33⅝
do. pfd	46¼	46½
Utah Apex	2	2½
Utah Consolidated	13	13½
Utah Copper	46	46½
Victoria	2¼	2¾
Winona	8¾	9
Wolverine	117	120
Wyandot	1½	1¾
Yukon Gold	3 15-16	4 1-16
Bohemia	3¼	3¾
Begole	1½	3
Bot. Ely	1	1⅛
Cactus	22	24
Chemung	7	......
Cliff	1½	1⅞
Chief Cons	1½	1⅝
Chino	22¼	22½
Corb Copper	4	4¾
Cortez	......	1¾
Goldfield Cons	8⅝	8¾
Inspiration	7⅜	7½
La Rose	4 9-16	4⅝
Live Oak	24	25
New Baltic	6	7
Ohio Copper	1½	1⅝
Oneco	2	2¼
Shattuck	23¼	24
South Lake	7	7⅛
Tonpah Nevada	8	8¼
Yuma	20c	25c

Chicago Livestock.

Chicago, Dec. 10.—Cattle—Receipts estimated at 400; market steady; beeves, $4.40@7.20; Texas steers, $4.10@5.30; western steers, $4.10@6.20; stockers and feeders, $3.25@5.60; cows and heifers, $2.25@6.10; calves, $7.00@9.00. Hogs—Receipts estimated at 11,000; market 10c higher; light, $7.45@7.80; mixed, $7.40@7.85; heavy, $7.40@7.80; rough, $7.40@7.65; good to choice, heavy, $7.65@7.80; pigs, $6.85@7.70; bulk of sales, $7.60@7.75. Sheep—Receipts estimated at 2,000; market steady; native, $2.50@4.40; western, $2.75@4.10; yearlings, $4.25@5.50; lambs, native $4.25@6.50; western, $4.75@6.50.

STATEMENT OF NEW YORK BANKS

New York, Dec. 10.—The statement of clearing house banks for the week shows that the banks hold $3,659,000 more than the requirements of the 25 per cent reserve rule. This is a decrease of $8,218,000 in the proportionate cash reserve as compared with last week.

Following is the summary of the weekly statement: Clearing house banks' daily averages—Loans, $1,234,135,000; increase, $5,054,000. Deposits, $1,194,740,000; decrease, $4,598,000. Circulation, $48,484,000; increase, $35,000. Specie, $235,520,000; decrease, $8,069,000. Legal tenders, $66,824,000; decrease, $1,299,000. Reserve, $302,343,000; decrease, $4,367,000; reserve required, $298,685,000; decrease, $1,140,000. Surplus, $3,659,000; decrease, $8,218,000. Ex. United States deposits, $4,076,000; decrease, $8,219,000.

Clearing house banks' actual condition this day—Loans, $1,226,328,000; decrease, $14,248,000. Deposits, $1,187,427,000; decrease, $18,117,000. Circulation, $48,454,000; increase, $30,000. Specie, $234,583,000; decrease, $4,217,000. Legal tenders, $67,986,000; increase, $352,000. Reserve, $302,568,000; decrease, $3,866,000. Reserve required, $296,856,000; decrease, $4,529,000. Surplus, $5,712,000; increase, $663,000. Ex. United States deposits, $5,877,000; increase, $669,000.

State banks and trust companies of Greater New York not reporting to the clearing house—Loans, $1,103,458,000; increase, $5,767,000. Specie, $117,959,000; decrease, $448,000. Legal tenders, $21,337,000; increase, $177,000. Total deposits, $1,154,748,000; decrease, $7,832,000.

BANK CLEARINGS

New York, Dec. 10.—Bradstreet's bank clearings report for the week engind Dec. 8, shows an aggregate of $3,426,843,000, as against $3,186,567,00 last week and $3,432,181,000 in the corresponding week last year. The following is a list of the cities.

		—Per cent—	
		Dec.	Inc.
New York	$2,035,091,000	....	3.8
Chicago	288,304,000	5.8	....
Boston	177,007,000	5.9	....
Philadelphia	160,753,000	....	2.2
St. Louis	80,465,000	11.4	....
Kansas City	52,790,000	9.0	....
Pittsburg	60,719,000	4.8	....
San Francisco	46,675,000	12.9	....
Baltimore	36,658,000	5.9	....
Cincinnati	25,420,000	....	10.9
Minneapolis	25,121,000	9.6	....
New Orleans	24,965,000	2.4	....
Cleveland	19,376,000	8.7	....
Detroit	19,908,000	28.4	....
Omaha	15,423,000	11.9	....
Los Angeles	19,235,000	3.6	....
Louisville	12,992,000	....	20.5
Milwaukee	14,290,000	6.2	....
Seattle	11,187,000	....	11.1
St. Paul	13,559,000	21.6	....
Buffalo	10,151,000	9.5	....
Denver	9,571,000	2.0	....
Indianapolis	9,215,000	....	6.3
Atlanta	17,033,000	26.4	....
Providence	8,727,000	7.3	....
Portland	11,436,000	31.3	....
Salt Lake City	8,504,000	.8	....
Washington	8,807,000	5.3	....
Tacoma	4,485,000	....	25.3
Spokane	5,071,000	....	0.1
Des Moines	3,965,000	9.6	....
Grand Rapids	2,687,000	7.6	....
Topeka	1,552,000	19.3	....
Davenport	2,145,000	46.0	....
Helena	934,000	18.9	....
Fargo	940,000	....	20.7
Sioux Falls	1,185,000	38.1	....
Duluth	3,760,000	....	23.3

Cotton Market.

New York, Dec. 10.—Cotton opened steady at a decline of 9 points on December and of 2@5 points on later months as a result of continued heavy realizing and in sympathy with the reaction in the Liverpool market. Offerings were very well taken by shorts and fresh buying, with prices rallying to about the closing figures of yesterday during the first ten minutes, but the selling for long account continued and the market eased off a little later, ruling about 2@6 points net lower during the middle of the morning. There was some talk of freerer spot offerings in Liverpool, but the May selling here seemed to be in the way of profit-taking.

Futures closed firm; December, 14.79; January, 14.86; February, 14.97; March, 15.14; April, 15.19; May, 15.32; June, 15.30; July, 15.30; August, 14.94; October, 13.50. Spot closed quiet, 5 points decline. Middling uplands, 15.05; middling gulf, 15.30. Sales none.

THE PRODUCE MARKETS.

CALIFORNIA ORANGES—	
Extra fancy navels, 126's to 250's, box	$3.25
Extra fancy navels, 80's to 90's, box	3.00
Pomegranets, half box	1.75
FLORIDA GRAPEFRUIT—	
54's and 64's, box	4.75
80's and 96's, box	4.50
CALIFORNIA LEMONS—	
Extra fancy, box, 300's and 360's	5.50
Imported limes, box	1.25
FRUITS—	
California grapes, crate	2.00
California pears, box	3.50
Malaga grapes, keg	5.00
Cuban pineapples, crate	5.00
Cuban pineapples, doz	2.00
APPLES—	
Illinois Ben Davis, bbl	4.50
New York Baldwins, bbl	4.50
New York Nonesuch, bbl	5.00
New York Kings, bbl	5.25
Jonathans, box	2.10
Roman Beauties, box	2.25
Newton Pippins, box	2.10
Wine Saps, box	2.25
Baldwins and Greenings, box	2.10
Wagners, box	2.10
Ben Davis, box	1.50
Ben Davis, fancy, box	1.75
Wealthys, box	1.50
Kentish fall baskets, box	1.75
TOMATOES—	
California, crate	1.90
California, basket	.50
CRANBERRIES—	
Cape Cod, bu crate	2.75
Jersey Jumbo, bbl	9.50
CIDER—	
New York, keg	3.50
New York, bbl	6.00
New York, 50-gal cask, per gal	.22
FRUIT JUICES—	
Orange, keg	3.50
Raspberry, keg	3.50
Cherry, keg	3.50
Grape, keg	3.50
Cider, keg	3.50
BANANAS—	
Bananas, per lb	.04
BUTTER—	
Fancy, creamery, per lb	.31
Dairy, per lb	.26
Packing, per lb	.20
CHEESE—	
Fancy full cream, twins, per lb	.17
Block Swiss, per lb, No. 1	.19
Primost cheese, per lb	.12
Wheel Swiss, per lb	.19
EGGS—	
Eggs, per doz	.27
PEANUTS—	
Fancy, raw, per lb. by the sack	.07
Fancy, roasted, sacks, per lb	.07½
Fancy, roasted, less than sacks	.08
Salted peanuts, 30-lb pails	3.75
Salted peanuts, 10-lb sacks	1.35
Fancy Jumbos, roasted, per lb	.10
MAPLE SYRUP—	
Vermont, per gal	1.75
MAPLE SUGAR—	
Iowa, assorted pkgs., 30-lb box, per lb	.10
POP CORN—	
Snowball pop corn, 40-pkg box	2.25
Pop corn, on the cob	.03
Pop corn, shelled	.04
HONEY—	
Colorado white clover, per case, 24's	4.00
CABBAGE—	
Home grown cabbage, per ton	20.00
Home grown cabbage, per crate, large	1.50
Holland cabbage, fresh and fine, per cwt	1.20
POTATOES—	
Potatoes, per bu	58@ .60
Jersey sweets, per bu	4.75
ONIONS—	
Onions, red, 100-lb sack	2.00
White pickling, box	1.50
Yellow, 100 lb	2.00
Spanish onions, per crate	1.50
NUTS—	
Walnuts, New California, 110-lb sack, per lb	.17
Filberts, Sicily, per lb	.14
Brazils, extra large, per lb	.12
Pecans, extra fancy polished, per lb	.15
Almonds, Taragania, per lb	.17
Mixed nuts, 100-lb and 50-lb boxes, lb, new	.12
Cocoanuts, per doz	.70
New hickory nuts, large or small, per lb	.09
Pecans, halves, shelled, extra fancy, 5-lb cartons, per lb	.50
Walnuts, shelled, extra fancy, 5-lb cartons, lb	.40
Almonds, shelled, extra fancy, 5-lb cartons, lb	.42
DATES AND FIGS—	
Hallowi dates, 70-lb boxes, new	5.00
Hallowi dates, 30 packages, per box	2.40
Fard dates, 12-lb boxes, new	1.35
Sugar walnut dates, 9-lb boxes	1.25
New California figs, 12-pkg box, per box	.90
New Smyrna figs, 5-crown, 12-lb box, per box	1.25
New Smyrna figs, 7-crown, 35-lb box, per box	4.25
FRESH VEGETABLES—	
Lettuce, leaf, per bu box	1.00
Lettuce, head, Boston, extra fancy, bu	2.50
Onions, green, per doz	.75
Onions, green, shallots, large bunches, doz	.75
Parsely, home grown, per doz	.35
Garlic, new, Italian, per lb	.15
Cauliflower, California, per crate	2.75
Spinach, home grown, per bu	1.00
Round radishes, hothouse, large bunches, doz	.80
Hothouse cucumbers, per doz (scarce)	2.40
Tomatoes, California, ripe, fancy, per crate	1.90
Green peppers, hothouse, per basket	.50
Celery, Milwaukee, small bunches, per doz	.30
Celery, Milwaukee, per case of 12 dozen	3.50
Celery, California, in crates of 6 to 7 dozen, per crate	4.50
Celery, California, extra Jumbo, per bunch	.75
Hubard squash, per doz	1.75
Endive, New Orleans, per bbl	6.50
ROOTS—	
Table beets, per cwt	1.75
Table bagas, per cwt	1.00
Horse radish root, per bbl	7.00
Horse radish, per lb	.10
Table carrots, per cwt	1.75
Table parsnips, per tub	1.50
MEATS—	
Beef, per lb	6½@ .09
Mutton, per lb	.08
Pork loins, per lb	12½@ .13½
Veal, per lb	9@ .10½
Lambs, per lb	.11
Lard, per lb	.11
DRESSED POULTRY—	
Hens, fancy, fat, per lb	.14½
Hens, small, per lb	12@ .13
Springs, per lb	.15
Turkeys, per lb	.22
Ducks, per lb	17@ .18
Geese, per lb	.14
LIVE POULTRY—	
Hens, per lb	13@ .14
Small hens, per lb	.12
Springs, per lb	.13
Turkeys, per lb	16½@ .17
Ducks, per lb	14@ .15
Geese, per lb	14@ .15
HAY AND STRAW—	
Choice timothy, per ton	$17.50@18.00
No. 1 choice timothy, per ton	16.50@17.00
No. 2 choice timothy, per ton	14.00@15.00
No. 1 mixed timothy, per ton	14.00@15.00
No. 2 mixed timothy, per ton	12.00@13.00
No. 1 upland, per ton	14.00@14.50
No. 2 upland, per ton	12.00@13.00
No. 1 middling, per ton	10.00@12.00
No. 2 middling, per ton	8.00@ 9.00
Rye straw, per ton	6.50@ 7.00
Oat straw, per ton	6.50@ 7.00
HOLIDAY GREENS—	
Wreathing, doz	1.75
Coils, each	1.10

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Chicago.

Chicago, Dec. 10.—Butter—Market steady; creameries, 23@26c; dairies, 23@27c. Eggs—Market steady; receipts, 1,988 cases; at mark, cases included, 19½@22½c; firsts, 31c; prime firsts, 33c. Cheese—Market steady; daisies, 14¾@15c; twin, 14@14¼c; young Americas, 14½@14¾c; long horns, 14½@15c. Potatoes—Market easy; choice to fancy, 43@45c; fair to good, 38@42c. Poultry—Market steady; turkeys, live, 17c, dressed, 22c; fowls, live, 11c; dressed, 12c; springs, live, 10c; dressed, 12c. Veal—Market steady; 50 to 60-lb weights, 9@10c; 60 to 85-lb weights, 11@11½c; 85 to 110-lb weights, 12c.

New York.

New York, Dec. 10.—Butter—Market firm and unchanged; receipts, 4,369; creamery specials, 31c; extras, 29½@30c; third to firsts, 23@28c; held, creamery, second to special, 24½@30½c; state dairy, common to finest, 23@29c; process, second to special, 23@26c; imitation creamery, first, 24@25c; factory, June make, first, 23@24c; same, current make, 22@23c. Eggs—Market firm and unchanged; receipts, 5,563; state, Pennsylvania and nearby hennery white, fancy, 55c; same, gathered, white, 40@50c; same, hennery, brown, fancy, 45@48c; same, gathered, brown, 42@45c; same, fair to good, 35@40c; western, gathered, white, 34@44c; fresh gathered, extra firsts, 38@40c; same, firsts, 35@37c; refrigerator, special mark, fancy, in local storage, 26c; same, first, 24½@25½c; same, second, 23½@24c. Cheese—Market steady and unchanged; receipts, 893, no exports; state whole milk, September quality, specials, 15¾@17¼c; same, fancy, colored, 15½c; same, fancy, white, 15½c; same, choice, 14¾@15c; same, fancy, white, 15½c; same, choice, 14¾@15¼c; same, October quality, fine, 14@14½c; same, current make, fair, 13½c; same, common, 12½@13c; skims, 2@15c.

HIDES, TALLOW AND FURS.

GREEN SALTED HIDES—	No. 1.	No. 2.
G. S. steer, over 60 lb	$ .11½	$ .10½
G. S. steers, 25 lb and up and steers under 60 lb	.09½	.08½
G. S. lon haired kips, 8 to 25 lb	.10	.08½
G. S. veal kips, 5 to 25 lb	.14	.12½
G. S. Deacon skins, under 8 lb	.80	.70
G. S. horsehides	3.50	2.50
DRY SALTED—		
Dry flint hides, over 15 lb	.18	...
Dry Minnesota, Dakota, Wisconsin and Iowa hides	.15	.13
Murrains	.15½	...
Dry kid	.18	.16
Dry salted calf, under 5 lb, all sections	.21	.21
TALLOW AND GREASE—		
Tallow, in cakes	.06½	.05¾
Tallow, in bbl	.06	.05
Grease	.05¼	.03¾

FURS—	Large.	Medium.	Small.
Skunk, black	$4.50	$3.50	$2.50
Skunk, short stripe	3.00	2.50	2.00
Skunk, long narrow stripe	2.50	2.00	1.50
Skunk, broad stripe and white	1.00	.75	.50
Muskrat, spring	.70@80	....	....
Muskrat, winter	.85@64	....	.41@40
Muskrat, fall	.41@40	....	.25@24
Muskrat, kits	....	.10@08	.25@24
Raccoon	3.10	2.10	1.60
Mink, dark and brown	7.50	5.50	4.00
Mink, pale	6.00	4.00	8.00
Beaver	7.50	6.00	8.25
Cat, wild	5.00	3.75	2.50
Fisher, dark	20.00	15.00	10.00
Fisher, pale	12.00	9.00	7.00
Fox, red	10.00	7.00	5.00
Fox, gray	2.00	1.30	1.00
Lynx	30.00	25.00	12.00
Marten, dark	20.00	15.00	10.00
Marten, dark brown	10.00	7.00	4.50
Marten, light br. and pale	6.00	4.25	3.00
Weasel, white	1.00	.50	.25
Weasel, stained, damaged	.25	.15	.10
Wolf, timber	6.50	4.50	3.00
Wolf, brush, cased	4.00	3.00	2.00
Wolf, open	3.25	2.40	1.60
Wolf, coyote, cased	3.50	2.50	1.95
Bear, blk., br., grizzle	17.50@25	14@20	10@13
Bear, yearlings	12.50@15	9@12	7@13
Bear, cub	7.00@10	4.50@ 7	2.50@ 4
Fox, blk. and silver gray	80@450	65@350	35@150
Otter, dark and pale	15@20	10@15	7@13

Badger, civet and house cat, cross and kit fox, mountain lion, opossum and wolverine command market prices. The above prices are for Prime No. 1 skins. Nos. 2, 3 and 4 in proportion. Wisconsin and Mississippi river heavy muskrat, 3@5c higher; kits, 2c higher.

Mining Operator a Suicide.

Waukesha, Wis., Dec. 10.—The body of J. P. Hendricks, a mine operator of Chicago, New York and Denver, was found frozen in a culvert here yesterday. Hendricks had apparently committed suicide by shooting himself in the temple. For months he was a patient in a Waukesha sanitarium. He disappeared from the institution on Dec. 1.

Logger Dislocates Shoulder.

Bronson, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—Alfred Lykken arrived home from Williams yesterday with a dislocated shoulder and he was otherwise badly bruised. He had been driving an unruly team in the logging camp at Williams and they, in trying to run away, had thrown him under the bobs. He is the son of John Lykken of this place.

Plan Farmers' Phone Line.

Roseau, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—A meeting has been held at the Vinass school for the purpose of organizing a farmers' telephone line to extend out from Roseau. The line is almost a certainty now, and Secretary N. E. Wold is circulating a list to see how many subscribers can be secured. Another meeting will be held Dec. 28.

Notice of Dividend.

Calumet & Arizona Mining company has declared dividend of One Dollar ($1.00) a share, payable December 19th, 1910, to the stockholders of record December 9th, 1910.

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THE WINTER MOORINGS

All Vessels in Local Harbor Now Tied Up for Season.

Office of Great Lakes Towing Company Will Be Closed Monday.

Today the final moorings of the boats that will winter at the Head of the Lakes the present season, were announced. All the boats in the harbors of Duluth and Superior have been towed to their winter moorings, and from now until the first boat goes out next spring, there will be no movements in the harbor.

Monday the office of the Union Wrecking and Towing company will be closed for the present season. That means that the tugs will also be put up for the winter.

The Lakeland was the last big boat to leave the harbor the present season, departing for Port Huron last night. The Booth line boats are still running, and also some of the smaller fishing boats. Aside from these boats there is nothing stirring in the harbor.

The list of moorings, follows:

Allegheny—N. P. 1.
Ward Ames—Zenith Furnace.
J. S. Ashley—N. W. 1, Superior E. S.
F. C. Ball—Berwind dock.
Ball Bros.—Boston dock.
H. A. Berwind—Carnegie dock.
H. P. Bope—Zenith Furnace.
J. J. Boland—Shipyard.
Bransford—Pittsburg 1, N. S.
W. L. Brown—Pittsburg 5.
Buffalo—Soo dock, Duluth.
Caldera—Quebec channel.
Calumet—Masaba log dock.
Colonel—Pittsburg 2.
J. Corrigan—Quebec channel.
L. Cuddy—New Pittsburg dock, Superior.
City of Banger—Soo dock, Superior.
W. B. Davock—Itasca elevator.
J. A. Donaldson—Soo dock, Superior.
Gen. Garretson—Osborne dock.
James Gayley—N. W. 3.
F. W. Gilchrist—Missabe dock.
L. C. Hanna—Hanna dock.
F. W. Hart—N. W. 3.
F. G. Hartwell—Berwind dock.
F. T. Heffelfinger—Zenith Furnace.
J. H. Hoyt—Zenith Furnace.
D. G. Kerr—Zenith Furnace.
W. B. Kerr—Quebec channel.
James Laughlin—Pittsburg 1, S. S.
William Livingstone—Carnegie dock.
L. B. Miller—N. W. 2.
J. Mitchell—Pittsburg 5.
J. G. Munro—Quebec channel.
Norway—Hanna dock.
North Lake—Great Northern Ft.
North Sea—Great Northern Ft.
Northern King—Great Northern Ft.
Northern Wave—Great Northern Ft.
E. N. Ohl—Reiss dock.
Olympia—McCord's old dock, Superior.
G. Peavey—Zenith Furnace.
Penobscot—Elevator K.
W. G. Pollock—Shipyard.
J. H. Reed—Zenith Furnace.
J. W. Rhodes—Soo dock, Superior.
Sahara—Soo dock, Superior.
J. Sherwin—New P. & R.
Sierra—Carnegie dock.
Sonoma—Itasca elevator.
Sonora—Shipyard.
Socapa—Boston dock.
Senator—Pittsburg 1, S. S.
J. Sellwood—N. W. 2.
Sylvania—Berwind dock.
M. Taylor—N. W. 2.
Smith Thompson—Pittsburg 2.
L. C. Waldo—Lehigh Valley.
J. Wallace—Zenith Furnace.
F. B. Wells—Shipyard.
Wissahickon—N. P. 1.
D. M. Whitney.
A. B. Wolvin—Zenith Furnace.
W. H. Wolf—N. W. 1, Superior.

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Leave.		TWIN PORTS EXPRESS.	Arrive.	
†7.00 am	*7.00 pm	DULUTH	*9.00 am	†5.30 pm
7.30 am	7.30 pm	Superior	8.30 am	5.00 pm
2.45 pm	10.40 pm	Ladysmith	5.15 am	10.50 am
Arrive 10.30 am		Sault Ste. Marie	5.20 pm Leave.	
†5.00 pm	11.45 pm	Owens	4.00 am	†7.55 am
For Eau Claire and Chippewa Falls	3.49 am	Oshkosh	12.01 am	From Eau Claire and Chippewa Falls
	7.15 am	Milwaukee	8.50 pm	
	*9.00 am	Chicago	*7.00 pm	

Dining Cars, Palace Sleepers and Library Observation Cars. Vestibuled — Vacuum Cleaned — Electric Lighted.

Leave.		BROOTEN EXPRESS	Arrive.	
	†5.45 am	Duluth	†9.00 pm	
†7.00 am	6.15 am	Superior	8.30 pm	†5.00 pm
10.00 am	8.22 am	Moose Lake	6.20 pm	12.35 pm
3.10 pm	10.20 am	Wahkon	4.42 pm	7.26 am
†4.00 pm	10.50 am	Onamia	4.25 pm	†6.45 am
	†1.20 pm	Brooten	†1.45 pm	

Connections at Brooten for Twin Cities, Western Canada and the Pacific Coast.

Leave.	DULUTH-WINNIPEG LINE.	Arrive.
† 9.30 am	Duluth	† 6.00 pm
10.05 am	Superior	5.25 pm
11.25 am	Moose Lake	4.05 pm
4.00 pm	Cass Lake	11.30 am
4.37 pm	Bemidji	10.53 am
7.30 pm	Thief River Falls	8.00 am

Connections at Thief River Falls for Winnipeg.

Leave.	CUYUNA RANGE LINE.	Arrive.
† 7.20 am	Duluth	† 6.40 pm
7.55 am	Superior	6.05 pm
9.50 am	Lawler	4.10 pm
10.02 am	East Lake	3.58 pm
10.24 am	Darina	3.35 pm
10.35 am	Roseberg	3.25 pm
10.48 am	Aitkin	3.12 pm
11.45 am	Iron Hub	2.55 pm
Arrive. 11.15 am	DEERWOOD	2.40 pm Leave.
†11.57 am	Cuyuna	† 2.08 pm
12.05 pm	Crosby	2.00 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.

DULUTH, MISSABE & NORTHERN RAILWAY.

Office: 426 West Superior St. Phone, 969.

Leave.		Arrive.
*7.40 am	Hibbing, Chisholm, Virginia, Eveleth, Coleraine, Sharon (Buhl), †Mount'n Iron, †Sparta, †Biwabik	*3.21 pm
*3.50 pm	Hibbing, Chisholm, Sharon (Buhl), Virginia, Eveleth, Coleraine.	*10.31 am
*7.10 pm	Virginia, Cook, Ranier, Fort Frances, Port Arthur, Baudette, Warroad, Winnipeg	*8.31 pm

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Leave.		Arrive.
*7.30 am †3.15 pm	Knife River, Two Harbors, Tower, Ely Aurora, Biwabik, McKinley, Eveleth, Gilbert and Virginia.	†12.00 m *6.30 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.

Duluth & Northern Minnesota Ry.

Offices: 510 Lonsdale Bldg., Duluth.

Trains leave Knife River 20 miles out on the D. & I. R. R. every day, except Sunday, on arrival of the train leaving Union station, Duluth, at 7:30 a. m. Returning connections are made at Knife River with trains due in Duluth Union station at 6:30 p. m. Connections are made at Cramer with stage line for Grand Marais and all North Shore points when operating.

NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD.

Leave.		Arrive.
*4.00 pm	Ashland and East	*11.15 am
*8.00 am	Ashland and East	*6.40 pm
*7.30 pm	Minn. and Dakota Express	*8.15 am
*8.05 am	North Coast Limited	*6.25 pm
Leave.	"Duluth Short Line"	Arrive.
†9.00 am		*6.30 am
*1.55 pm	ST. PAUL	†2.05 pm
*11.10 pm	MINNEAPOLIS	*7.00 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. 'Phone 214. Union Depot at 334 West Superior street.

NORTH-WESTERN LINE C.ST.P.M.& O.RY.

Lv*3.30pm	*6.15pm	Duluth	Ar*8.25am	*12.59pm
Lv*3.50pm	6.35pm	Superior	Ar 7.53am	†2.25pm
Ar	7.45am	Milwaukee	Lv 7.45pm	
Ar 7.00am	8.15am	Chicago	Lv 6.25pm	10.10pm
Lv†8.50am	*4.35pm	Duluth	Ar†3.35pm	*9.55pm
Lv 9.10am	4.55pm	Superior	Ar 3.05pm	9.35pm
Ar 4.30pm	9.50pm	St. Paul	Lv 8.10am	4.30pm
Ar 5.05pm	10.25pm	Minneapolis	Lv 7.30am	4.00pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.
Office, 302 West Superior St., Duluth.

Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic.

No. 6.	No. 8.		No. 7.	No. 5.
†7.45 am	*5.00 pm	Lv Duluth Ar	*10.30 am	†4.55 pm
†8.05 am	*5.15 pm	Superior	*10.15 am	†4.35 pm
†7.55 pm	*5.40 am	Ar Houghton Lv	*11.05 pm	
†8.55 pm	*6.30 am	Calumet	*10.15 pm	
†7.05 pm	*3.50 am	Ishpeming	*12.29 pm	†6.20 am
†7.45 pm	*4.30 am	Marquette	*11.30 pm	†5.15 am
	*10.15 am	Sault Ste. Marie	*5.30 pm	
	*8.00 am	Montreal	*9.50 pm	
	*8.15 am	Boston	*10.00 pm	
†8.50 am	*7.10 pm	Lv Montreal Ar	*7.30 am	†10.15 pm
†8.00 pm	*7.18 am	Ar New York Lv	*7.00 pm	†6.45 am

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. Twin City sleepers, Trains Nos. 7 and 8.

THE GREAT NORTHERN.

Leave.	STATIONS.	Arrive.
†6.00 am *3.25 pm *11.10 pm	ST. PAUL and MINNEAPOLIS	†10.15 pm *1.55 pm *6.30 am
*8.45 am *8.55 pm	Crookston, Grand Forks, Montana and Coast	*6.35 pm *7.15 am
†2.20 pm	Swan River, Hibbing, Virginia	†12.30 pm
†8.00 am	St. Cloud, Wilmar, Sioux City	†10.15 pm

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MONEY TO LOAN—LOANS MADE ON timber and farm lands. John Q. A. Crosby, 305 Palladio building.

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WANTED TO RENT — ABOUT 150 square feet floor space for heavy storage; central. Y 293. Herald.

STORAGE.

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MEETING OF COMMITTEE.

New Y. M. C. A. Dormitory Committee Enjoys Dinner.

The first meeting of the new dormitory committee, recently organized at the Y. M. C. A., was held last night.

A dinner was served at which thirty-four men from the different floors of the building were present. The house committee met with the men.

During the progress of the meeting it was suggested that a room be set aside in which the men could meet for a social evening.

NEW ORLEANS GETS OFFICE.

Mobile Loses Headquarters of Lighthouse District.

Washington, Dec. 10. — Secretary Nagel of the department of commerce and labor today decided to locate the headquarters of the eighth lighthouse district at New Orleans instead of Mobile. The office of the engineer and the inspector will be consolidated.

In making a decision the secretary has been guided largely by the recommendations of G. R. Putnam, commissioner of lighthouses, who strongly urged New Orleans because of its railroad facilities, its importance as a seaport and its geographical position.

WILLS ROOSEVELT LAND ON BRIMSTONE CREEK.

South Bend, Ind., Dec. 10.—Charles W. Hall, who died in Benton Harbor, Mich., a year ago, left an estimated fortune between $100,000 and $200,000. His will has been probated here. One paragraph reads as follows:

"To Col. Theodore Roosevelt of Washington, D. C., I give and bequeath 1,000 acres of timber land, located on Brimstone creek, in Scott county, Tenn., to have and to hold during his natural life."

The original will bears the date of Oct. 5, 1908, but the testator, following the presidential election that year, suffering an inexplicable change of mind and on Dec. 23 he made a codicil taking back the bequest to Mr. Roosevelt and giving it to his brother. The codicil does not reveal the testator's motive in making it.

ALLEGED MURDERER OF OCEY SNEAD SANE.

Newark, N. J., Dec. 10.—Judge Teneyck, who has been hearing testimony bearing on the mental condition of Mrs. Caroline B. Martin, one of the sisters accused of the murder of Mrs. Ocey Martin Snead in a bathtub in a house in East Orange, declares the woman to be sane, within the meaning of the statute. In consequence of this decision, Mrs. Martin, with her sister, Mrs. Snead, will have to stand trial for murder on Jan. 9 next.

CHECK WITH THE TICKET

Railroads May Install New System of Handling Baggage.

Would Greatly Simplify Matters for the Traveling Public.

Railroads of this city are considering the idea of establishing the checking system in vogue in Minneapolis, St. Paul, Chicago and other cities of the West. The system has proved such a success in these other cities that it may be established here in the near future. The report of the railroad men will probably determine whether the system is established here.

In Minneapolis when you purchase a ticket you are asked the number of pieces of baggage you have and are given a check right there for all your baggage. The railroad office officials also have arrangements whereby the baggage is collected, though the railroads do not pay the expressage of the trunk.

With your check in your possession thoro is no need to give further thought to the baggage. Ladies traveling alone have found the checking system one to be very convenient and it is a great time saving device to all travelers.

Those in Duluth who have worried about the arrival of a trunk at the depot and have had to wait their turn at the baggage window to have the trunk checked, will appreciate the conveniences that travelers in the Twin Cities are enjoying.

The matter is being considered by railway men here, and a decision may be reached to install the system in Duluth.

BRAZIL NAVY HAS ANOTHER REVOLT

Cobra Island May Have to Be Taken By Forcible Assault.

Rio Janeiro, Dec. 10.—The naval battalion in the barracks of Cobra island, situated in the bay a short distance from this city, mutinied last night. The mutineers were supported by the scoutship Rio Grande Do Sul, which took part in the naval revolt of last month.

The shore batteries and the loyal warships in the harbor were ordered to fire upon the rebels.

At 5 o'clock this morning the guns were turned upon Cobra island and a furious cannonading continued for several hours.

The bombardment was resumed shortly after 11 o'clock, the rebels not having surrendered. If they do not give up, the island will be taken by force. The casualties among the rebels are said to be heavy.

ROBS HIMSELF TO BUY GIRL CHRISTMAS GIFT.

Chicago, Dec. 10.—Roland Poole, 19 years old, has confessed to the police at Hyde Park station that he "held up" himself twice, cut his own clothing, arms and face and "robbed" himself of $20 so that he might buy his girl a Christmas present.

Poole, who earns $10 a week as an office boy, is said by his mother to have been a model youth until this escapade. He brought home all of his money and otherwise deported himself to the satisfaction of his mother.

BRAINERD'S NEW PAPER.

Brainerd Journal-Press Made Its Bow on Friday.

Brainerd, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—The first issue of The Brainerd Journal-Press, the new weekly paper, appeared yesterday. The Journal was the name first selected but Editor Ralph M. Sheets ascertained that Brainerd at one time had a Journal in its list of newspapers and so amended the name to secure a new cognomen.

"If the ground warrants it," said Mr. Sheets, "I shall establish a daily and put in ten men. I am the sole proprietor of this newspaper enterprise and have no one else associated with me. The Lindbergh Magazine, issued by Congressman C. A. Lindbergh, will be printed on my presses and the first issue will appear on Feb. 1. I expect it to be a six by nine page, 120 pages to the issue. I shall have also the mailing and advertising connected with it."

Mr. Sheets was formerly the editor of the Todd County Argus, of Long Prairie. It is said that Congressman Lindbergh has a force of four solicitors covering the vicinity for subscribers to his magazine, which will appear ten times a year, omitting the months of July and August.

TWO DULUTH MEN ON THE PROGRAM.

E. L. Millar of Duluth and Col. Hiram Hayes will be speakers at the annual banquet of the Old Settlers' association of the Head of the Lakes, at Superior, next Wednesday. Capt. T. H. Pressnell of Duluth, president of the association, will read a paper on Rev. William T. Boutwell, who accompanied Schoolcraft on his expedition in search of the true head of the Mississippi river, and who delivered the first sermon ever preached at Fond du Lac.

The banquet will be held at the First M. E. church, Thompson avenue and West Sixth street, East end, at 1 o'clock, Wednesday, and will be preceded by the annual business meeting, at which reports of officers will be received and new officers will be elected.

DEMOCRATS HAVE CAMPAIGN DEFICIT.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 10.—(Special to The Herald.)—F. A. Day, chairman of the Democratic state central committee, today filed with the auditor of Ramsey county a list of the campaign receipts and expenditures of the committee The total receipts were $7,285, and the expenditures $8,305.30, leaving a deficit of $1,020.30.

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MEAT MARKETS—		
Mork Bros.	1590	189
GROCERS—		
Thatcher & Thatcher.		1907
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Peerless Laundry	428	428
Yale Laundry	479	479
Lutes Laundry	447	447
Troy Laundry	257	257
Home Laundry Co.	941	1128
Incline Hand Laundry	1609	2021
DRUGGISTS—		
Eddie Jeronimus	1243	1027
Boyce	163	163
Smith & Smith	280	7
ARCHITECTS—		
Frank L. Young & Co.	4476	
MILLINERY—		
M. A. Cox	4576	
TENTS AND AWNINGS—		
Poirier & Co.		735
DYE WORKS—		
Zenith City Dye works	1888	1888
Northwestern Dyeing & Cleaning Co.	1337	1516
National Dyeing & Cleaning Co.	2376	2376
Interstate Cleaning & Dyeing Co., "Kelly's"	2530	30

REAL ESTATE, FIRE INSURANCE, AND RENTAL AGENCIES.

John A. Stephenson & Co., Wolvin bldg.
E. D. Field Co., 203 Exchange building.
L. A. Larsen Co., Providence building.
H. J. Mullin, 403 Lonsdale building.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE — NEW PAIR OF BIRCH-wood skis, 7½ feet. Call 215 East Fourth street.

FOR SALE—FINE BUFFALO COAT with otter collar and cuffs; large size. Address George Oldham, 215 Center street, Hibbing, Minn.

FOR SALE—UNCALLED FOR MAN'S nobby suit; good color; coat size 40, pants 39 waist, 31 leg; will cut price in two, if taken at once. Gassinger, the tailor, over Gasser's grocery store.

FOR SALE—$75 BUYS A MINERAL interest on Mesaba range. Address R 302, Herald.

FOR SALE—MANTLES AND CHIMneys for kerosene lamps. Hurd Spice Mills company, 508 East Fourth street.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE; RESIdence at Stanford University, California. X 323, Herald.

FOR SALE—$100 CASH TAKES $300 upright piano; can be seen. 221 West Superior street, room 210.

FOR SALE — GOOD COAL HEATING stove. Call 529 West Superior street.

FOR SALE — GOOD BARBER FIXtures of three-chair shop, for half of the cost. For information address H 551, Herald.

FOR SALE — A VERY LARGE COAL stove; suitable for hall or hotel, with a liberal discount at Gasser's grocery.

FOR SALE—ONE DROPHEAD WHITE sewing machine, $19; one $14; one Singer, $19; some others, $5, $6 and $8; to of these nearly new. At White store, next to 10c store.

FOR SALE — EVERETT PIANO AT less than cost at a bargain. 514 Sixteenth avenue east.

FOR SALE — LADY WISHES TO DISpose of new black lynx furs, large shawl collar and pillow muff; will sell for $12; value $50. J 247, Herald.

FOR SALE — BEST SNOW SHOES made in the city. George Hebert, 1424 West First street.

FOR SALE — MUST SACRIFICE beautiful Manchuria lynx furs, open rug muff and large shawl collar; recently purchased at $80; will sell for $25. U 249, Herald.

FOR SALE — NO. 5 UNDERWOOD typewriter, slightly used; half price if taken at once. 'Phone Melrose 498 or Zenith 101.

FOR SALE—LOT OF GOOD BUILDING rock at corner of Lake avenue and First street. Call on premises.

FOR SALE—LARGE TURKISH ROCKers, couches, davenports and chairs covered with genuine leather, will close out at half price. West End Upholstering shop, 2201 West First street.

FOR SALE—CHEAP—ONE QUARTER sawed oak sideboard. 922 East Eighth street.

FOR SALE — TWO LADIES' FUR coats, all new, will be sold for one-half of the original cost. Inquire of T. Lightfoot, 430 Manhattan building. New phone, 1598-D.

FOR SALE—MIXED WOOD AT $1 PER cord or will deliver for $2.25 per load; Call 1015 South Seventy-second avenue west, or 'phone Zenith 1970-Y.

FOR SALE—THREE TOTE SLEIGHS nearly new and two cutters. Mike Cronin, Sparta, Minn.

FOR SALE — FOUR HUNDRED TONS upland prairie hay at $9 per ton. F. O. B., Onaka, S. D. Call or write Townsend Bros., Northville, S. D.

FOR SALE—SAFES, OFFICE FURNIture architects' and engineers' supplies, typewriters and supplies. J. S. Ray & Co., 406 W. Sup. St. 'Phones.

FOR SALE — NEW AND SECOND-hand engines, boilers, portable sawmills, planers, matchers, resaws, pulleys, shafting, hangers and boxes. 'Phones 91.
DULUTH MACHINERY CO.

FOR SALE—MACHINERY, PULLEYS, largest stock, wood split and steel split, shafting, hangers, belting, wood and iron working machinery. Northern Machinery company, Minneapolis.

FOR SALE—TWENTY SINGLE COMB Rhode Island red breeding cockrels. O. H. Tarun, 422 Nineteenth and One-half avenue west.

FOR SALE — PLATE GLASS MIRROR, 19 by 60, framed in black walnut. Call 2009 West Superior street.

FOR SALE—MEDIUM SIZE SECOND-hand safe. Christie Lithograph & Printing company.

WATCHES REPAIRED.

Guaranteed Main Springs, $1.00; watch cleaned, $1. Garon Bros., 213 W. 1st.

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WANTED — GIRLS AT MRS. SOMmers' employment office, 15 Second avenue east.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework; good wages. 2003 Woodland avenue, corner Hardy street.

WANTED — COMPETENT GIRL FOR general housework. 706½ East Fourth street.

WANTED—A GOOD NEAT GIRL FOR general housework; three in family. Call 110 South Sixteenth avenue east.

WANTED — A COMPETENT GIRL for general housework; must be good cook; family of two. 131 East Second street.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. 225 East Fourth street.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED GIRL to clerk in candy store. Apply at Olympia candy store.

WANTED — —GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. 218 Tenth avenue east.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework; good wages. 317 East Third street.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. 1911 East Third street.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. 112 East Third street.

WANTED — YOUNG GIRL FOR housework in small family. 1127 East Third street.

WANTED — INTELLIGENT WOMAN, spare time, each locality; address envelopes, mail circulars, 15c hour; material, stamps furnished free. Rex Mailing agency, London, Ont.

WANTED — LADY TO TRAVEL IN Minnesota; good pay and tailor-made suit in ninety days; experience unnecessary; reliable firm. Write for particulars. J. E. McBrady & Co., Chicago.

WANTED—COMPETENT GIRL FOR general housework. Call at 1632 East Superior street.

WANTED—COMPETENT GIRL FOR general housework. Mrs. C. A. Wright, 1420 London road.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Call Saturday morning or Sunday. No. 5 St. Elmo flats.

WANTED — 500 PEOPLE TO KNOW that we are placing on sale factory samples of jewelry; 100 jewel cases, 500 white stone hat pins, 100 back combs, 300 rings, full line cut glass and holiday goods. Keystone Loan company, 22 W. Sup. St.

WANTED — LADIES MAKE SUPporters, $12 per 100; no canvassing; material furnished. Stamped envelope for particulars. Wabash Supply company, Department C 225, Chicago.

WANTED—WOMAN OF INFLUENCE among church, lodge or club people can make $40 to $120 in a week. Need not interfere with other employment; high class, no canvassing; confidential commission. Mr. Fisher, R 101, 714 East Fortieth street, Chicago.

WANTED — WOMAN COOK — ALSO kitchen girl who understands something about cooking. Astoria hotel.

WANTED—A GOOD NEAT GIRL FOR general housework; three in family. Call 110 South Sixteenth avenue east.

WANTED — A YOUNG LADY EITHER at school or in business to give help in return for good home; no hard work. Call Melrose 4053.

WANTED—LADIES EARN $10 WEEKly decorating postcards; 10 cents brings package beautiful samples and particulars. American Postcard company, East Orange, N. J.

WANTED — NEAT COLORED GIRL in dental office; must be bright. Dr. Greer, 317 West Superior street.

WANTED—CHAMBERMAID. MARINE hotel, 206 Lake avenue south.

WANTED — GIRL TO ASSIST WITH general housework. Mrs. C. L. Kennedy, 1509 East Third street.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER. WRITE, stating age and experience. Herald, A 514.

RENT—STORES, OFFICES, ETC.

FOR RENT—UNTIL MAY 1, GOOD dry basement on lower side Michigan street, suitable for storage purposes. Rental department, John A. Stephenson & Co., Wolvin building.

FOR RENT — SPACE 40 BY 60 ON ground floor on Lake avenue south; trackage and street entrance. Rental department, John A. Stephenson & Co., Wolvin building.

FOR RENT — SECOND FLOOR OF Grand Union Tea Company building, 119 East Superior street; suitable for doctor's offices, tailoring establishment, light manufacturing or residence. For particulars call at the Grand Union Tea company.

FOR RENT—BARBER SHOP AT 914 Third avenue, completely furnished; baths in connection. Apply Edward Santini, 914 Third avenue or 305 Third avenue, Hibbing, Minn.

FOR RENT—STORE AND BASEMENT 40x20, at 304 East Superior street. Hot and cold water supplied. Rental Department, John A. Stephenson & Co., Wolvin building.

FOR RENT—BARN; EIGHT STALLS; $8 a month; also carriage shed, $5 per month. Apply 325 East First street.

FOR RENT—ONE ROOM IN GLENCOE building, 222-224 West First street, suitable for studio or office. Rental department, John A. Stephenson & Co., Wolvin building.

FOR RENT—GOOD BASEMENT, 50 BY 90, with office on Lake avenue south; steam heat. Rental department, John A. Stephenson & Co., Wolvin building.

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LATEST STYLE, EXPERT FACIAL massaging, shampooing, manicuring, scalp treatment, switches, wig and toupee maker. Combings made up. G. Moisan, French hairdresser, 212 West First street. 'Phones; New 2401; Mel. 2459.

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WANTED — 500 MEN TO SEE OUR unredeemed pledges; 150 men's overcoats and fur coats, fifty rifles. Keystone Loan company, 22 W. Sup. St.

Wanted—Bright men to train as chauffeurs; practical instruction given Auto Owners association, 1312 Hennepin avenue, Minneapolis.

WANTED—FIRE INSURANCE AND real estate solicitors, by an old and established company. Address B. X. D. Herald.

LEARN TELEGRAPHY NOW.
Earn $60 in railroad position in spring. Excellent opportunity; don't miss it. Write Thompson's Telegraph Institute, Minneapolis.

WANTED—ABLE-BODIED MEN FOR the U. S. Marine Corps, between the ages of 19 and 35. Must be native born or have first papers. Monthly pay $15 to $69. Additional compensation possible. Food, clothing, quarters and medical attention free. After 30 years service can retire with 75 per cent of pay and allowance. Service on board ship and ashore in all parts of the world. Apply at U. S. Marine Corps Recruiting Office, Room 3, No. 5 Fifth Ave. West, Duluth, Minn.

WANTED — SALESMAN, CHOICE territory; no experience necessary; rapid seller, big profits, new invention; never been introduced to the Northwest trade. Address Sales Manager, care of Herald.

WANTED—LEARN BARBER TRADE, short time, good wages; special inducements this month. Cat. free. Moler Bar. Col., 27 Nic. Av., Minneapolis.

WANTED—TWO FIRST-CLASS MAchinists and four first-class millwrights for sawmill work, year around job. Apply to E. H. Dea, care of Crookston Lumber company, Bemidji, Minn.

WANTED—MEN TO KNOW I GUARantee to grow a head of hair or no pay. Bryant & Co., 115 West Superior street. Room 4.

WANTED — SALESMAN, EXPERIenced in any line to sell general trade in Minnesota; unexcelled specialty proposition with brand new feature; vacancy after Jan. 1. Commission with $35 weekly for expenses. The Continental Jewelry company, Cleveland, Ohio.

WANTED SALESMAN—MAKING $600 monthly selling Rockport lots, $100 each; deep water harbor. Sartain & Montgomery, San Antonio, Tex.

WANTED—$25 WEEKLY AND EXpenses to trustworthy people to travel and distribute samples for big wholesale house. C. H. Emery, H 237, Chicago.

WANTED—$100 MONTHLY AND EXpenses to travel and distribute samples for big manufacturer, steady work. S. Scheffer, treasurer, B 137, Chicago.

WANTED — ANYONE, ANYWHERE may earn good pay doing light work at home evenings. Send stamp. C. H. Rowan, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED — DINING CAR CONDUCtors; no experience necessary; we teach you; salary, $75, $125. Write School Conductors, 252 Clark street, Chicago.

WANTED—BIG PROFITS, OPEN A dyeing and cleaning establishment, very little capital needed. We tell you how. Booklet free. Ben-Vonde system, Dept. 040 Stauton, Va.

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WANTED —YOU ARE WANTED FOR government position; $80 month; write for list of positions open. Franklin Institute, Dept. 187-B, Rochester, N. Y.

WANTED — ANYONE, ANYWHERE may earn good pay doing light work at home evenings. Send stamp. C. H. Rowan, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED — CIVIL SERVICE EXAMinations will soon be held in every state. Full information and questions used by the commission, free. Columbian Correspondence College, Washington, D. C.

WANTED — DEMONSTRATOR: REfined lady or gentleman of good appearance to act as demonstrator, for large Iowa manufacturer. Experience unnecessary. Liberal pay. Steady employment. Adv. Dept. Central Mfg. company, Iowa City, Ia.

WANTED—HIGH GRADE SALESmen. Permanent position. $200 to $500 monthly. Call only on business men. $25 expenses advanced weekly. No samples to carry. International company, 893 McIntire Bldg., Dayton, Ohio.

WANTED—CAPABLE SALESMAN TO cover Minnesota with staple line; high commissions, with $100 monthly advance; permanent position to right man. Jess H. Smith company, Detroit, Mich.

WANTED—LIVE ONES IN EVERY community; $50 weekly; spare time; no canvassing. I furnish everything. Free particulars. Voorhies, Dept. 48, Omaha, Neb.

WANTED—SALESMEN — BEST COMmission offer on earth. New, all retailers; samples, coat pocket. "Profitable," Iowa City, Iowa.

WANTED — MEN, AGE 18-35, FOR firemen, $100 monthly, and brakemen $80, on nearby railroads; experience unnecessary; no strike; positions guaranteed competent men; promotion; railroad employing headquarters; over 500 men sent to positions monthly; state age; send stamp. Railway association, care Herald.

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WANTED — START A PROFITABLE mail order business at your own home. We can show you how. Success company, Box 2185, Dept. 12, Bridgeport, Conn.

WANTED—ENERGETIC SOLICITORS to write the best selling Accident and Health policy ever offered. Annual premiums, $5.00. If you want a proposition that is bound to make you money, write for particulars. The Indemnity Life and Accident company, Minneapolis, Minn.

START A BUSINESS OF YOUR OWN. Whole or spare time. Ten legitimate ways of making money fully explained for $1. Address N. W. Business exchange, box 395, Duluth, Minn.

WANTED—MAN TO GET OUT ABOUT 1,000 cords pulp and 5,000 ties at Rice River, fourteen miles north of Virginia, half mile haul; house and barn will be furnished, state figure in first letter. J. E. Bear, St. Louis Park Minn.

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FOR RENT — MODERN SIX-ROOM house, furnished complete. 1108 East Second street. House 'phone Melrose 3403. Office either 'phone. 241. or address E. J. G., Herald.

FOR RENT SIGNS —SEE NATIONAL Stamp & Printing company, 21 First avenue west.

FOR RENT—NINE-ROOM HOUSE ON East Superior street; modern; hot water heating plant. Rental department, John A. Stephenson & Co., Wolvin building.

FOR RENT — SEVEN-ROOM COMplete, furnished house; Dec. 1 to March 1. Mrs. C. B. Miller, 214 Fifteenth avenue east.

FOR RENT—A SIX-ROOM HOUSE, hardwood finish, all modern except heat. Apply 404 Exchange building, or 2030 London road. Zenith 'phone 217 or 2228-A.

FOR RENT — SIX-ROOM HOUSE AT 716 Lake avenue south; modern except ehat. Call at 230 Lake avenue south.

FOR RENT—MODERN SEVEN-ROOM house, East end; hot water heat; two bathrooms; hardwood finish; $42.50 per month. Whitney Wall company, 301-3 Torrey building.

FOR RENT — 18 WEST THIRD street, central, suitable for roomers, nine rooms; modern; $50; keys at our office. Little & Nolte, Exchange building.

FOR RENT — FIVE-ROOM HOUSE, water, toilet and electric light; $12 a month. Inquire 1120 East Third street.

FOR RENT—SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE, 125 Seventh avenue west; bath, electric light, coal range. Apply A. A. Mendenhall.

FOR RENT — SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE, $25. 228 Third avenue west. Call 530½ West Superior street.

FOR RENT—THE NICEST, COSY NEW five-room cottage in city; will rent to right party reasonable. Call 1030 West First street.

FOR RENT — 429 THIRD AVENUE west, central, suitable for roomers, nine rooms, modern; $45. Call at office of Little & Nolte, Exchange building.

FOR RENT—109 THIRTY-NINTH AVenue west; five rooms $12.50; includes city water. J. D. Howard & Co., 216 West Superior street.

FOR RENT—EIGHT ROOMS, 710 WEST Second street; stove heat; $25 per month. W. M. Prindle.

FOR RENT — NO. 1610½ EAST SUperior street; eight rooms and bath; hot water heat; gas range; hardwood floors; $45. J. D. Howard & Co., 216 West Superior street.

FOR RENT—NO. 1422 EAST FIRST street, six rooms and bath; modern and in good condition; $35. J. D. Howard & Co., 216 West Superior street.

FOR RENT — FIVE-ROOM HOUSE. Inquire 2403 West Superior street.

FOR RENT—NO. 1616 PIEDMONT AVenue, three rooms; hardwood floors; $7. J. D. Howard & Co., 216 West Superior street.

FOR RENT—SIX-ROOM HOUSE IN East end; hot water heat; thoroughly modern, $35 per month. Rental department, John A. Stephenson & Co., Wolvin building.

FOR RENT — FOUR-ROOM COTTAGE, 2121 West First street, $12 for the winter. C. L. Rakowsky & Co., 201 Exchange building.

FOR RENT—LODGING HOUSE ON Lake avenue south. Low rent. Rental Department, John A. Stephenson & Co., Wolvin building.

AGENTS WANTED.

AGENTS WANTED — MAKE $100 BEfore Christmas; $1 vanity box 15c; full of mammoth im.. cut glass bottles of perfume, etc. Outselling everything; amazing profits. Samples free. Parker Chemical company, Chicago.

AGENTS—LISTEN! OUR "SUBSTItute for slot machines" sells like wild fire; no capital required; exclusive territory. Anderson Game company, Anderson, Ind.

AGENTS—$10 A DAY SELLING NEW article; every firm needs quantity; nice pleasant business; big demand everywhere; samples free. Metallic Manufacturing company, 437 North Clark, Chicago.

AGENTS WANTED TO INTRODUCE article which helps reduce the household expenses. Particulars free. Write today. The Calumet Mfg., company, 317-321 East 115th street, Chicago.

AGENTS — THE "CANCHESTER" IS the biggest money maker ever known. One agent made $107.50 in four days; $73.25 in five days. Others are making from $8 to $10 a day selling the improved 1911 patented Canchester Kerosene Incandescent Lamp. Burns air instead of money. Six times brighter than electricity, gas or acetylene at 1-10 cost. Burns with or without mantel. Burner fits any lamp. Saves 75 per cent oil. No trimming wicks. Lighting methods revolutionized. Showing means selling. Territory going fast. Write today. Particulars free. Handsome outfit furnished. Beware of imitations. Canchester Light company, 26 State street, Chicago, Dept. 26 T.

AGENTS—STOP RIGHT HERE. SOMEthing new; $45 to $90 a week. Sells on sight; 100 per cent profit. No charge for territory. New Automatic Razor Sharpener, absolutely guaranteed for life. One agent, without experience, took twenty-seven orders first day out (sworn statement); twenty-six orders next day. Profit for two days, $79.50. 400,000 sold in four months. Phenomenal money maker. Men everywhere are excited over the mysterious accuracy and perfection of this little machine. Write today for full details, free. We want a thousand agents in exclusive territory, at once. Address The Neverfail company, 921 Colton building, Toledo, Ohio.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—A SMALL BROWN PURSE containing $15 on Third avenue west and Superior street. Finder please return to Herald office and receive reward.

LOST — HARDUNGLE CENTER piece between First and Superior street on Twentieth avenue west. Return to 623 Twenty-first avenue west for reward.

LOST—GOLD HUNTING-CASE WATCH with leather fob, in Lincoln Park. Finder please return to Herald for reward.

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FOR RENT—FLATS.

FOR RENT.
We have two dandy 5-room flats for rent, right down town, ready to occupy any time.
A. A. MICHAUD CO., Inc.,
814-16 Palladio Bldg.

FOR RENT—FOUR-ROOM FURNISHed flat; modern, with or without board. 906 East Third street. Old 'phone, Melrose 3715.

FOR RENT—WE STILL HAVE LEFT a few of the new Berkshire and Barrington apartments at Eighth avenue east and First street; three to seven rooms. John A. Stephenson & Co., Wolvin building.

FOR RENT — FOUR-ROOM FLAT, with bath, gas, hardwood floors throughout; $17.50 per month. 217 West Fifth street. Call Broad, 204-K.

FOR RENT—FOUR-ROOM FLAT ON St. Croix avenue, $10, city water included. J. D. Howard & Co., 216 West Superior street.

FOR RENT—FIVE-ROOM FLAT; ALL conveniences, except heat. 2122 West Third street. Zenith 1661-A.

FOR RENT — NEW FIVE-ROOM brick flat, all conveniences, except heat. Price, $22. 414 East Sixth street.

FOR RENT—WARM FIVE-ROOM flat, sewer, bath, electric light and hardwood floors, at 2816 Helm street, $15. For owner call Zenith 2014 D.

FOR RENT—SEVEN-ROOM TWO story flat; furnace heat, electric light and water. 421 East First street. Rent $25. Call at Gately's, 8 East Superior street.

FOR RENT—TWO, THREE AND FIVE-room flats, most of them modern, excepting heat, $7 to $12 per month. 702 East Second street. Zenith 1299-D.

FOR RENT—SIX-ROOM FLAT; HOT water heat, all modern conveniences, water included, $35 per month. 19 West Fourth street.

FOR RENT—NEW FOUR-ROOM FLAT, $8. C. A. Knippenberg, 300 Alworth building; 'phones 597.

FOR RENT—NEW, MODERN, FIVE-room flat; central location. Charles P. Craig & Co., 501-2-3-4-5 Sellwood building.

FOR RENT—CHEAP FOR THE WINter, corner flat, six rooms, bath, gas, electric light. Third avenue west. Harris Realty company, Manhattan building.

FOR RENT—FIVE-ROOM FLAT IN new brick building; steam heat, gas, electric light and laundry facilities; rent reasonable. Call 1030 West First street.

FOR RENT—FLAT; WATER, BATH, electric lights, $12 per month. 724 East Fifth street. Call evenings. Zenith 'phone 1230-X or 1044.

FOR RENT — FURNISHED FIVE-room flat; all modern improvements except heat; $20 per month. A. H. Burg & Co., 300 Alworth.

FARM AND FRUIT LANDS.

FOR SALE—FLORIDA EAST COAST land, in the famous Indian River district on the Atlantic coast of Florida, 200 miles south of Jacksonville, $25 per acre; $1 per acre down, 50 cents per acre a month; over sixty tracts sold to people from Duluth and the range; some of the buyers have been down and inspected the land and while down there doubled their former purchase; no interest, no taxes till paid for; absolutely no malaria on the coast; land only from one to three miles from the Atlantic coast and station on Florida East Coast railway. Full guarantee and money back if not satisfied. When going to Florida to inspect land take plenty of time to look up other propositions and buy only the best. This is no swamp land and no lottery. Prairie or timber land can be had. If purchaser should die and only one payment or more is made, the land goes to the heirs, free from further payments. Call and see list of buyers or write. H. Olseen, Office 2126 West Third street. Residence 2214 West Third street.

FOR SALE — A FORTY-ACRE FARM with all improvements; positively a snap. The Smith Realty company.

FOR SALE—IF YOU CANNOT AFFORD to buy wild fruit land, plant it and wait for the trees to grow, or buy an orchard already producing, but nevertheless have the orchard bee "buzzing in your bonnet," write, or ask me for particulars of a Western Oregon fruit land proposition, which I believe to be the best on the market. C. F. Graff, Melrose 2832, 405 Lonsdale building.

FLORIDA LAND SEEKERS' EXCURSION—$10 FOR TEN DAYS.
Private tourists sleeper. Leave Chicago Tuesday night, Jan. 3. Very low round trip fares. Stop-overs at Jacksonville, St. Augustine, Fort Lauderdale and other points. Write now for full particulars, reservations, etc. James Hutton, General Sales Agent, 1040 American Trust building, Chicago.

FOR SALE—TEXAS GULF COUNTRY, where figs and Satsuma oranges grow; rich vigin prairie; near railways; $20 to $50; six to ten years in oranges will bring $600 to $1,000 per acre; maps and particulars. Theodore F. Koch & Co., Globe building, St. Paul, Minn.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—EIGHTY acres of land for Duluth property; good house and barn; well improved. In Pine county, D. C. Hewett, Fond du Lac, Minn.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—EIGHTY acres (Koochiching county) timber land to exchange for second-hand automobile; prefer four-passenger; give description in first letter. Y 163, Herald.

FOR SALE—100 ACRES NEAR PROCtor for sale at a bargain; suitable for platting, forty acres joins the railroad yards. Whitney Wall company, Torrey Bldg.

FOR SALE — SOME OF THE BEST lands in Southwestern Texas for sale, flowing wells, no charge for water; some great bargains in Minnesota cutover lands. Also tamarack tie stumpage and other timber for sale. John Q. A. Crosby, 305 Palladio building, Duluth, Minn.

SELECTED FARMING LANDS
On line of the Alger-Smith Railroad.
On easy terms to settlers.
ALEXANDER McBEAN,
Sales Manager, 406 Columbia Bldg.

FOR SALE—10,000 ACRES IN 40 AND 80-acre tracts, close to Hibbing and Chisholm; good markets; forty annual payments, of $16 each on 40 acres, or $32 each on 80 acres, pays both principal and interest. For further information, apply Guaranty Farm Land company, 416 Lyceum building, Duluth, Minn.

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FOR RENT—ROOMS.

FOR RENT FURNISHED ROOM SIGNS —See National Stamp & Printing company, 21 First avenue west.

FOR RENT—STEAM HEATED rooms; electric light; gas; bath; and 'phone; $1.75 and up. 219 Fifth avenue west. "The Winnie."

FOR RENT—STEAM HEATED rooms with or without board, $6 per month, 118 East Superior street.

FOR RENT—VERY DESIRABLE FURnished rooms. 201 West Third street.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS IN private family; $8 per month. 426 Sixth avenue east.

FOR RENT — THREE FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping. 118 Third avenue west.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOM BY the day or week. 126 Mesaba avenue.

FOR RENT — TWO FURNISHED rooms for housekeeping. 232 Mesaba avenue, Flat F.

FOR RENT — TWO BRIGHT ROOMS for light housekeeping. Use of bath. 408 Ninth avenue east.

FOR RENT — TWO FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping, bath, gas and electric light; in private family; use of telephone. 316 West Fourth street.

FOR RENT—NICELY FURNISHED steam heated room in new flat; central and reasonable. 124 West Fourth street, flat C.

FOR RENT—ONE STEAM HEATED furnished room. 14 West First street. Flat 2.

FOR RENT—TWO OR THREE FURnished and heated rooms for rent. Inquire, 2704 West Third street.

FOR RENT — TWO FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping. 123 West Second street.

FOR RENT — NICELY FURNISHED warm room, centrally located; gentleman only. Zenith, 1880-A.

FOR RENT—NICELY FURNISHED warm alcove room, with board. 226 Fifth avenue east, Ashtabula terrace. Melrose 2511.

FOR RENT — TWO LARGE FURNISHed rooms for light housekeeping, with gas range. 111 West Second street.

FOR RENT — LARGE BUSINESS room with steam heat, over Gasser's grocery.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOM FOR one or two young ladies, with or without board; private family; reference required. Telephone Melrose, 2075.

FOR RENT—NICELY FURNISHED room; every convenience; either lady or gentleman. 516 East First street, Flat B.

FOR RENT—TWO VERY NICE FURnished front rooms, suitable for light housekeeping; fine location in center of city. Zenith 2051-Y.

FOR RENT — FURNISHED FRONT rooms. 207 West Second street.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOM, $5 per month. 711 West Third street.

FOR RENT — TWO FURNISHED rooms in strictly modern flat. Flat 9, Chatham flats, 10 East Second street.

FOR RENT—NICELY FURNISHED steam heated room; all modern. Inquire Mrs. Morgan, flat B, 115 East Superior street.

FOR RENT—STEAM-HEATED ROOM suitable for two gentlemen. 110 First avenue west.

FOR RENT—CHEAP FOR THE WINter, four rooms downstairs, $8.50; three rooms upstairs, $6.50; water; Third avenue west. Harris Realty company, Manhattan building.

FOR RENT—FOUR ROOMS — VERY warm, for winter; center of city; gas and water. 322 West Fifth street.

FOR RENT—STEAM-HEATED ROOM 123 West Superior street. Inquire room 2, over Harry Mitchell's.

FOR RENT—NICELY FURNISHED steam heated front room; all modern conveniences. B-2 St. Regis flats.

FOR RENT — TWO FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping; central. 420 First avenue west.

FOR RENT — FURNISHED ROOM with alcove. 206 West Third street.

FOR RENT — THREE UNFURNISHED rooms upstairs, for light housekeeping; electric light and water, $12. 804 East Third street.

FOR RENT — FOUR NICE FURnished rooms; warm for winter; $12 per month. 517 First avenue east.

FOR RENT — TWO NICE ROOMS FOR light housekeeping; steam heat, electric light. No 21 First avenue west. Inquire Bloom & Co., 102 West First street.

FOR RENT—A THREE-ROOM BASEment at 712 East Third street, cheap for the winter. Inquire 720 East Third street.

FOR RENT — TWO FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping. 123 West Second street.

FOR RENT — FURNISHED ROOM with steam heat and bath at 115 East Superior street, Oppel block, Flat C.

FOR RENT — TWO CONNECTING front rooms for light housekeeping; modern conveniences. Apply afternoons, 601 West Second street.

FOR RENT — FURNISHED OUTSIDE room, centrally located. 202 West Third street.

FOR RENT — NICELY FURNISHED front room; suitable for one or two, also side room, strictly modern, light and well heated. Melrose 1253. 314 Second avenue west.

FOR RENT — TWO FURNISHED, front rooms for light housekeeping, gas and use of bath, reasonable. 325 East First street.

FOR RENT — FOUR LARGE LIGHT rooms; all conveniences, except heat; southeast corner Twentieth avenue west and Second street.

FOR RENT — FURNISHED FRONT room; closet, alcove; modern conveniences. Melrose 3982. 467 Mesaba avenue.

FOR RENT — TWO OR THREE pleasant furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 521 West Fourth St. Melrose 3995.

FOR RENT—LARGE, FRONT, NICEly furnished room, very pleasant; rent reasonable. Call at 312 Lake avenue north.

FOR RENT — FURNISHED ROOMS. 207 West Second street.

FOR RENT — TWO FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping. 19 West Superior street, upstairs, flat 3.

FOR RENT—LARGE, FURNISHED front room, East end; ground floor, in private home; suitable for one or two ladies; breakfast if desired. L 65. Herald.

UPHOLSTERING.

FURNITURE, AUTOMOBILES, CARriages; reasonable prices. E. Ott, 113 First avenue west. Both 'phones.

SECRET SOCIETIES.

PALESTINE LODGE NO. 79, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meetings first and third Monday evenings of each month, at 7:30 o'clock. Next meeting, special, Friday, Dec. 16, 1910. Work—Installation of officers. Gorham A. Taylor, W. M.; H. Nesbit, secretary.

IONIC LODGE NO. 186, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meetings second and fourth Monday evenings of each month at 7:30 o'clock. Next meeting, Monday, Dec. 12, 1910. Annual meeting and election of officers. H. W. Richardson, W. M.; Hugh Burgo, secretary.

KEYSTONE CHAPTER NO. 20, R. A. M.—Stated convocations second and fourth Wednesday evenings of each month at 7:30 o'clock. Next meeting, Dec. 14, 1910. Work—Annual meeting, election of officers. Andalia W. Torrance, H. P.; Alfred Le Richeux, secretary.

DULUTH COUNCIL NO. 6, D. & S. M.—Next meeting Friday, Dec. 2, 1910, at 7:30 p. m. Work—Annual meeting; election of officers. Carl L. Lonegren, T. I. M.; Alfred Le Richeux, recorder.

DULUTH COMMANDERY NO. 18, K. T.—Stated conclave first Tuesday of each month at 7:30 o'clock p. m. Next conclave Dec. 6, 1910. Work—Red Cross degree. Newton H. Wilson, E. C.; Alfred Le Richeux, recorder.

SCOTTISH RITE — REGULAR meetings every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Next meeting Dec. 15, 1910. Work—Thirtieth degree. Henry Nesbitt, secretary.

ZENITH CHAPTER NO. 25, Order of Eastern Star—Regular meetings second and fourth Friday evenings of each month at 7:30 o'clock. Next meeting, Dec. 9, 1910. Work—Annual meeting, election of officers and initiation. Minnie Keeler, W. M.; Ella F. Gearhart, secretary.

EUCLID LODGE NO. 198, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meetings second and fourth Wednesday evenings of each month at 7:30 o'clock. Next meeting Dec. 14, 1910. Work—Election of officers. L. R. Clark, W. M.; A. Dunleavy, secretary.

DULUTH CHAPTER NO. 59, R. A. M.—Meets at West Duluth first and Third Wednesdays of each month at 7:30 p. m. Next meeting, Dec. 7, 1910. Work—Election of officers and P. M. and M. E. degrees. W. B. Getchell H. P.; A. Dunleavy, secretary.

K. of P.
NORTH STAR LODGE NO. 35, K. of P. —Meets every Tuesday evening at Castle hall, 118 West Superior street. Next meeting, Tuesday evening, Dec. 13, 8 o'clock sharp; work in third rank. H. N. Celvin, C. C.; S. A. Hearn, K. of R. & S.

DIAMOND LODGE NO. 45, K. of P.—Meets every Monday evening in Sloan's hall, corner Twentieth avenue west and Superior street. All knights cordially invited; work in second rank. M. J. Murray, C. C.; Otto E. Nelson, K. of R. & S.

KITCHI GAMMI LODGE NO. 123, K. of P.—Meets every Thursday evening at Commercial Club hall, Central avenue, West Duluth. Next meeting Thursday evening, Dec. 1, nomination and election of officers. All knights cordially invited. G. W. Boutin, C. C.; C. M. Phillips, K. of R. & S.

DULUTH LODGE, NO. 28, I. O. O. F.—MEETS every Friday evening at 8 o'clock at Odd Fellows' hall, 18 Lake avenue north. Next meeting night, Dec. 9, regular business. E. A. Bergstrom, N. G.; G. H. Glass, Rec. Sec.; A. H. Paul, Fin. Sec.

DULUTH ENCAMPMENT NO. 36, I. O. O. F.—Meets on the second and fourth Thursdays at Odd Fellows hall, 18 Lake avenue north. Next meeting night, special, Dec. 8, Golden Rule degree. J. B. Cade, C. P.; L. O. Marlow, Rec. Scribe.

K. O. T. M.
DULUTH TENT NO. 1—MEETS EVERY Monday, 8:15 p. m., at Maccabee hall, 21 Lake avenue north. Visiting members always welcome. O. P. Mecalson, commander, 505 West Third street; J. B. Gelineau, record keeper, office in hall. Hours, 10 a. m. to 1 p. m., daily. Zenith 'phone 619-X.

A. O. U. W.
FIDELITY LODGE NO. 105 — MEETS at Maccabee hall, 21 Lake avenue north, every Thursday at 8 p. m. Visiting members welcome. A. E. Jackson, M. W.; A. E. Piering, recorder; O. J. Murvold, financier, 217 East Fifth street.

MODERN SAMARITANS.
ALPHA COUNCIL, NO. 1—TAKE NOtice that Samaritan degree meets first and third Thursdays; beneficent, second and fourth Thursdays. Lucy A. Purdy, Lady G. S.; N. B. Morrison, G. S.; Wallace P. Welbanks, scribe; T. A. Gall, F. S., First National Bank building. All members of beneficent degree are requested to be present next Thursday, Dec. 8, nomination and election of officers.

UNITED ORDER OF FORESTERS—Court Eastern Star, No. 86, meets every first and third Tuesday at U. O. F. hall, corner Fourth avenue west and First street. Elizabeth Milnes, C. R., room 23, Winthrop block; A. E. Piering, secretary, 220 East Fifth street; Harry Milnes, treasurer, room 23, Winthrop block. Zenith 'phone 2978-X

M. W. A.
IMPERIAL CAMP NO. 3306 — MEETS at U. O. F. hall, Fourth avenue west and First street, second and fourth Tuesdays of each month. William Tunell, consul; C. P. Earl, clerk, box 411; F. F. Doremus, deputy; address N. P. freight office.

CLAN STEWART, NO. 50, O. S. C.—Meets first and third Wednesdays each month, 8 p. m., at U. O. F. hall, corner Fourth avenue west and First street. Next regular meeting, Dec. 21. Alexander G. McKnight, chief; Don McLennan, secretary; John Burnett, financial secretary, 312 Torrey building.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD.
ZENITH CITY CAMP NO 5.—MEETS every second and fourth Wednesdays at the old Masonic temple, fifth floor. Mac-Auley, C. C., 102 West Michigan street; Williard Curtis, banker, No. 1, The Glen; Temple Sloan, clerk, 6 South Thirteenth avenue west. Zenith 'phone 71.

ROYAL ARCANUM, Duluth Council No. 1483—Meets second and fourth Tuesday evenings. Maccabee hall, 21 Lake avenue north. Clinton Brooks, secretary, 401 Columbia building.
Mesaba Council, No. 1493—Meets first and third Wednesday evenings, Columbia hall, west end. A. M. Johnson, secretary, 117 North Twentieth avenue west.

ORDER OF OWLS, DULUTH Nest No. 1200—Meetings are held every Friday of each month at Owls' hall, 110 West Superior street. Joseph E. Feaks, secretary, 22 East Superior street.

CLOTHES CLEANED & PRESSED.

W. LIPSHIN, CLOTHES CLEANED and repaired. Alteration done for ladies or gentlemen. 12 East Fourth street. Telephone, 1667-X. new.

JOHN MUELLER, 208 WEST FIRST street.

Three suits pressed, $1.00. Ladies' dresses French dry-cleaned, 50c. 10 Fourth ave. W. J. Oreckowsky.

ASHES AND GARBAGE.

REMOVED PROMPTLY, ZENITH 2378-X. 807 Sixth avenue west.

REMOVED ON SHORT NOTICE—DICK Barrett, 1122 E. 4th St. Zen. 1945-Y.

ASHES REMOVED — H. C. KEEDY, 1709 London road. Melrose 1390, Zenith 1488-X.

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KANSAS MAN ACCUSED OF MURDERING WHOLE HOUSEHOLD IN ANGER

Woman and Three Men Found Dead on Isolated Farm.

John Feigler Admits He Quarreled With Bernhard Family.

Tries to Cast Suspicion on Another When Cross-Examined.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 12.—John Feigler, a hunter and trapper, whose home is a half mile west of the Bernhardt farm in Johnson county, Kan., where Mrs. Emily Bernhard, George Bernhard, her son, Thomas H. Morgan and James Graves were murdered, was arersted in connection with the crime early today and placed in the Kansas City, Kan., jail.

A bloody pair of overalls and shirt were found by Chief of Police Zimmer today in Feigler's home. The bloody garments were concealed in a closet on the second floor of Feigler's house.

He was questioned for three hours by H. T. Zimmer, chief of police of Kansas City, Kan., and it is said he told conflicting stories regarding his relations with the Bernhard family.

Feigler was arrested after the officers learned that he and George Bernhard had quarreled several times recently because Feigler objected to Bernhard and Morgan hunting on his farm.

In his statements to Chief Zimmer, Feigler attempted to cast suspicion on another man. This man, it is said, will be arrested today.

Feigler told Chief Zimmer he found Morgan hunting on his place last Wednesday.

Quarrel With Bernhard.

"I asked him what he meant by killing my game," said Feigler, "and he told me Mrs. Benrhard's son gave him permission to hunt there. After I had ordered Morgan off my place, I went over to Bernhard's place and asked George Bernhard why he had given Morgan permission to hunt on my place. He denied that he had given Morgan any such permission."

Feigler said he and Bernhard made counter accusations against each other, and when the quarrel grew warm, Mrs. Bernhard appeared on the scène.

"When she heard me say George had told Morgan he might hunt on my place, she called me a liar," said Feigler.

He said both Mrs. Bernhard and

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SUIT FOR BALDWIN FORTUNE IS BEGUN

Mrs. Turnbull's Claims Are Heard in Los Angeles Court.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 12.—The fight of Beatrice Anita Baldwin Turnbull for a two-ninths' share in the $11,000,000 estate of the late E. J. Baldwin will begin before Judge Rives and a jury in the superior court today.

The contestant was born in this city 17 years ago. Her birth certificate, on record here, gives her mother's name as Lillian A. Ashley and her father's name as Elias Jackson Baldwin.

The validity of an alleged marriage between Mrs. Ashley and Baldwin is not an issue, the contention being that, under California laws the child of a void marriage is regarded as legitimate and the failure of Baldwin to mention Beatrice in the will does not raise the legal presumption that he intended to disinherit her.

Distribution of the estate to the heirs was about to be made when this contest was filed, tying up the property indefinitely.

TAMMANY HALL BADLY SCORCHED

Wigwam Suffers $25,000 Damage By Smoker's Carelessness.

New York, Dec. 12.—Tammany Hall, the "Wigwam" home of the famous political organization, known as the Tammany society, was partly destroyed by fire today. There was a fear of the blaze spreading to nearby buildings including the old Academy of Music, the Olympic Music hall and the Central hotel. The flames, however, were confined to the interior of Tammany Hall itself.

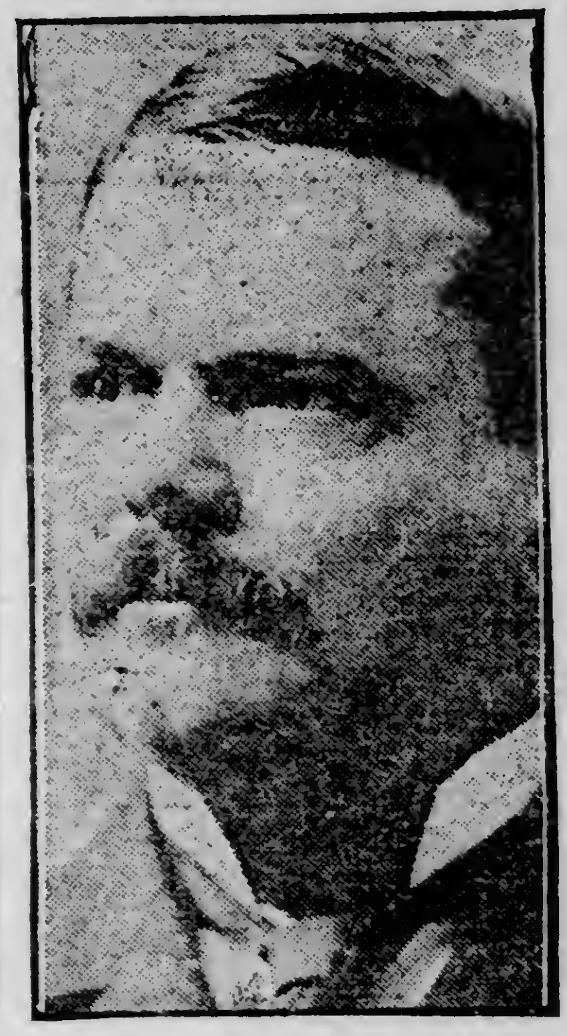
Torrents of water poured into the big structure, and the greater part of the damages was caused by this deluge. The fire chiefly exerted its force upon the gallery where it started and a portion of the floor below. It took two hours, work to get the blaze under control.

Tammany Hall stands on East Fourteenth street in the heart of the oldtime theater district and one now thickly dotted with ancient buildings.

Laid to Smoker.

A dance was given last night by a social club in the ball room of the hall and it is supposed that a lighted cigar or cigarette left in one of the boxes in the gallery started the fire. It is estimated that the damage by fire and water to the interior of the building can be repaired for approximately $25,000.

SENATE CONFIRMS HIS APPOINTMENT



FREDERICK W. LEHMANN.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Frederick W. Lehmann of Missouri was confirmed today by the senate to be solicitor-general of the United States. He succeeds the late Lloyd W. Bowers, who died in office.

BANKS ARE PROSPEROUS

Comptroller of the Currency Makes Annual Report to Congress.

Shows Intention to Weed Out the Weaker National Institutions.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Another year of prosperity and solid growth for American banks is recorded in the annual report of the comptroller of the currency, presented to congress today. Not only the national banks which come directly under the control and supervision of the currency bureau are included in the comprehensive review of banking conditions, but state banks, savings banks, trust companies and other financial institutions—some 15,950 others—are represented.

During the fiscal year of 1910 the combined resources of the 7,000 national banks of the United States grew to approximately $1,000,000,000. On Sept. 1 last their loans and discounts had reached the immense sum of $5,400,000,000—an amount never before equaled in the history of the national

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MORE FIGURES FOR WISCONSIN

Census Bureau Tells Populations of Douglas and Other Counties.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Population statistics of the counties of Wisconsin containing the principal cities, announced today, are as follows:

Dane, 77,435; Douglas, 47,422; La Crosse, 43,996; Milwaukee 433,187; Racine, 57,424; Winnebago, 62,116.

Population statistics for several Washington cities issued today include the following:

Aberdeen, 13,660; Bellingham, 24,298; Everett, 24,814; Olympia, 6,996; Walla Walla, 19,364.

The population of Freeport, Ill., is 17,567, according to the thirteenth census statistics issued today. In 1900 Freeport had 13,258 inhabitants.

Populations of the counties containing the principal cities in their respective states are:

In Montana—Cascade, 28,833; Deer Lodge, 12,988; Lewis and Clark, 21,853; Missoula, 23,596; Silver Bow, 56,848; Yellowstone, 22,944.

In Washington — King, 284,638; Pierce, 120,812; Spokane, 139,404; Walla Walla, 31,931.

No city or town statistics were issued for these states.

BEEF PACKERS' PLEA IS TO BE HEARD THURSDAY.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—Hearing of the indicted beef packers' petition for postponement of the criminal trials until the termination of the government's civil suit for dissolution of the National Packing company, which is accused of being the beef trust, was put over until Thursday by Judge Carpenter of the United States district court today.

NO WORD OF THE OLYMPIA

Stranded Steamer Has One Hundred and Six Persons Aboard.

Last Report Was That Waves Were Pounding Her on Rocks.

Valdez, Alaska, Dec. 12.—All the passengers of the wrecked steamship Olympia have been saved. Some of them were brought here by the government launch Fort Liscom and the others are safely housed at Ellemar.

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 12.—No word has been received from Alaska today concerning the wrecked steamer Olympia. There is good reason for believing all the passengers were saved, but the Alaska Steamship company has no advices. Every effort is being made to get in communication with the Olympia.

News is anxiously awaited concerning the fate of the 106 persons on the steamship which went on the rocks at the southeastern end of Bilg island, Prince William sound, Alaska, during a furious storm yesterday morning. Steamers and launches are hurrying to the aid of the vessel from Seward, Valdez and Katalla. Rescuing craft have gone to the steamship.

The only means of communication between Seattle and Cordova and Valdez is by military cable operated by the United States army corps. When the cable office closed for the night the last word received by the operator at the naval wireless station at Cordova was that the passengers and crew were still aboard the Olympia, which was

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TWO LUMBERJACKS LOSE THEIR LIVES

Cloquet, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—Joseph Brush, about 60 years old, died Saturday night at the Cloquet hospital. Brush was found several days ago in a little shanty near Camp 5 on the Duluth & Northeastern, three miles from Shiels, where he has been watching Camp Summers. He was unconscious when found and remained in a comatose condition until death. He has been working under J. C. Campbell for the Cloquet Lumber company for about ten years and was a trustworthy, respected man among the lumber men. Brush never spoke of any reltaives, but it was known that he was married and has a family somewhere. A daughter came here to visit him several years ago and efforts are being made to locate his children.

Killed by Falling Tree.

The body of John Erickson was brought here yesterday from Camp 9 of the Northern Lumber company. Erickson was killed Saturday afternoon by a falling tree, which crushed his head. He was 26 years old. A brother of the deceased, Louis Erickson, who is a contractor and builder in Minneapolis, took charge of the remains and they were shipped away to Merrillan Junction, Wis., for burial.

John Christianson, 22 years old, died this morning at the home of his brother, Algot Christianson, from pneumonia. No funeral arrangements have been made.

WET ONLY AT BEMIDJI

"Injunction" Saloons Are the Only Ones Open in the Dry Zone.

Special Agent Will Stay in Duluth to Watch for Shipments.

Bemidji, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—Bemidji's twelve so-called injunction saloons are the only drink emporiums which are running peacefully and undisturbed in the dry zone which has been closed by special officers of the Indian department in accordance with orders direct from Special Agent Johnson, and indications are that these twelve places will continue to be operated without hindrance for several months and perhaps permanently.

While neither E. E. McDonald, attorney for the twelve, or Judge Spooner associated with the injunction movement, will give out any definite bearing on the cases now pending before the government officials, it is intimated that mandamus proceedings will be instituted to restrain the government from preventing shipment of liquors into this city to replenish the supply of the dealers, which is fast being depleted.

Expect No Immediate Action.

While no direct statement is made by agents, it is believed that Special Officer Brents, who was in charge of the closing movement in Bemidji, has received from Secretary Ballinger special instructions not to disturb Bemidji's injunction saloons pending determination of the rights of the department and the saloon keepers. Brents telegraphed from St. Paul Saturday for instructions.

Brents, it is said, will now retire from this section and Coggeshal, from Denver, will have charge of the work of the department in the dry zone. It is said that one deputy special officer will be stationed at each of the following places to keep a close scrutiny on closed saloons and to intercept possible shipments of wet goods: Duluth, Grand Rapids, Bemidji, Big Falls, Brainerd, Akeley, Bagley and Mahnomen. It will be the special duty of these officers to hunt down and assist in the prosecution of bootleggers or blind piggers, and they wil co-operate with the local officers in all places.

PORTUGUESE PREMIER NOT TO BE PROSECUTED.

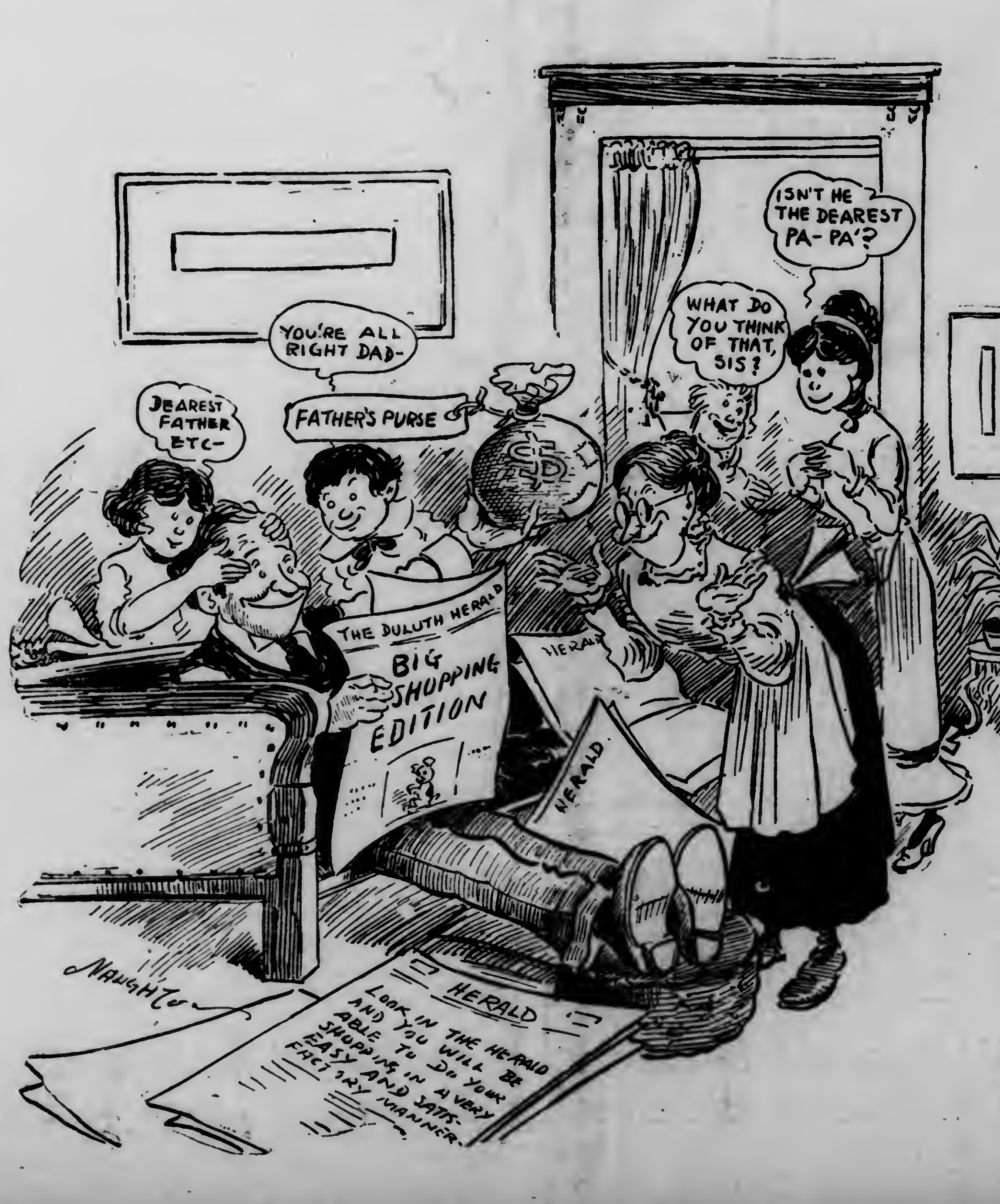
Lisbon, Dec. 12.—The court of appeals today recommended that proceedings against Former Premier Franco and others charged with him, with issuing illegal decrees and making improper expenditures while in office, be quashed.

BREAKING TRUST LAW CONTINUOUS OFFENSE

Washington, Dec. 12. — Announcing that conspiracy under the Sherman anti-trust law is a continuing offense, the supreme court of the United States today held good the indictment in New York in 1909 of Gustave E. Kisel and Thomas B. Harned, under this law as far as the statute of limitations is concerned. The two men were identified with the sugar fraud cases.

HOW IT OUGHT TO BE.

Father: "Do your Christmas shopping today, and if you need more money let me know."


ISN'T HE THE DEAREST PA-PA'?
WHAT DO YOU THINK OF THAT, SIS?
YOU'RE ALL RIGHT DAD-
DEAREST FATHER ETC-
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THE DULUTH HERALD BIG SHOPPING EDITION
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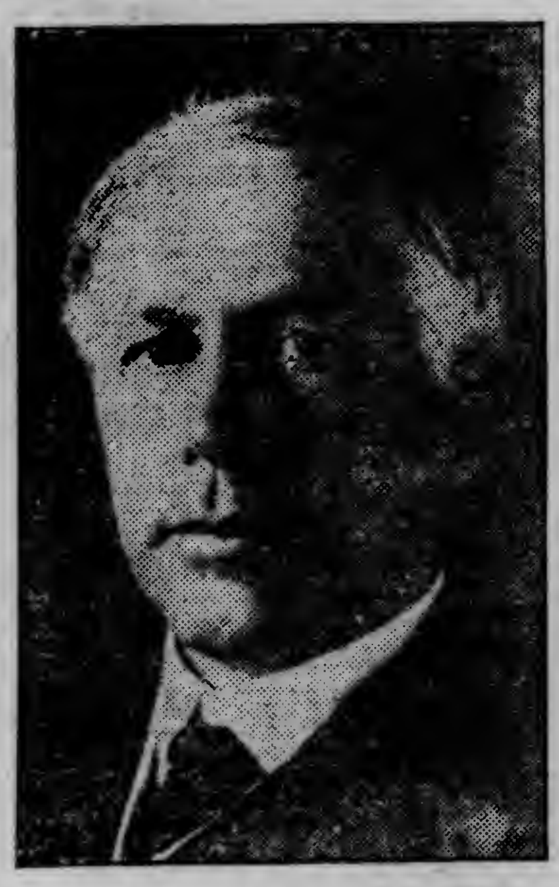

WILLIS VAN DEVANTER
Of Wyoming.

NEW CHIEF JUSTICE OF SUPREME COURT

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EDWARD DOUGLASS WHITE
Of Louisiana.

ACCUSER SENT TO COUNTY JAIL

Woman Who Told of Grand Jury Leak Fails to Prove Charge.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—Mrs. Aileen Christopher, the government's witness against the alleged brick trust, today was ordered committed to the Cook county jail with her attorney, John A. Brown, until they produce certain papers and documents before the federal grand jury.

At the same time Judge Kenesaw M. Landis of the federal district court declared the accusations of Mrs. Christopher and her counsel in his court Saturday that Charles F. Dewoody, head of the department of justice's secret service here, had "tipped off" grand jury secrets were without cause, reason or justification.

Mrs. Christopher told the court Saturday she had withheld documents purporting to be corroborative of her charges of a brick trust, because Dewoody improperly gave the grand jury information to interested parties. She was given till today to produce the documents. Failing to bring in the papers, Judge Landis ordered her sent to the county jail.

Walnut Grove Postmaster.

Washington, Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—The president today nominated Daniel A. Malloy to be postmaster at Walnut Grove, Minn.

SAYS SHE SAW MRS. GLOVER

Witness Testifies That the Woman Was at Scene of Murder.

Witnesses in Hattie Le Blanc's Trial Disparage Widow's Character.

Cambridge, Conn., Dec. 12.—When the trial of Hattie Le Blanc, for the murder of Clarence F. Glover, was resumed in the Middlesex county superior court today, Judge Bond allowed the defense to reopen its case in order that Nellie Walsh of Waltham might be called as a witness.

Miss Walsh testified that on the night of Nov. 20, 1909, the night on which Glover was shot, she had met Mrs. Glover walking away from the laundry at about 8:30 o'clock. The witness declared she positively recognized Mrs. Glover as she passed her in front of a building.

The case is expected to end this week.

The last day of the defense's presentation of testimony was a long distance duel by legal methods between the youthful defendant, Hattie Le Blanc, and Mrs. Lillian Glover, the widow of the Waltham laundryman. The defense directed all its shafts at the widow in marshalling its witnesses and evidence while the prosecution sought to turn them in the direction of the little Cape Breton servant girl.

Tells of Glover Family.

Nearly a dozen men and women who

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GOVERNMENT IN THE LEAD

Coalition Has Gained One Seat in Parliament Over Unionists.

London, Dec. 12.—Six belated returns announced today complete the results of Saturday and bring the coalition aggregate up to 283 as against 227 Unionists in the new parliament.

The Liberals scored a gain in the Crickelade division of Wiltshire, giving Premier Asquith and his associates a net gain of one seat on the week's pollings.

This afternoon the government's ranks were made up as follows:

Liberals, 187; Nationalists, 56; Independent Nationalists, 7; Labor members 33.

RICH MILWAUKEE WIDOW IS BURNED

Candle Sets Fatal Fire in Room in New York Hotel.

New York, Dec. 12.—Mrs. F. A. Hillard, 76, a wealthy widow of Milwaukee, Wis., was burned to death early today in her room in the Hotel Bristol. She set fire to her clothing in attempting to light a candle.

Mrs. Hilliard registered at the hotel on Nov. 6 last. She attracted attention by her eccentricities. She refused to use either the electric lights or gas and insisted on burning candles in her room.

WHITE GIVEN HIGHEST SEAT

Van Devanter and Lamar Picked for the Other Two Places.

Knapp, Archbald, Hunt, Carland and Mack in New Tribunal.

Meyer of Wisconsin on the Interstate Commerce Commission.

WHITE IS CONFIRMED.

Washington, Dec. 12. — Edward D. White of Louisiana, associate justice of the supreme court, was confirmed today by the senate to be chief justice of the court. Confirmation of the two newly appointed associate justices will follow later. The quick confirmation of Justice White is due to the fact that the senate already had passed upon his qualifications.

Washington, Dec. 12.—President Taft today sent to the senate the following nominations to the judiciary:

To be chief justice of the United States supreme court—Associate Justice Edward Douglass White of Louisiana.

To be associate justices, United

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ECCENTRIC DIES OF BROKEN SKULL

John Morrison-Fuller, Who Gave Away $7,000 in Drinks, Is Dead.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 12.—John Morrison-Fuller, formerly a banker of Glasgow, Mo., died here today from a fractured skull which he received by falling on the ice last week. He was a man of wealth. He took his wife's name when he married.

When his home town voted favorbly for local option, Morrison-Fuller opened a free drinking place and in one year gave away $7,000 worth of drinks to his friends. He established a bank in Glasgow so he would have a place to loaf, because he thought the bank then in existence objected to his loafing in the banking room.

Some years ago he began publishing a newspaper when he disagreed with the opinions of the editor of a paper already established.

TESTIFIES IN THE ERBSTEIN CASE

Chicago, Dec. 12.—State Representative Freuerick E. Erickson today testified in the trial of Attorney Charles Erbstein on charges of bribing jurors in the Lee O'Neil Browne bribery case in connection with the election of United States Senator William Lorimer.

Erickson said he did not know Erbstein and did not conduct Harry Stacy, the state's witness who professed to be the go-between for Erbstein and the juror, to the accused attorney, as claimed by Stacy. Erbstein is seeking to establish an alibi for occasions on which the juror, Grant McCutcheon, and Stacy said he met them with bribery proposals.

TAFT PICKS POSTMASTERS.

Sends Nominations to the Senate for Action.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Among the nominations sent to the senate by the president today were the following:

To be postmasters: Kate W. Kirkpatrick, Decatur, Ga.; George A. Poche, Washington, Ga.; W. D. Casey, Atchison, Kan.; Mary C. Dykes, Lebanon, Kan.; Frank C. Barrows, New Bradford, Mass.; Max Jacobs, East Helena, Mont.; H. S. Orr, Medina, Ohio; Albert C. Landers, Newport, R. I.; William Rogers, Green River, Wyo.

To be consul-general at Tangier, Morocco, Maxwell Blake of Missouri.

Consuls and Other Officers.

To be consul: William W. Hadley of New York, at Naples, Italy, Carl Bailey Hurst of the District of Columbia, at Lyons, France; Lee J. Keena of Michigan, at Florence, Italy; Marion Letcher, of Georgia, at Chihuahua, Mex.; Hunter Sharp of North Carolina, at Belfast, Ireland; Edward D. Winslow of Illinois, at Plauen, Germany.

To be collector of internal revenue, District of Oklahoma, George T. Knott of Oklahoma.

To be receiver of public moneys: Vivian L. Jones of California, at Independence, Cal.; Shields Warren of Florida, at Gainesville, Fla.

To be register of the land office at Gainesville, Fla., Henry S. Chubb of Florida.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

WEATHER—Generally cloudy and milder weather tonight and Tuesday; lowest temperature about zero, highest 20 to 25 deg.; moderate variable winds, becoming easterly.

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THE BIG BANKRUPT SALE IS A WINNER

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Suits and Overcoats for Men and Boys.

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Shoes for Men and Boys, Hats, Caps, Overshoes and Rubbers will continue all this week.

ELY MEYER AND W. C. SIMON SUITS AND O'COATS

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If you have not already had your share of the good things this sale offers, come tomorrow.

Oak Hall Clothing Co.

Superior Street at Second Avenue West

TWO LINEMEN SHAKE HANDS AFTER ESCAPING DEATH BY ELECTRICITY

After both had survived severe electrical shocks within an hour, Frank Keyes and William Morgan, linemen in the employ of the Duluth Edison Electric company, shook hands and congratulated each other Saturday.

Both men were members of a crew working in First alley near Sixth avenue west. About 10 o'clock Saturday morning Keyes suffered a severe shock and Morgan assisted him from the pole.

At 11 o'clock Morgan had a miraculous escape from death in the same place where Keyes had been working, as mentioned in The Herald Saturday evening. Keyes was one of the men who assisted him down and when Morgan reached the ground and recovered from the effects of the shock, he and Keyes shook hands and congratulated each other. Neither man was injured.

HELD UP AND ROBBED OF $250

David Ryhanen Tells Police Two Men Enticed Him Into an Alley.

David Ryhanen told the police Saturday evening that he was robbed of $250 by two strangers after he had been decoyed into an alley by two other men. He claimed that he had the money in a wallet inside of his coat.

He said that he was about to send it to the Old Country. While on his way to a place to arrange for sending it he says that he was approached by two men, who induced him to go to another agent, who they said was better. On the way he claims that they took him into an alley and that two other men appeared and took his cash.

His two acquaintances disappeared and later came around to console him for his loss. He pointed them out to the police and they were placed under arrest on suspicion. They gav their names as John Aho and Nestor Saarinen.

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Soo Man Convicted.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Dec. 12.—The jury returned a verdict of manslaughter in the case of Charles Collins, charged with the murder of Edwin Winters. A motion for a new trial was made. The defense asserted Collins shot in self-defense. Winters was proprietor of the West End club and the shooting occurred after a dispute over some money due.

PAYS HIGH COMPLIMENT TO SPALDING HOTEL.

"The Chocolate Soldier" company has departed from Duluth and its members took with them pleasant memories of the Zenith City, which they said had been a delightful host, and Charles A. Moore, the company's manager, took occasion before leaving the city to pay a high compliment to the Spalding hotel, its cuisine and its management.

Mr. Moore has traveled over the old world and the new as manager of E. S. Willard and William H. Crane, and he knows whereof he speaks when he talks of hotels and hotel accommodations. Mr. Moore said that under the management of Edwin H. Lee, the managing director, this hotel ranks with the best to be found anywhere. The geniality of the staff, the pleasant environment enjoyed in the hostelry and the multiple comforts of cafes and apartments won his unqualified approval. He said that nowhere has he seen more charming private dining rooms than the three new ones just opened on the parlor floor, and the Palm room and Flemish room he described as being unusually excellent in their appointments. Mr. Moore said that in the Spalding Duluth has a hotel of which it can and should be proud.

TRAIN HITS COW AND KILLS NEGRO AND DOG.

Mobile, Ala., Dec. 12.—A Louisville & Nashville passenger train out of Mobile struck a cow Saturday and the consequences were unusual and unexpected. The cow was hurled to one side, striking a negro, who was knocked into a puddle of water and drowned. In falling he struck a dog and the life of the canine was snuffed out, too. The cow escoped uninjured.

BANKS ARE PROSPEROUS

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banking system since its creation in 1864. At the same time they were counting nearly $30,000,000 of overdrafts in their assets, a practice which there is no law to stop.

Growth of Banking Power.

Combining all other banks in the United States and its island possession with those of the national system and allowing an estimate for those not reported, it is evident from the comptroller's report that the banking power of the nation has grown in the last ten years from 13,977 of all sorts of banks, with capital of $1,150,900,000 and individual deposits of $7,688,000,000, to more than 27,000 banks with combined capital close to $2,000,000,000 and individual deposits of nearly $16,000,000,000. The deposits have more than doubled in little more than a decade, and in the same time the combined loans and discounts have grown to more than $12,000,000,000.

The volume of business is reflected in reports which have been assembled from 137 clearing house exchanges showing combined clearings of $169,000,000,000 for the year ended on Sept. 30, as against $158,800,000,000 for 1909.

Increase in Business.

With the exceptions of Cincinnati, Ohio.; Houston, Tex.; Greensburg, Pa.; Freemont, Neb.; Franklin, Pa.; Colorado Springs, Col.; and Vicksburg, Miss., the year showed an increased volume of business transacted. The New York Clearing House association represented 60 per cent of the clearings of all associations of the country, and during the current year has reached $102,000,000,000, some $3,000,000,000 greater than in 1909. For these enormous transactions balances of only little more than $4,000,000,000 were used.

Four National Bank Failures.

Four actual national bank failures marked the year. Final settlement of the affairs of eighteen insolvent banks was made in which depositers received nearly 86 per cent. These administrations were made at an average cost of about 5 per cent on the collections.

From the date of the first failure in 1865, 514 national banks have been placed in the hands of receivers and twenty-five of them have been restored to solvency. More than $3,300,000 in dividends was paid to depositors of insolvent banks during the year.

Seems Profitable Business.

On the whole, it appears from the report that national banking, conservatively conducted, is a profitable enterprise. The net earnings of the 7,000 national banks during the year were more than $154,000,000 from which dividends of $105,000,000 were paid at the rate of more than 10 per cent on their capital. The government, too, has profited from the existence of the national associations, for since their beginning it has received more than $202,000,000, of which more than 92 per cent has been for circulation tax on the bank notes they issue.

With the exception of banks which have become insolvent as a result of defalcations or other dishonesty, failures have been almost wholly due to incompetent or reckless management, the report says.

"A large percentage of the banks that have failed should have gone into voluntary liquidation before they reached the conditions which precipitated the failure," says Comptroller Murray.

Weed Out Weak Ones.

The report leaves no room to doubt that it is the intention of the present administration to rid the national banking system of weak banks by guiding them into voluntary liquidation, a combination with stronger institutions wherever possible, or to discontinue business as a last resort where there is no probability other than failure.

National banks, of course, provide the principal market for United States bonds. Their investments in those securities have increased $10,000,000 in the last year, and they now hold $730,000,000 in those bonds, of which approximately $700,000,000 are 2 per cents.

More than half the national banks now in existence have begun business within the last ten years, and they have a combined capital of $280,000,000. The authorized capital has increased $383,000,000 in ten years.

The bank note circulation of the country increased at the same time from $254,000,000 to $713,000,000, and reached the maximum in the history of the institutions in April of this year.

TELLS OF COPPER FLURRY.

Boston, Dec. 12.—Thomas W. Lawson attempted late Saturday to shed light on the rise and fall of Ohio Copper in May, 1909, as bearing on the allegations of F. Augustus Heinze in his suit to recover collateral pledges with A. D. F. Adams of this city, which Heinze claims was sold without his (Heinze's) consent. The case is being heard by F. Rockwood Hall, a master appointed by the supreme court, and has been in progress for nearly two months.

Mr. Lawson said he entered into an agreement with Carlos Warfield, F. Augustus Heinze and James R. Keene regarding the management of a market campaign in Ohio Copper which should enhance the value of the stock from $5 to $8 a share. He said he was assured by Mr. Warfield that the greater part of the stock was closely held and that very little stock would come out during the rise.

Began Buying at $5.

Mr. Lawson said he began purchasing the stock at $5 and continued until it had gone above $8 a share, purchasing and selling in the two weeks of the rise some 80,000 shares. When the stock reached $8 a share, he was led to believe on investigation that Ohio Copper stock, which he had been assured by Warfield and Keene would not be offered, was nevertheless being thrown on the market in large blocks. He ceased his operations on May 26, 1909.

Counsel tried to obtain from Mr. Lawson his idea of the reputation of Mr. Heinze for truth and veracity, but there was objection. He was allowed to say that he had not spoken to Mr. Heinze for eight years.

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This includes beautiful Fox trimmed Hudson Seal Coats, plain Hudson Seal Coats, African Lynx Coats, and one-of-a-kind novelty Fur Coats, including Handsome White Coney Opera Coat---It also includes our extensive line of beautiful dark natural Mink Furs, Fine Black Lynx Furs, Fox Furs, rare Novelty Sets in Marten, Fitch, Ermine, White Fox, Skunk, Natural Coon, Pointed Fox and other rare furs, as well as all of our stock of Medium Priced and Inexpensive Furs, such as Jap Mink, fine black Coyote Wolf, Squirrel, Persian Paw, Australian Lynx, Russian Lynx, etc.

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$12.00 Fur Sets at	$9.00
$25.00 Fur Sets at	$18.75
$40.00 Fur Sets at	$30.00
$60.00 Fur Sets at	$45.00
$80.00 Fur Sets at	$60.00
$120.00 Fur Sets at ..	$90.00
$200.00 Fur Sets at ..	$150.00

Fur Coats

$85.00 Fur Coats at	$72.50	or $68.00
$135.00 Fur Coats at	$114.75	or $108.00
$150.00 Fur Coats at	$127.00	or $120.00
$200.00 Fur Coats at	$170.00	or $160.00
$245.00 Fur Coats at	$208.00	or $196.00
$300.00 Fur Coats at	$255.00	or $240.00
$350.00 Fur Coats at	$297.50	or $280.00

Christmas Sale of Perrin's Gloves

THREE PAIR IN A PRETTY HOLLY BOX FOR CHRISTMAS GIVING.

All of our fine kid and mocha gloves, in all sizes and shades, are included in this sale. Perrin Gloves are gloves that are made for particular hands, and the Gift Gloves that bear the Perrin stamp carry with them the assurance of absolute satisfaction in color, texture, fit and service.

THREE PAIR OF $2.00 GLOVES $5.00

THREE PAIR OF $1.35 GLOVES $3.00

If you do not know the size or color, a glove bond for the amount will entitle the Recipient to three pairs of gloves, according to her own choice.

Negligees Are Very Giveable

Had you considered a cozy Bath Robe, a Dainty Kimono, or Pretty Sacque?

Imported Japanese styles, direct from Yokohoma, designed especially for the Gidding Store—of finest Habutai Silk, exquisitely embroidered in hand-wrought designs. Also Quilted Robes.

Aside from the Imported Styles, we also show a wide and choice collection in fancy Negligees of Chiffon-over-silk, and plain or accordion pleated styles in Jap Silk, Habutai and Satin—also full lines of other Negligees, at $1.50 to $65.00.

Excellent showings of Imported and Domestic Elderdown and Blanket Robes, at $3.50 and up. Children's Bath Robes, $1.50 to $5.75.

Many styles in Dainty White Gift Aprons, in plain and fancy styles, suitable for all uses. Prices, 50c to $3.50.

Furs For the Tiny Miss!

Santa Claus could never guess a gift that would make the little lady more happy than her First Set of Furs!

We are showing a splendid collection of **white** and **colored furs**, suitable for all ages, at $2.50 to $25.00. **Also all manner of Hats, Caps, Tams, Toques, Sweaters and Leggings.**

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Women who appreciate dainty, refined and exclusive styles in Handkerchiefs, have long recognized us as the shop that specializes in that kind. We are now showing a beautiful line of Armenian, Maderian and French embroidered designs, on the finest of French or Irish linens, sold separately, or in boxes of three or six, in assorted or alike designs. Prices, 35¢ and up.

Neckwear

In the Neckwear section it is easy to supply a friend's little every-day need, with a gift that is at once charming, and gladly received. Excellent selections in white, black-and-white, and colored or Persian designs, in Jabots, Collars, Chemisettes and other nifty Neckwear. Prices, 50¢ to $15.00.

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Suitable for Ladies and Gentlemen.

In our collection of novelty Gift Goods, we submit for your consideration, only uncommon and exclusive articles, in carefully selected designs that are hard to get, and are much appreciated by people of refinement.

Traveling Sets, Desk Sets, Desk Clocks, Perpetual Calendars, Ink Stands, Shaving Sets, Pocket Flasks, Traveling Bottles, Sewing Sets, Trump Indicators, Bridge Rolls, Hasty Lines, Picnic Sets, Manicure Sets, Pocket Books, Wallets, etc.

Hand Bags

New and up-to-date styles, in the finest qualities of Fashionable Real Leathers. Large and medium sizes; also many styles in fitted Bags for Traveling and Auto Use. Prices $3.50 to $27.50.

Novelty Gift Jewels

Quaint and unusual designs in fashionable novelty jewels. New fads and fancies picked up from time to time by our people in New York, who are constantly on the alert for **new things** as they appear on Fifth Avenue.

Chain Purses, Chatelain Sets, Vanities, La Valliers, Guard Chains, Brooches, Bracelets, Belt Pins, Hair Ornaments, Bar Pins and other Fashionable Knick-Knacks.

Silk Hosiery

Very Special at $1.25 and $1.50.

McCallum's Guaranteed Silk Hose, in black and all street or evening shades. Each pair in a handsome box, suitable for giving, and always acceptable. **Also Beautiful Designs in Embroidered Silk Hose $2.50 to $10.00.**

Three pairs of Plain or Embroidered Lisle Hose, in a handsome Christmas box, special $1.50.

Christmas Waists

You'd hardly believe it, if we were to mention the number of crisp embroidered linen Waists, in their neat boxes, that are going out of our shirtwaist department from day to day, elected to express the spirit of Friendship and glad Christmas tidings.

The assortments, besides being extensive and varied, are the kind that people are proud to give on account of the refinement and daintiness they express. Prices, $3.75 and up.

Also all manner of beautiful White Silk Crepe Waists, White Marquisette Waists, and Colored Waists, in Chiffon, Taffeta and Messaline. Prices, $5.00 and up.

Hand-Made Muffs

Beautiful styles in Silk and Velvet Muffs, trimmed in Chiffon, Fur and Marabou. Prices, $8.50 and up.

Beautiful Corsage Bouquets, which make appropriate and much appreciated gifts. Prices, $1.00 and up.

All Tailored Suits, All Trimmed Millinery and the Majority of Gowns and Dresses at 1/3 Off!
Also All Cloth and Velvet Coats and Evening Wraps at 1/4 and 1/3 Reductions (Plush Coats Are Not Included)

"The Gidding Corner"
First Avenue West and Superior Street

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—OF—

Sands Van Wagner To Be Closed Out at Once.

Prices are cut as never before. Everything must be sold and quickly. This sale will make your Christmas a merry one if you come in time.

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HIDING FROM THE POLICE

West Duluth Man Conceals Himself Under Pile of Carpets.

Arrested and Given Jail Sentence for Swindling Several Merchants.

Hiding under a pile of old rags and carpets in an attempt to conceal himself from the police, who were searching his father's home with warrants of several months' standing, Clement Clemetson, 28 years old, was apprehended late Saturday evening and this morning was arraigned before Judge J. B. Flack of the local justice court.

He was sentenced to 120 days in the county jail on two counts, each charging petit larceny. On each count, he received a sixty-day sentence. He is the son of Gabriel Clemetson, tent and awning maker of the firm of Clemetson Brothers, and at the time of his arrest was hiding at his father's house, Sixty-first avenue west and Nashua street.

The police learned of his presence in West Duluth and had good reason to believe that he was being concealed by his relatives. When Sergeant Barber and Officers Ek and Peters called at the Clemetson home Saturday evening, his parents denied that he was there. A search, however, revealed young Clemetson hiding in the attic.

Clemetson, say the police, has been working a "con game" among the merchants of West Duluth and the West end. His method is to call his "victim" up on the telephone and represent himself as his father, Gabriel Clemetson, of Clemetson Brothers. He would ask for a loan of a small sum of money to pay a freight bill or to meet some other expense, promising that he would return the money the next day. He would then say that he would send his son down to get the loan.

A short time later he would show up in person and get the loan. The police have a long list of merchants who claim to have been swindled out of small sums of money on the young man's game. His father has settled some of the loans but of late declared that he would not be responsible for the actions of the son.

S. D. Ives, proprietor of the Esmond hotel, last February, and Charles P. Wick, a West Duluth feed dealer, in March, swore out warrants for his arrest, but Clemetson, at the time, could not be found. Later in the summer, he was arrested for forging the name of Clemetson Bros. to a check passed off on Enger & Olson, West end furniture dealers.

On this charge he was bound over, but was never indicted by the grand jury. Later in district court, he pleaded guilty to a charge of petit larceny before Judge Ensign, who sentenced him to forty days in jail, but suspended the sentence. While on parole, he was arrested in Superior for obtaining money under false pretenses from a cloak firm and was given sixty days in the Douglas county jail.

After serving this sentence he evidently started in again at his old game. After fleecing a number of merchants, he successfully evaded arrest until Saturday. Lieut. Wilcox today stated that other warrants on similar charges may be swore out against him after he has served his 120 days.

Clemetson is married, but has not lived with his wife for the past year.

DEATH FOLLOWS LONG ILLNESS

West Duluth Girl Dies as Result of Fall on Sidewalk.

Suffering for over a year from injuries received in a fall on an icy sidewalk at Sixtieth avenue west and Eighth street, while on her way to school on the morning of Nov. 15, 1909, 15-year-old Hilda Mary Johnson of West Duluth died Saturday evening in the city hospital at St. Paul, after a confinement of more than eleven months.

She was the daughter of Carl Johnson of 5915 Nicollet street and attended the Longfellow school. Death is said to have resulted from tuberculosis of the spine, the injuries she received in the fall contributing to it.

The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, with burial at Oneota cemetery.

Her brother, John Williams Johnson, 17 years old, died on Sept. 28 of pulmonary tuberculosis.

WILL BEGIN PLAY FOR TROPHY

Play will be begun tonight in the Esterly event at the West Duluth curling rink, Fifty-seventh avenue west and Bristol street. The Esterly prize is the second of the trophies to be put up this season.

The Hurst event is still unfinished although it is now nearing the finale. Saturday inght, Keyes won from Olson and this evening Macauley will meet Wade's Kids and the winner will be matched against Keyes for a place in the finals against Wade.

Among the first games in the Esterly event which will be played this evening are Olson vs. Method and Holland vs. Zauft.

WILL SOON LET DOCK CONTRACT

The contract for the erection of the main part of the Carnegie Fuel company's dock, at the foot of Fifty-seventh avenue west, will be let about Jan. 1, according to C. F. White of Minneapolis, vice president of the company, who was in the city Saturday.

The dredging work has been begun by the Zenith Dredge company and will be resumed again as soon as the ice goes out in the spring. According to Mr. White, it is expected that the dock will be completed to such an extent that the company can receive coal by the middle of next summer.

Silver Wedding.

Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Keyes of 705 North Fifty-seventh avenue west were surprised by a number of their friends Friday evening in honor of their silver wedding anniversary. Among their guests were: Dr. and Mrs. I. T. Burnside, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Phelps, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Holmes and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Keyes.

Lying On the Track.

Lying in a dangerous position along the tracks of the Northern Pacific railway, Peter Erickson of West Duluth was found by Officer Fred A. Anderson of the local police department. Erickson was drunk and taken to the station where he was booked up. He was arraigned in police court this morning and was given a minimum sentence.

West Duluth Briefs.

If you haven't attended Keefe's Toggery closing out sale, do so now.

See our beautiful Christmas postals—just the box of candy you want among our superb Christmas line. Spencer Pharmacy company.

The Young Ladie' Guild of Holy Apostle's Episcopal church will meet tomorrow evening at the rectory, 104 North Fifty-eighth avenue west. The meeting was to have been held this evening, but was postponed.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Sawyer of 206 South Fifty-ninth avenue west, parents of Adelaide Thurston, the well-known Duluth actress, are both reported to be ill at their home.

The funeral of Mary, 4-month-old daughter of J. O. Hussey of Proctor, who died Saturday, was held this morning from the residence with burial at Calvary cemetery.

Mrs. T. F. Olson of 512 North Fifty-ninth avenue west will entertain the missionary societies of Plymouth Congregational church at her home Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Otto Roble of West Duuth entertained Thursday for a number of her Proctor friends. Among her guests were Mesdames Hatch, Sharp and Asher.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Seby has returned to their home at Ontonagon after spending four weeks with friends at West Duluth.

Mrs. E. D. Abbott of 5609 Grand avenue will entertain the Ladies' Aid Society of Asbury M. E. church at her home Wednesday afternoon.

Mock trial, Victor hall, Friday night, Dec. 16.

Rev. J. A. Krantz, president of the Minnesota conference of Swedish Lutheran churches, left last evening on an inspection trip to the missions established in the western part of the state.

A son was born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cameron of 303 South Fifty-seventh avenue west.

J. B. Gibson of 3801 West Fifth street yesterday has as his guest W. B. Doolittle of Boone, Iowa.

Watch repairing. Hurst, West Duluth.

WITH THE GREAT FLOCKS.

Most of the sheep herders are great readers. There is a big book store in Casper, Wyo., which, instead of returning to the publishers unsold periodicals, sells them to sheep herders at 5 cents each. One of the owners of the store is a sheepman.

There is an attorney practicing law in Cheyenne at present that studied his books while herding sheep. College men have been known to take a profitable post-graduate course on the sheep range, to their ultimate success in life; but the general run of sheep herders doesn't average up very well.

It is the illiterate sheep herders that go crazy, says Everybody's. In the sheep country sheepmen will tell you that herders do not go crazy, and that there is nothing more elevating than association with sheep, or more broadening than life upon the range. Peculiarities generally are not marked there. It is noticeable in Wyoming, for example, that most men draw the upper lip back from the teeth, exposing them, rabbit fashion—a habit doubtless due to the strong white light upon the vast stretches of treeless land. They go grinning along through mirth and tragedy alike, and the white plain grins back at them, nobody counting it peculiar because it is common.

Read The HeraldWants

J. GRUESEN
RELIABLE JEWELER.
Corner Third Avenue West and First Street.
Opposite Wolvin Building.

Entire Line of Dresses on Sale!

(None reserved.)

ALL
Dresses up to $25 ________ $15
Dresses up to $35 ________ $25
Dresses up to $42.50 ________ $29.50
Dresses up to $57.50 ________ $35

All higher priced models at proportionate reductions.

All Evening Coats ¼ Off

From a simple cape of Broadcloth at $19.50 to the finest Paris models—None Reserved.
There are **Satin** and **Panne Velvet Combinations** trimmed with skunk.
Silk Velvets with collars of otter.
Chiffon Broadcloths redolent with imported trimmings and jewels.
Military Effects for the young miss as well as staple full sweep
Broadcloth Coats in pastel shades.

A Waist Occasion

that offers superfine **Chiffon and Messaline Waists**—way "under halved prices."

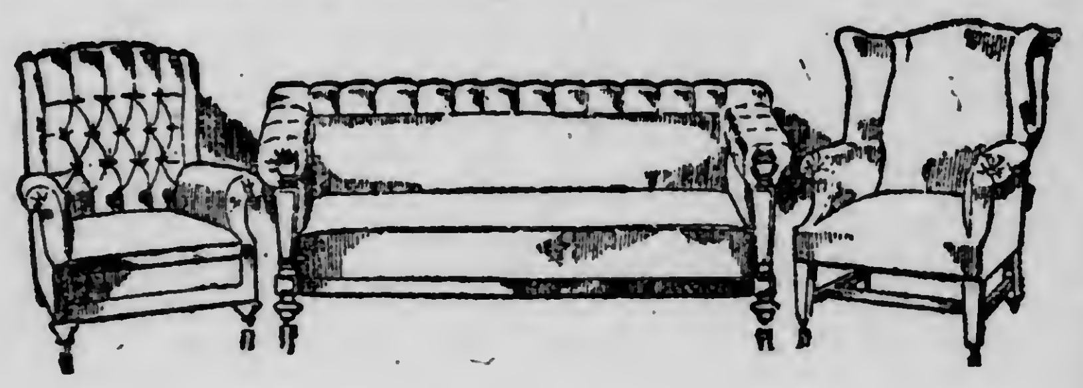
Every Suit in the House ½ Price
(Except Custom Mades.)

OUR SUITS—**mostly blacks and blues** and only in the department since November first.
No lay-bys—no approvals—no exchanges.
The assemblage IS freshly new—not one "sale suit" in the store.

Because of extraordinary reductions—this sale will be for cash only.

We decided to give our clients the benefit of after-Christmas sales NOW—instead of later—to put it within their grasp to give intensely practical gifts this year.

Silberstein & Bondy Co.



Why Don't You Buy That New Chair or Davenport For Christmas?

If you could only see the **hundreds** of different styles and handsome patterns in easy chairs and comfortable davenports—you could easily select one for Christmas. It would be a practical, permanent, useful gift. Why not come in and look around?

The soft, luxurious English upholstered pieces, where every inch of the chair seems to fit you to the more prim and stately old New England Colonials—among the lot you'll find English fireside chairs, large wide arm Colonial designs, high and low backed chairs, hall and desk chairs, Reedcraft chairs in tapestry or leather, Craftsman rockers made of solid oak in Gustave Stickley's workshops—priced as low as **$4.75.**

Christmas is a good time to make real practical gifts—furniture is always first in that class—and French & Bassett's store has a wonderful array of the kind of furniture **you** want in **your** home. It has style, quality, and is made by the world's best makers.

Christmas deliveries will be promptly and accurately made. Come in and see if you don't find what you want here.

French & Bassett
DULUTH, MINN.

Stove Sale

We still have a number of heaters left and are selling them at the greatest snaps ever offered in high-grade stoves. Every stove we sell has our unlimited guarantee of satisfaction. We are exclusive agents for the

Radiant Home

Stoves in Duluth and vicinity. A **Radiant Home** soon **pays for itself** in fuel saved. Now is the time to get one. Don't delay if you want to take advantage of this sale.

See our **Malleable** Ranges at **$56.00.**

F. H. WADE
329-331 Central Avenue.
Both Phones.

Use Red Cross ALBENBERG'S *Christmas Seals*

Women appreciate some dainty articles of Dress, such as Neckwear, Gloves, Hose, Handkerchiefs, Scarfs, Veils or Silk Underwear.

The Safest Place to buy these things is at a store devoted exclusively to the sale of such articles.

This Circle Tells an Interesting Story

Our Entire Line of Ladies' Tailored Cloth Suits Half Price

All Trimmed Hats for Ladies

Nothing Reserved

No More Sensible Gifts Than These

In Buying sensible gifts you not only give wisely, but well. Our store is filled with just such gifts. Stocks are now at their best.

We Invite you to come in and "shop" to your heart's content. Courteous salespeople will do their best to make you feel welcome.

The Seals Are— ALBENBERG'S *—On Sale Here*

DEFECTIVE PAGE

DESERTION ON DECREASE

Judges and County Attorney Are Solving a Difficult Problem.

Reducing the Number of Men Who Desert Their Families.

County Attorney John H. Norton is hot after those who are deserting their wives and babies.

For some time the wife desertion problem has been the biggest problem that has confronted the local district court judges and the county attorneys.

The number of cases that are brought into court is small compared with the number of men who are caught and threatened. In almost every instance, the prisoner, is glad to promise to go back to his family and provide for them rather than spend an indefinite time in prison.

Mr. Norton and the local judges figure that if a man can be made to care for his family, he is of more use outside the prison than he is in. Now and then an example is made of a man and the example is held up for others.

After they are given a chance to go back they are watched and on the first false move, they are placed promptly in jail and no more mercy is shown.

The plan is working out well. Upon complaint the party wanted is looked up, found, and given his choice of providing for his family or going to jail.

In almost every instance he chooses to provide.

The county attorney's office and the local judges are working together on the family desertion problem and there is less desertion in the county at the present time than there has been in some months past.

NEW MATERIAL MAY BE USED

Board Considers Sprinkling With Calcium Bichloride Instead of Water.

The first hearing on sprinkling assessments at the office of the board of public works this morning developed a strong sentiment in favor of treating the streets with calcium bichloride instead of sprinkling them with water. R. E. Patterson has investigated the matter, and states that it will save about 35 per cent of the cost, or more. He figures that the cost per lot under the new method would be about $1.75 to $1.70 per lot. The first experiments with the bichloride were made in Duluth last year, and it is stated that excellent results have been obtained in keeping down the dust.

NEW YEAR'S BALL BY SHRINERS

Dinner and Dance Will Be Held at the Spalding.

New Year's eve at the Spalding hotel the Shriners of Aad temple will entertain at a dinner and ball.

It is planned to make this an annual event. The women, it is understood, have begun to think that the Shriners have been giving too many "stag" affairs.

Just to show the members of the fair sex that their society is appreciated, the Shriners have planned this particular party, and with the idea in mind of following it with an event of like nature at the same time each year.

The dinner will be at 6:30 and there will be dancing from 9 until 12. The affair is given under the auspices of the patrol, and they plan to make it a very enjoyable event.

It will be only for members of the Shrine.

KEYS KEPT AT ALARM BOXES

Call Boxes May Be Readily Opened By Breaking Thin Glass.

Under the supervision of Chief Joseph Randall and the board of fire commissioners, the fire department is changing its system of keeping keys for the different alarm boxes in the city. In the past they have been in different houses near the boxes and it was difficult to get them in hurry cases. At night it was practically impossible.

The keys are now being hung in little glass cases on the boxes. They can be grabbed in a minute by smashing the thin glass. Some trouble is being had with persons who wilfully break these glasses. Two extra men are being detailed to put a stop to the practice. Efforts will be made to catch those who destroy these glass cases and if they are convicted the punishment meted out will be as extreme as the court can make it.

The change in the key system is meeting with general approval as it is a big improvement and an added protection to the property of the city.

CHILDLIKE IGNORANCE.

Los Angeles Times: Laura Jean Libbey, discussing in Brooklyn her successful appearance on the stage, said:

"I talk in my monologue about love, marriage and the other interests of the heart. On these subjects women, especially young women, are strangely ignorant.

"They really make me think, you know, of the little girl who was asked by her teacher:

"'What can you tell us about Solomon?'

"'Solomon,' replied the little girl, 'was very fond of animals.'

"'And how, my dear,' said the teacher, 'do you make that out?'

"'Because,' answered the little girl, 'the Bible says he had 500 porcupines.'"

Do Your Christmas Shopping Now!

11 More Shopping Days.

For a "Sure and Sane" Christmas do your gift-buying now.

One reason so many Christmas presents are misfit, is because they are thought of impulsively and purchased in a hurry without one thought of individual preference of the one for whom the gift is bought. Leisurely and intelligent choosing done now will benefit every one you are to remember with gifts. And if elbow room is in your list of comforts, you'll enjoy shopping now much more than later. And those who serve you behind the counters will be thankful to you for doing all you can to lighten the stress of holiday rush. Naturally our stock of holiday goods are at their best.

Suggestions in Jewelry

Beautiful Hat Pins, 25c to $5.00.
Sash and Belt Pins, 25c to $5.00.
Jabot and Scarf Pins, 25c to $7.50.
Solid Gold Signet Rings, $1.00 to $7.50.
Watch Fobs, from 75c to $6.80.
Lockets and Chains, from $1.00 to $5.00.
Beautiful Bracelets, $3.50 to $8.50.
Gold Cuff Links, $1.25 to $7.50.

Freimuth's
Silk Headquarters at the Head of the Lakes.
LAKE AVENUE, MICHIGAN AND SUPERIOR STREETS.

Shirt Waist and Skirt Boxes

The practicability of Shirt Waist and Shirt Boxes, coupled with their artistic and pleasing designs, will influence many to wisely select them for gifts for the home.

Cedar Chests from $11.00 up to $22.50.
Matting Covered Boxes from $2.25 to $10.

The Sale of Fancy Linens

Offers rich opportunities for those who have gifts to buy. The collection includes thousands of pieces at an average saving from a

1/4 to 1/2 Less Than Regular Price

Center Pieces, Stand Covers, Scarfs, Doylies, etc., in Cluny, Florentine lace; Maderia, Lady Aberdeen, Japanese Drawn Work, Battenberg, etc.; on sale at One-Fourth to One-Half below regular value.

Gloves Are Practical Gifts

Gloves always make acceptable Christmas gifts, and one that's always appreciated. If you are not sure of the size, buy a glove bond and the recipient my select her own color and size. It's really the best way to give gloves. We have a splendid line of gloves and mittens for women and children at lowest prices.

Women's Cape Gloves for street wear, in the new tans, at...... $1.00

Fine French Kid — For dress wear; priced at $1.25 and...... $1.00

Trefonse French Kid Gloves $2.00

Genuine French Kid, with P. K. seams; new, fancy stitched back, in all colors, tan, buff, navy, green, red and black; a very dressy glove; at $2.00.

Silk Lined Gloves — In cape and mocha, at $1.25, $1.50 and up.

Full Line of Children's Warm Mittens—From 50c and up.

Beautiful Trimmed Hats at 1/3 Off

Today we placed on sale practically our entire stock of exquisite Trimmed Hats at one-third off. All the newest conceptions in street and dress hats.

Every hat a beautiful model, small, medium, and large shapes, all beautifully trimmed in a distinctive way, possessing individual style character — choose the hat you like, pay one-third less than marked price.

200 Japanese China Plates

Reg. 25c Value at 12½c

The best value in fine Japanese Plates we've ever been able to offer. A half dozen or dozen of these plates would make an excellent Christmas gift.

Two hundred on sale tomorrow from 8 to 11 at each 12½c instead of 25c.

Toys Here by the Thousands

Every Toy known is here. The largest display of instructive toys that were ever shown, and thousands of them.

These Specials for the Morning, 8 to 11 Only

200 Child's Blackboards—Selling regularly at 15c, special tomorrow from 8 to 11, at...... 9c

Jolly Mr. Jegger—A very funny toy; a regular $1.00 article, special from 8 to 11, at each...... 59c

50 Doll Houses — Nicely painted; regularly selling for $1.50, special tomorrow from 8 to 11, at only...... 98c

Toy Shirtwaist Boxes — Fancy cretone covering; regular 50c value, special tomorrow from 8 to 11, at only...... 29c

Positively no phone orders on any of these specials.

50-Doz. Japanese Cups and Saucers

Reg. 25c Value at 10c

Tomorrow we place on sale 50 dozen fine Japanese Cups and Saucers; blue and white decorations; regular price 25c, special at each 10c.

Limit One Dozen to a Customer.

FREE!

A Beautiful $400 Smith & Barnes Piano to the Most Popular Stenographer

WHO IS SHE?

That's the question all Duluth is asking. So get busy girls—all of you—and corner all the votes you can. You all have an equal chance—so don't get discouraged.

This surely is the chance of your life—think of getting a $400 Piano for a few days' work during your spare time.

But Remember! Only two days are left to get in your votes if you want them counted. SO HURRY!

The winner can choose any $400 Smith & Barnes Piano in our store. We have several styles to select from.

Kindly get all your votes in as soon as you possibly can.

We wish you all success.

DULUTH MUSIC CO.
30 EAST SUPERIOR STREET.

Piano Manufacturers' Representatives.

SUPERIOR

FIREMEN RESCUE MOTHER AND BABY

Saturday Evening Blaze on Thirteenth Street Has Dramatic Features.

Firemen made a sensational rescue at a blaze caused by a lamp explosion early Saturday evening at the home of C. A. Lindquist, 1413 Thirteenth street, when they carried Mrs. George Waseen and her infant child from the second story of the house through an upper window to safety.

Escape, except through the window was cut off. The mother and child came out of the experience without injury. The Lindquist family, who lived downstairs, lost all of their household goods. The flames did but little damage to the upstairs. The damage is placed at $1,000 with no insurance.

SAYS SHE TOOK WRONG MEDICINE

East End Woman Gets Her Bottles Mixed and Is Poisoned.

Mistaking a medicine intended for external use for that to be taken internally nearly cost Mrs. John Schultz of 151 West Third street, Superior, her life today.

She was taken violently ill and was removed to St. Frances hospital at the East end, where, at a late hour this afternoon, it is stated that she will probably recover.

Mrs. Schultz claims that she got the bottles of medicine mixed and says that she took a large dose of the wrong medicine.

TO DECIDE ON BRIDGE.

Nemadji Structure Main Topic for Councilmen Tuesday Night.

The Nemadji bridge matter will be up before the council tomorrow evening.

Friday, at the special election on the bond issue, the proposition to spend $90,000 for a steel bridge was turned down by the voters and the councilmen will now take other steps to secure a bridge.

The mayor and some of the councilmen favor a creosoted timber structure, which will last from fifteen to twenty-five years, with but few repairs. The cost would be about $35,000.

SUICIDAL ATTEMPTS IS THWARTED BY FRIENDS.

Verni Koski, a Finnish laborer, attempted to take his life by swallowing poisonous tablets at his room, 407 Tower avenue, last evening. His act was discovered and a physician sent for. He was taken first to the police station and then was sent to the hospital. It is expected that he will recover.

LOCAL SOCIALISTS MAKE CHOICE FOR COMMITTEE.

Local members of the Socialist Democratic party met yesterday afternoon and nominated two national committeemen for Wisconsin besides the members of the state's executive board.

Victor L. Berger of Milwaukee and W. A. Jacobs of Racine were the choice of the local party members for the national committee. Among those named for the state executive board were H. M. Parks of Superior, the only public office holder in the city from the ranks of the Socialists. He is supervisor from the Fourth ward.

BLAINE GRADS LOOKING FOR BASKET BALL GAMES.

Manager Tony Lavell of the Blaine Alumni basket ball team announces that the line-up of the high school grads is practically decided upon and syas that he is looking for games with the fastest that Duluth and Superior have to offer. A. Buchanan, Otto Zeaman, Will Bradley, Dan Long, H. Buchanan, Peterson and Nord are among those who will play with the Alumni quintet this year.

Case May Be Dropped.

Mrs. Jennie Phillips, complainant in the case against Earl Childs, proprietor of the Childs hotel, Tower avenue and North Third street, in which Childs is charged with having obtained $1,250 from her under false pretenses, probably will not press the charges against Childs. It is understood that the hotel man has brought about a settlement with her, whereby she will recover the amount claimed to be due.

Condemn for Park.

Condemnations proceedings have been started by the city for acquiring for park purposes a block in the Third ward bounded by Baxter and Grand avenue and Seventh and Eighth streets. A hearing was held Saturday, testimony being taken in the superior court. The matter will be taken up again this afternoon and an agreement will be reached as to valuations.

Foundry Closed Down.

The foundry of the United States Cast Iron & Pipe Foundry has closed down temporarily for repair work. It is expected that the work will be completed by Jan. 15 and that the Billings Park plant will again resume operations. Of the 115 men employed at the foundry about fifty have been kept for the repair work.

Burglars Make Haul.

Burglars entered Russell Bros. store, Tower avenue and Twelfth street, early yesterday morning and stole about $75 worth of fountain pens, optical goods, etc., besides $15 in cash. Entrance to the store was gained through a window.

The store that takes a lot of pains to make its advertising serviceable to you has earned your favor and interest.

"I'm Just Crazy About You."

Latest song hit by Duluth composer, for sale at Ingvald Westgaard's. Hear it played and get a copy.

Read The HeraldWants

Christmas Flowers

We will be headquarters for everything in our line.

Cut Flowers

American Beauties, Roses, Carnations, Poinsettias, Violets, Orchids, Lily of the Valley, Hyacinths, Tulips, Narcissus, Sweet Peas, etc. Prices right—less than elsewhere.

Plants

Azaleas, Cyclamen, Poinsettia, Primroses, Begonias, Hyacinths, Tulips, Narcissus, Lily of the Valley, Palms, Ferns, etc.

These make the finest of gifts. Select these early. We will deliver when you wish.

Decorations

Holly Wreathing, Wreaths, Mistletoe, Wild Smilax, Ferns—everything.

ASK FOR PRICE LIST.

W. W. Seekins, Florist
302 to 306 East Superior Street

PREPARED FOR DEATH

Laborer Pays Debts, Takes Bath and Cuts His Throat.

John Anderson, a laborer, carefully prepared himself for the next world last night, before he committed suicide by slashing his throat from ear to ear with a razor in the lodging house at 537 Garfield avenue.

Before ending his life he took a bath, shaved himself, and paid an old board bill to the landlady with whom he had been staying. It was stated this morning that he had been almost continuously drunk for the last eighteen months and had become despondent.

Anderson told the landlady before he went to his room, that he was going to kill himself, but she paid no attention to him, not thinking that he was in earnest. When he failed to appear this morning she went to his room and found the body lying on the bed, with the bloody razor beside it.

Dr. J. A. McCuen, county coroner, was notified and he deputized Dr. F. F. Clark to take charge of the remains, which were taken to the undertaking rooms of J. L. Crawford. Dr. Clark will make a post mortem examination at the morgue this afternoon.

The authorities have comparatively little information about Anderson. He has been in Duluth several years and up to a week ago stayed at the rooming house in which he committed suicide. He had some trouble with the landlady about a week ago and she asked him to move. It appears that he owed her for about five months' board and he gave her a note for the amount due last night. It is said that he had several hundred dollars in a local bank. No funeral arrangements have been made.

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GREAT TRAINING FEATS.

Feats in the training of trotters for the purpose of winning certain races are told around the stove in training stables during the winter, but according to the American Magazine, the three that stand out from all the others having to do with present-day horses are:

1. Taking Native Belle, an unbroken 2-year-old trotter, in March and so training her that in the September following she equalled the race record for her age, a mile in 2 minutes 12¼ seconds, and ten days later reduced it to 2:07¾, an unprecedented rate of speed for a 2-year-old. This was done by Thomas W. Murphy of Long Island, N. Y., a slim young Irishman who, after years of experience, is now near the top in his chosen business.

2. Taking the Harvester, an unbroken 3-year-old stallion, in February, and so developing his speed, conditioning him to carry it, and transforming him from an exceedingly unruly horse into one of such perfect deportment that he was able, six months after his training was begun, to stamp himself a triple Futurity winner without the loss of a single heat, a distinction attained by no other colt. This was done by Edward F. Geers, a native of Tennessee, the best known horseman in America. Geers is now nearly 60 years old.

3. Taking Miss Stokes, an unbroken yearling trotting filly, in March, and in October driving her a mile in 2:19¼, the best previous record for the age being 2:23. This was done by Edward Willis, a negro, who is recognized as a wonder-worker with baby trotters.

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HER REASONS.

Chicago News: "I have only a minute to stay, Mrs. Wagstaff, so I won't sit down," said Mrs. Cumback hurriedly. "I just ran over to tell you that the Wiggleshaws are moving into the house next door to us. For years I've been praying that that calamity might be averted. Oh, those Wiggleshaws!"

"Why, I always supposed they were nice people," replied Mrs. Wagstaff. "They seem to have a good reputation in the neighborhood."

"Oh, yes, they pay their bills and wear good clothes, and I don't suppose they ever have been indicted by the grand jury, but people may have a good reputation in a general way and still be atrocious neighbors, and I just feel it in my bones that Mrs. Wiggleshaw and I won't get on together. She's one of these horribly superior women. She has a way of looking at you that makes you feel that your life has been misspent. She belings to my club, and a while ago I was requested by the president to prepare a paper on the Newfoundland fisheries and read it at the next meeting.

"I think it was a silly subject to begin with, but the president always said that women never would make any true progress until they took an interest in topics of international importance. Well, I didn't know any more about the Newfoundland fisheries than you know about pingpong in Cochin China, but we had an old set of encyclopedias at home, and I spent the next two weeks reading them. Oh, I read about fisheries until my head ached, and when I went to sleep at night, I dreamed I was a codfish or a red herring or a goldfish swimming around in a glass tank. I don't believe that Shakespeare worked any harder writing his 'Paradise Lost' than I worked, getting up that paper on the Newfoundland fisheries, and when I stood up to read it I felt as though I had accomplished something worth while.

"Well, all the time I was reading that Mrs. Wiggleshaw sat opposite glaring at me in a fishy way and making note in a little book, like a lawyer in court when he's cross-examining the judge or the jury, and it made me so nervous that I felt as though I would fly to pieces. And when I was done and the women were congratulating me Mrs. Wiggleshaw stood up and said that while she was sorry to criticise a paper prepared by a member of the club, she felt it her duty to remark that my article was one tissue of misstatements. 'It is evident,' said that abominable woman, 'that Mrs. Cumback has derived her information from some old, cheap encylopedia that was got up to sell by mercenary publishers. Too many clubwomen depend upon the cheap enciclopedia. We have in our library,' she said, 'a set that cost $100. It comprises twenty volumes, all bound in Russia leather, and beautifully illustrated. The information it gives is up-to-date and reliable, as it is edited by Vice President Sherman and President Hadley and other illustrious men, who would not permit erroneous statements to appear in its pages. I have read up on the Newfoundland fisheries in this splendid work,' she went on, 'and I am sorry to say that Mrs. Cumback's paper is absurd.'

"I am not a woman to be imposed upon, Mrs. Wagstaff, and I stood up and said that I'd rather get my information from an encyclopedia that is paid for than look for facts in a showy, gingerbread set of books bought on the installment plan and the agent coming to the door every week and making a fuss to get his money. Then Mrs. Wiggleshaw said she'd rather owe money on a set of instructive books edited by such men as Vice President Sherman and President Hadley than to be in debt for a rickety, tin-panny piano that kept the whole neighborhood on edge, and I replied that if we did owe a little on our piano we had too much pride to move from one house to another every month or two to avoid paying the rent, and then the president interfered and declared the meeting adjournd. So now, you know what sort of woman Mrs. Wiggleshaw is, and you can't blame me for hating to see her in the next house."

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STINGING.

Los Angeles Times: Mrs. Philip Van Volkenberg, in a recent interview, said at Newport:

"Yes, it is true that the witty French press before my marriage called me 'as rich as Croesus, as beautiful as Venus, and as innocent as Dreyfus.'"

She smiled.

"But I paid no attention," she said. "The remark wasn't ill-meant. It hadn't the sting of a remark made the other day here.

"'Is it true,' said one lady to another at the Casino, "that at your dance last night you were the only sober person present?'

"'No; of course not,' was the indignant reply.

"'Who was then?' said the first lady blandly."

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With store advertising so effective that every copy of this newspaper becomes a salesman for you, you'll find that business continues to improve—to the verge of your capacity to handle it.

Unrestricted Choice of All Women's Tailored Suits at Half Price!

AND now comes the REAL Suit Sale—the important apparel event of the entire year—a clearance of most stylish and dependable garments at HALF PRICE. For weeks various stores about town have been offering their suits at ¼ to ⅓ off, but in the comparison of values by shrewd shoppers our suits have held their own at regular prices. Although it is early for clearance, we have determined to keep well in the lead of the bargain procession and so offer every suit in the house at just half its regular marked price.

No limitations in this sale; no subterfuge such as garment manufacturers dictating prices certain garments are to be sold at, (fact is we never heard of such a thing); no cash restriction—goods charged same as if sold at regular price. It's just a big, timely, generous clearance—the biggest Duluth has yet witnessed—and offers—

All reg. $65.00 Tailored Suits **$32.50**
All reg. $55.00 Tailored Suits **$27.50**
All reg. $47.50 Tailored Suits **$23.75**
All reg. $44.50 Tailored Suits **$22.25**
All reg. $39.50 Tailored Suits **$19.75**
All reg. $37.50 Tailored Suits **$18.75**
All reg. $34.50 Tailored Suits **$17.25**
All reg. $32.50 Tailored Suits **$16.25**
All reg. $29.50 Tailored Suits **$14.75**
All reg. $27.50 Tailored Suits **$13.75**
All reg. $25.00 Tailored Suits **$12.50**
All reg. $22.50 Tailored Suits **$11.25**
All reg. $19.50 Tailored Suits **$9.75**

All Juniors' and Children's Cloth Coats at Half Price!

THE gladsome news spreads to the children's coat stocks, so complete and so desirable. These stylish garments come from makers who specialize in children's apparel, and every coat is correctly proportioned to youthful figures. Most popular materials are represented, highest workmanship and style individuality both parent and child delight in. The table of values in their halved state follow;

Children's Coats; Sizes 3 to 6 and 6 to 14.

Regular $18.50 values now ...**$9.25**
Regular $14.50 values now ...**$7.25**
Regular $9.98 values now ...**$4.99**
Regular $6.50 values now ...**$3.25**
Regular $3.98 values now ...**$1.99**
Regular $16.50 values now ...**$8.25**
Regular $12.50 values now ...**$6.25**
Regular $8.50 values now ...**$4.25**
Regular $7.50 values now ...**$3.25**
Regular $5.98 values now ...**$2.99**

Junior Coats; Sizes 13-15-17

Regular $25.00 values now ..**$12.50**
Regular $16.50 values now ...**$8.25**
Regular $14.50 values now ...**$7.25**
Regular $12.50 values now ...**$6.25**
Regular $18.50 values now ...**$9.25**
Regular $14.98 values now ...**$7.49**
Regular $13.50 values now ...**$6.75**
Regualr $9.98 values now ...**$4.99**

Important Sale of Plain and Fancy Silks, $1 to $1.50 Values at 69c

HERE is a timely silk sale of the first magnitude, offering plain and fancy patterns, at more than half under value. A prominent silk jobber, with almost 5,000 yards of choicest designs in the most dependable fabrics, sold them to us at less than the actual cost to manufacture, because they were part pieces and ends. The lot includes—

Plain Taffetas,
Plain Bengalines,
Changeable Taffetas,
Fancy Messalines,
Crepe de Chines,
Black Corded
Louisines,
Fancy Checked
Persians and Plaids,
Yard Wide Pongees.

These in light and dark shades, lengths varying from short pieces for fancy work up to full waits and dress patterns. If sold in the regular way, these silks would be good values at $1, $1.25 and even $1.50. Tuesday we offer the entire lot at, per yard.............. **69c**

Here's a good chance to make gift money do more than double duty.

Appropriate Cut Glass Suggestions

THESE are gifts that delight discriminating women, provided, of course, the quality is up to what we offer. Stocks are now at their best; leisurely and satisfactory selection may be made tomorrow from—

Cut Glass Bowls: Rich and deep cutting, highly polished, 8-inch size, at **$3.95** and up to **$12.95.**

Cream and Sugar Sets: Pretty new shapes of splendidly cut glass, footed and unfooted, several new cuttings; priced from **$2.98** to **$6.50.**

Salts and Peppers: Beautifully hand painted china, rich colorings and wide variety of designs, pair **$2.25.**

Cream and Sugar Sets: Translucent china, very pretty decorations, ranging from, set **$1.10** to **$8.95.**

Linens—Plain and Embroidered

LINENS like these will please women every time. Some like plain ones, and some elaborately embroidered; both tastes may be easily suited from the extensive showing we have arranged for tomorrow.

Bed Spreads: Beautifully hand embroidered upon Irish linen, most artistic needlework, full size, with bolster cover to match, at, each, **$13.50 to $25.**

Fancy Huck Towels: Our own exclusive designs, special monogram effects, spoke, hemstitched or scalloped edge, priced from **59c** to **$1.50.**

Guest Towels: Of plain huck and bird's-eye linen, hemstitched or scalloped edge, priced at **25c, 35c** and **50c.**

Pillow Cases: Hand embroidered, with scalloped edge or spoke hemstitched; splendid examples of Irish needlework, priced at **$2.98, $4.50** to **$5.50.**

Battenberg Novelties: Scarfs, doilies, centerpieces, squares and fancy drawnwork Battenberg lace novelties; priced at **59c, 75c, $1.25** to **$1.98.**

Cluny Lace Doilies: Finest French convent hand-made linen lace, also centerpieces; wide variety of styles, sizes 4 to 72 inches; priced at **25c** to **$30.**

Mexican Drawnwork: Also Japaneses, including scarfs, squares and fancy pieces, from best all-pure linen; sizes 24-inch, 30-inch and 36-inch; special at **75c** to **$6.**

Stirring Bargains for Those Who Will Shop From 8 to 10 o'Clock

INTEREST in the early morning sales augments. This morning, throngs of shoppers waxed enthusiastical over the various special bargains offered. Equally as great interest will be shown in the following Tuesday morning.

Misses' aud Boys' Scarfs 15c

Double and tubular wool scarfs, just the thing for skating, skiing, snowshoeing, etc.; worth up to 50c each, selling from 8 to 10 Tuesday, at.................. **15c**

Limit Four Scarfs to a Customer.

Fresh Stock Goldfish 5c Each

Saturday's express brought us a shipment of 1,000 gold fish. Tuesday morning we will place on sale half the lot, from 8 to 10 o'clock, at each............. **5c**

Limit Six to Each Customer.

$1.50 Doll Buggies, special 85c

Collapsible doll buggies, all steel frame and gear, leather trimmed, one motion folding, holds 24-inch doll; sold regularly at $1.50, 8 to 10, special at... **85c**

Limit One to Each Customer.

$1 Military Brushes 59c pair

Black back brushes, with good bristle, sterling silver mounted; put up two in an individual box; regular $1 values, 8 to 10, special, at pair.......... **59c**

Limit One Pair to Customer.

Women's Wool Mitts, 2 pr. 25c

Women's wool mitts (double ones) fancy dot back, good, heavy and warm; regular 25c values, from 8 to 10 o'clock, special at, pair 13c, two pairs....... **25c**

Limit Four Pairs to Customer.

50c Books for Young and Old 15c

The popular Magnolia Library Edition, 500 titles in this lot, publishers' price of which is 50c, special 8 to 10 o'clock at...................... **15c**

Limit Two Books to Customer.

Cups and Saucers Half Price

Good quality cups and saucers, pretty floral decoration, full tinted blue or green; regular 25c values, offered while 300 last at two for................ **25c**

Limit Four to the Customer.

Men's 50c Wool Mitten's 25c

Men's heavy woolen mittens, color, black; fleece lined; worth regularly 50c per pair, special from 8 to 10 o'clock (**Limit Two Pairs to Customer.**) at.............. **25c**

Every Trimmed Hat in the House at Half Price!

CONSTERNATION in millinery circles will surely follow this announcement. . The Glass Block never does things by half. When we announce a sale there are no "strings tied to it"; choicest merchandise is not excluded; conditions so elastic as to exclude desirable things are abscinded; prices are not marked up specially for the sale, reductions are bona fide.

This millinery sale embraces every trimmed hat in our entire stock. Fur turbans, fur trimmed hats, plume trimmed hats, pattern hats, children's hats and mid-winter styles just from the deft hands of our artistic designers enter into this remarkable clearance with prices cut in twain. A hasty survey of the lot shows hats whose—

Regular prices were $80, now marked.............................$40.00
Regular prices were $75, now marked.............................$37.50
Regular prices were $65, now marked.............................$32.50
Regular prices were $60, now marked.............................$30.00
Regular prices were $50, now marked.............................$25.00
Regular prices were $40, now marked.............................$20.00
Regular prices were $25, now marked.............................$12.50
Regular prices were $20, now marked.............................$10.00
Regular prices were $15, now marked.............................$ 7.50
Regular prices were $10, now marked.............................$ 5.00
Regular prices were $ 5, now marked.............................$ 2.50

Here Is Appropriate Gift Jewelry

OUR showing of Christmas Jewelry is a revelation. It is entirely devoid of cheap trinkets; only practical items of genuine worth have found space in this growing department. True enough, prices sound as though goods were inferior, but we'll abide by your decision after careful examination. Worthy of special notice are—

Picture Frames—Solid silver frames, round, oval and square shapes, priced from **50c to $12.75.**

Plated ones in sterling silver from **35c to $7.98.**

Lorgnette Cases—of solid silver, pretty designs, at **$5.75 to $12.**

Solid Silver Eye Glass Cases at $7.50.

Silver Mesh Bags—Plain and fancy models, kid lined, from **$1.50 to $10.**

Bead Necklaces—Selected colored stone beads of rare beauty, priced **$2.50 to $4.25.**

Bar Pins—Solid gold pins, plain and fancy designs, at **$1.39 to $2.50.**

Barrettes—Pure gold inlaid styles of unique design, price range from **$2.25 to $7.50.**

Stick Pins—Real cameo settings, various sizes, beautiful designs, **$3.75 to $6.50.**

La Vallieres — Platinoid and gold filled, various stone settings, **$1.98 to $4.50.**

Any article purchased in our Jewelry dept. **ENGRAVED FREE,** if desired.

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IT IS "Joyland" to the little folks and a place of no little interest to "grown-ups." "Unbounded interest is manifast in its great displays of—

Picture Books, 15c to 98c.
Alphabet Blocks, 10c to 98c.
Painting Outfits, 10c to $2.98.
Ice Skates, 69c to $3.75.
Magic Lanterns, 25c to $15.
Mirroscope, $2.98 to $9.95.
Footballs, $1 to $5.
Punching Bags, $1.48 to $2.25.
Railroad Trains, 25c to $14.98.
Humpty Dumpty Circus, 48c to $6.50.
Tool Chests, 25c to $6.50.
Pop and Air Guns, 10c to $1.48.
Drums, 25c to $1.95.
Steam Engines, 25c to $9.50.
Iron Banks, 10c to 48c.
Tin Dishes, 10c to 75c.
Rubber Babies, 25c to 98c.
Rubber Animals, 25c to 75c.
Enameled Kitchen and Tea Sets, 25c to $4.25.
China Tea Sets, 25c to $6.25.
Toy Furniture, 25c to $1.75.
Brass Beds, 25c to $1.25.
Doll Furniture, including chairs, dressers, tables and cabinets—25c to $3.95.
Cash Registers, 75c to $1.25.
Iron Trains, 25c to $2.48.
Fire Engines, 25c to $3.25.
Noah's Ark, 10c to $4.95.
Tubaphone, 25c to $2.48.
Rolly Polly, 10c to $1.25.
Hay Wagon, 10c to 48c.
Boys' Equipments, 98c.
Skis, per pair, 98c to $2.89.
Grind Organs, 25c to $2.48.
Mechanical Toys, 10c to $2.98.
Wooden Soldiers, each 5c and 10c.
Armies, metal soldiers, 48c and 98c.
Rocking Horses, $4.25 to $9.75.
Flexible Flyer, $2.48 and $2.98.
Carrom Boards, $1.48 to $4.95.
Toy Pianos, 25c to $3.25.
Doll Trunks, 25c to $2.25.
Doll Cradles, collapsible, 25c to 48c.
Toy Stores, 25c to $7.50.
Toy Sad Irons, 10c to 50c.

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SEEK PLACE FOR AMERICAN CAPITAL

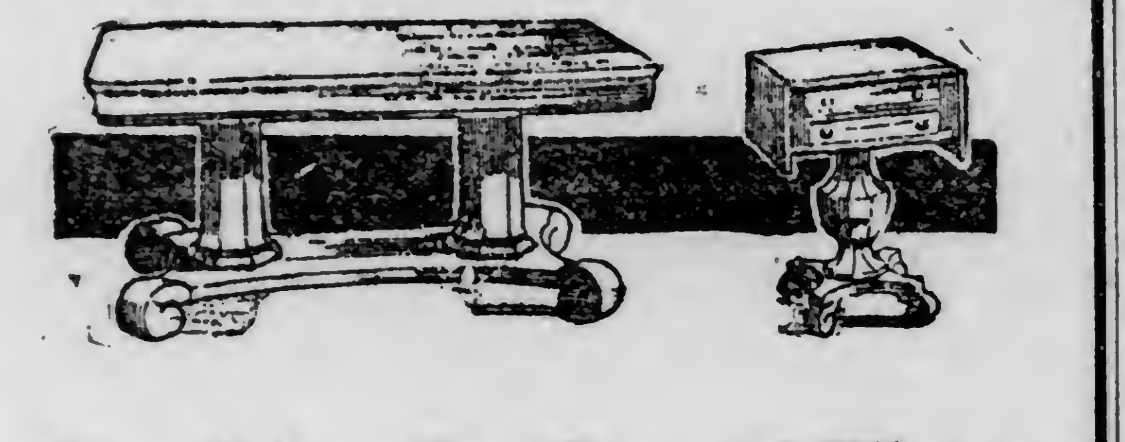
John Hays Hammond Investigating Russian Possibilities.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 12.—John Hays Hammond, the American mining engineer and promoter arrived here today. He comes in the interests of a financial group to investigate the possibilities for the investment of American capital in Russia.

The proposals include the construction of grain elevators, development of irrigation, lighting, street car service and the building of sewers. Gregory M. Wilenkin, the Russian financial agent at Washington, is here co-operating with Mr. Hammond. The Novoe Vreyma is inclined to think that the government will encourage the American enterprise.

Librarians Pick Pasadena.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—The executive board of the American Library association today decided upon Pasadena, Cal., as the place of the 1911 conference of the association. The sessions will open May 19.



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A living room furnished in mahogany is perfection in the eyes of such persons and usually such rooms must not only be furnished in good taste, but the furniture must come up to the highest standards in every other way.

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Muffin Stands,
Book Blocks,
Smokers' Sets,
Desk Sets,
Magazine Racks,
Foot Stools,
Sewing Rockers, etc,

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Caldwell's electric cut coffee acknowledged by all the most DELICIOUS COFFEE served at the show.

Its rich flavor and absolute purity gained for it a host of friends who want real coffee.

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NEWS AND VIEWS OF LEGISLATORS AND POLITICIANS

Burnquist Is Reluctant to Give Up in Fight for Speakership—Duluth Socialists Expect to Control City Government in Two Years—Chisholm View of the Troubles of Eberhart—Brainerd Meeting Discussed.

Burnquist Tries To Bolster Up Hope

While J. A. A. Burnquist professes to believe that he still has a chance to land the speakership, it becomes more and more apparent that the St. Paul aspirant has more hopes than votes, and that H. H. Dunn of Albert Lea will be named for the place by the Republican house caucus the night before ligeslature goes into session. L. C. Spooner of Morris has ceded Dunn's election; R. C. Dunn of Princeton, after a survey of the field, has said the Albert Lea man has got away with it; and Mr. Dunn hasn't the slightest doubt about it.

Somebody is being a little careless about the truth in this contest, for both Burnquist and Dunn have pledges of votes from the same men, but since the tide is setting so strongly in Dunn's favor it is to be expected that the Dunn pledges will stick and the ones given Burnquist will not.

Burnquist says he has these votes: First district, 4; Seocnd, 3; Third, 2; Fourth, 4; Fifth, 5; Seventh, 10; Eighth, 9; Tenth, 10. These claims are obviously exaggerated. Burnquist hasn't the Eight district, and in the Seventh his strength is much less than he believes it is.

Dunn, by all accounts, has fifty-two votes cinched. That really settles the dispute.

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Socialists Plan An Aggressive Campaign.

Within two years the Socialists of Duluth will control the city government, according to the optimistic talk heard at a meeting of that party in Odd Fellows' hall yesterday. The Socialists are officially termed the Public Ownership party. Another feature of the session was the rejection by the party of a suggestion that it go on record as favoring the commission form of government. This rejection was based on the ground that the commission form would destroy party lines and organizations, which the Socialists do not want to see accomplished.

It was decided at yesterday's meeting to make an aggressive fight for city offices in the coming campaign, and incidentally the prediction quoted above was made by the speakers. An organization will be formed with three members from each voting precinct. There will be a meeting for the purpose of perfecting this organization tonight in the office of John A. Keyes.

These are salient features of the Public Ownership platform as adopted yesterday:

"A better grade of gas for consumers and provision for regular inspection of the quality.

"An end to the alleged discrimination in water rates.

"A municipal hospital maintained by the city in which accident cases may be cared for.

"A union scale of wages for employes of the city.

"Abolishment of the contract system for public improvements.

"Change of criminal law securing work instead of jail sentence for minor offenses.

"Establishment of adequate parks and playgrounds and free music. Use of school rooms for meetings of civic nature.

"Establishment of free employment bureau and prohibiting all others.

"Privilege of free speech, press and assembly.

"Compelling corporations to pay the same rate of taxation in every respect as do individuals.

"Early removal of garbage from all properties."

The Normanna Singing society gave several selections and a number of speeches were made.

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Governor Eberhart and his Delivery System.

Chisholm Tribune-Herald: After some of his recent experiences Governor Eberhart no doubt regrets that he is not still driving a grocery wagon in Duluth instead of trying to please the politicians of the Zenith City. He has been bombarded with trouble above and below and amidships. It seems his secretary, Mr. Wheelock, at a certain pink tea, conveyed the office of surveyor general of logs and lumber in fee simple to Mille Bunnell, of the Duluth News Tribune, who will put it in the Christmas stocking of one of his faithful employes. So far so good. But after election Commander Eaton, of the good ship Gopher, came forward and laid his claims before the governor. He managed the campaign for the governor in this county and took the mud baths at West Baden with him after election. Such a business. On one side was the power of the press, on the other a United States battleship. The governor felt something must be done to keep the ship of state afloat in this neck of the woods, so he reached into the hold and threw out the oil inspectorship to Commander Eaton. Oil on the troubled water,s as it were. Did the governor's trouble here cease? Well, not that any one with eyes and ears could notice at Brainerd. One Otto Gafvert, now employed in the department of internal revenue, has nursed a desire to act as the titular head of the dairy and food department. His home is in Duluth, where he claims to have brought many wandering sheep back into the Republican fold, and he claims to have had substantial assurances of support in the above mentioned ambition among the Duluth politicians who are said to be close to the gubernatorial confidence. The governor felt he had already sufficiently atoned for his measly majority in St. Louis county and started a fine line of conciliatory talk to the petulant Otto at the Brainerd meeting. But Otto was in no mood to listen. He went back to the hotel and contributed to the harmony (?) meeting of the Duluth delegates.

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Bob Dunn On the Brainerd Meeting.

The Brainerd meeting of the Northern Minnesota Development association continues to afford subjects for editorial comment in the state press, most of it laudatory of the results achieved by the meeting or in praise of the hospitality of Brainerd. Many of the editors of the state have been more or less facetious in commenting on the circumstance of "Pussyfoot" Johnson's refraining from putting the lid on Brainerd on the eve of the governor's coming to that place, but among the serious considerations of the Brainerd meeting the following, by R. C. Dunn in the Princeton Union, is a notable one:

> The meeting of the Northern Minnesota Development association at Brainerd last Thursday and Friday was highly satisfactory. The attendance was large and representative. Able addresses were delivered and much valuable information was imparted. While many politicians were present, politics were not obtruded into the proceedings of the convention. Irrespective of party affiliations the people of Northern Minnesota are united in demanding what is guaranteed them by the Constitution of the state—the representation they are entitled to in the legislature. On this question there was no diversity of opinion. There was no bluster or braggadocio indulged in, but it was apparent to the most casual observer that Northern Minnesota, as represented in the convention, was terribly in earnest and will insist upon what it is justly entitled to and what the state Constitution guarantees it.
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> The citizens of Brainerd were lavish in their hospitality and the arrangements for the comfort and convenience of the guests were most complete. The Brainerd people are certainly royal entertainers.

Quoting the Elk River Star-News' "dictatorial belligerency" paragraph, Mr. Dunn says:

> There has been no "dictatorial belligerency" evinced at any of the meetings of the Northern Minnesota Development association. On the contrary a spirit of conservatism seemed to pervade all the gatherings. An equitable apportionment of senators and representatives, based on population, is something that is guaranteed to every section of the state by the Constitution, and surely there is nothing dictatorial in Northern Minnesota demanding that our legislators comply with the requirements of the fundamental law of the state.

Which would seem to dispose of that proposition.

The Pine City Courier says:

> The meeting of the Northern Minnesota Development association at Brainerd last week was a hummer. Backed by the census returns, which shows a great increase in the northern counties and a decided decrease in the southern counties, and backed by the governor, it seems impossible that reapportionment can be defeated at the next session of the legislature. If it is defeated, very little other legislation can be enacted. The officers of the Northern Minnesota Development association deserve a great deal of credit for the great work they have accomplished.

No fairer presentation of the reapportionment issue could be found in the press of the southern part of the state than this, from Sam A. Langum's paper, the Preston Times:

> Southern Minnesota is destined to surrender the advantage it has enjoyed over the balance of the state during the last decade in the way of undue representation in the legislature. By this we mean a representation out of all proportion to our population as compared with the large and growing cities and the newer portions of the state which have increased greatly during the past few years while we have remained at a standstill so far as population is concerned. We may be pardoned for giving up our advantage somewhat reluctantly, nor can we blame our neighbors to the North for making insistent demands on that which is theirs by right. There can be no further excuse for delay, and that we must lose in the new deal is simply our misfortune. The Times hopes that our members will join hands with those from the North and pass a reapportionment bill, based on fairness to all sections of the state, indeed there seems to be no other way, as Governor Eberhart has already signified his intention of calling an extra session for this special purpose if the legislature fails to do its plain duty.

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Otter Tail Progressives Are Organized.

The growth of the Minnesota Republican Progressive league is one of the most interesting sequels of the election. After the victory of Governor Eberhart and the defeat of all the insurgent candidates for congress, except in the cases of Davis and Lindbergh, it is more or less surprising that men who supported the winners are going into a progressive movement. It may be a pennance, though., Last week the Republicans of Otter Tail county organized a progressive league and elected these officers:

President, Carl D. Haugen, Pelican Rapids.

Vice president at large, C. J. Wright, Fergus Falls.

Vice president, first commissioner district, Felix Nylund.

Second, Peter Klovstad, Norwegian Grove.

Third, E. D. Evenson, Clitherall.

Fourth, A. D. Anderson, Deer Creek.

Fifth, Knute Bjorka, Aastad.

Secretary, N. T. Moen.

Treasurer, Joseph P. Brendal, Dalton.

The league starts with a membership of forty.

Addresses were delivered by Dr. O. M. Haugen, Dr. A. B. Cole and T. C. Wollan and the following were elected delegates to a state convention in St. Paul: J. H. Grass, D. M. Brown, T. C. Wollan, B. N. Johnson, A. B. Cole, N. T. Moen, O. M. Haugen, A. G. Anderson, J. T. Johnson, M. W. Odland, C. N. Haugen, O. P. B. Jacobson, and C. R. Wright, of Fergus Falls, Peter Klovstad of Norwegian Grove, Dr. Jones of Red Lake, Knute Bjorka of Aastad, C. L. Alexander of Pelican Rapids, R. J. Lindberg of Henning, H. A. Putnam of Amor, Alex. Nelson of Perham, R. S. Myers of Parkers Prairie, C. F. Franz of Richville, G. F. Freeman of Woodside.

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KANSAS MAN ACCUSED OF MURDERING WHOLE HOUSEHOLD IN ANGER

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George Bernhard became very abusive before he left.

Feigler admitted that he quarreled with the Bernhards at their home last Wednesday. He said he went there to notify George Bernhard and his friends must stop hunting on his farm. George resented his statements, Feigler said, and a quarrel followed. Feigler said that Mrs. Bernhard came out of the house and entered into the controversy.

Insists He Is Innocent.

Feigler insisted that he was innocent.

A coroner's jury was empanelled at Olanthe, Kan., this morning and an inquest will be held Wednesday.

The funeral of the four victims of the murder will be held at the Bernhard farm tomorrow. No relatives of James Graves have been located.

All four victims of the murder had been beaten on the head, and a weight from an old-time clock was found covered with blood, near the bodies of the three men, which lay in a barn. The woman's body was found in a closet in the house, and there were indications that she had been wounded and had run to the closet to hide and died there.

The Bernhard farm is rather an isolated place, and the members of the household never fraternized with those living nearest to them.

In the search of the place by the officers a will was found in which Mrs. Bernhard gave the farm and all her other property to her son, George, who was murdered, cutting off her other children entirely.

NO WORD OF THE OLYMPIA

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being pounded and tossed on the sharp rocks.

Wireless Operator Hero.

Cable dispatches from Cordova indicate that Wireless Operator Hayes is the hero of the wreck.

The wireless was worked with difficulty, but Hayes stuck to his post and managed to reach the operator on duty at the naval wireless station at Cordova with his call for assistance.

Hayes finally succeeded in getting his instrument to work long enough to flash the good news to the shore station, forty miles away, that all were still on board the Olympia and hopeful that she would hold together until the rescuers arrived.

Their Second Wreck.

For seven of the fifty-two passengers of the Olympia this is the second shipwreck experience within ten days. They first sailed from Seattle Dec. 1 on the steamship Northwestern, which, when a few hours out of port, went on the rocks on False bay, San Juan island.

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SAYS SHE SAW MRS. GLOVER

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knew the Glover family and Hattie more or less intimately were on the witness stand. Their testimony tended to show that Glover was persistent in his attentions to women, that his wife became so angry on many occasions that she was heard to say that she would like to kill him, more than once, and that she applied indecent epithets to her husband.

Thomas J. Coffey, formerly a clerk in a Boston sporting goods house, who sold the revolver that was used in the shooting, said that a woman bought it, but when Hattie Le Blanc was led past him, he said she was not the woman.

When cross-examined by District Attorney Higgins, Coffey said that he attended the Glover will hearing and looked at a woman who was pointed out to him as Mrs. Lillian Glover. He could not identify her as the person to whom he sold the revolver, inasmuch as she was veiled at that time.

Too Much For Women.

The court then heard such salacious testimony that the women in the courtroom, and there were many, covered their faces, but few left their seats. J. Harold Gardner, who was employed in Glover's laundry for seven years, gave the unprintable words when he testified about conversations he had with Mrs. Glover before her husband's death.

Gardner told of indecent names that Mrs. Glover applied to her husband when speaking of him to the witness and he said that Mrs. Glover told him that Glover was keeping company with other women.

On one occasion Mrs. Glover, pointing to Hattie, who stood nearby, said: "There is a girl that will fix him."

Mr. Higgins cross-examined Gardner, who denied ever having done anything wrong with Hattie. Asked if Mrs. Glover had a bad reputation, he said he did not know. He added that "she had a terribly foul mouth, and called everyone by its right name."

Would Not Quote Widow.

Another witness, Mrs. Alma M. Rocho of Somerville, who was employed at the Glover home about eight years ago, was asked if she ever heard Mrs. Glover say anything about her husband. She said that she did not care to repeat it, as it was very vulgar. Witness said that once she heard Mrs. Glover say that she would kill her husband.

FOUR DEFENDANTS IN MURDER TRIAL

Breathitt County Case Is Begun in Court at Paris, Ky.

Paris, Ky., Dec. 12.—With Special Judge W. C. Halbert of Vanceburg presiding, the trial of the four men charged with the assassination of John Abner in Breathitt county was called here today. The defendants, John and Thomas Davidson, Jason Deaton and Hacker Combs, have been here since Wednesday last, when their case was continued until today because of the absence of important witnesses.

W. C. Stidman, formerly of Jackson, who declares he overheard a plot to assassinate Abner and Lewis Bach and his son of Magoffin county, was brought here today from Logan county, West Virginia, by Bailiff Edward Callahan. He will be a witness.

COUNTERFEITER GETS LONG TERM

New York, Dec. 12.—G. Boscarino, said to have been a member of the Lupo-Morello counterfeiting gang, who was convicted last Saturday of dealing at wholesale in counterfeit money, was today sentenced by Federal Judge Hough to a term of fifteen years in the federal penitentiary at Atlanta.

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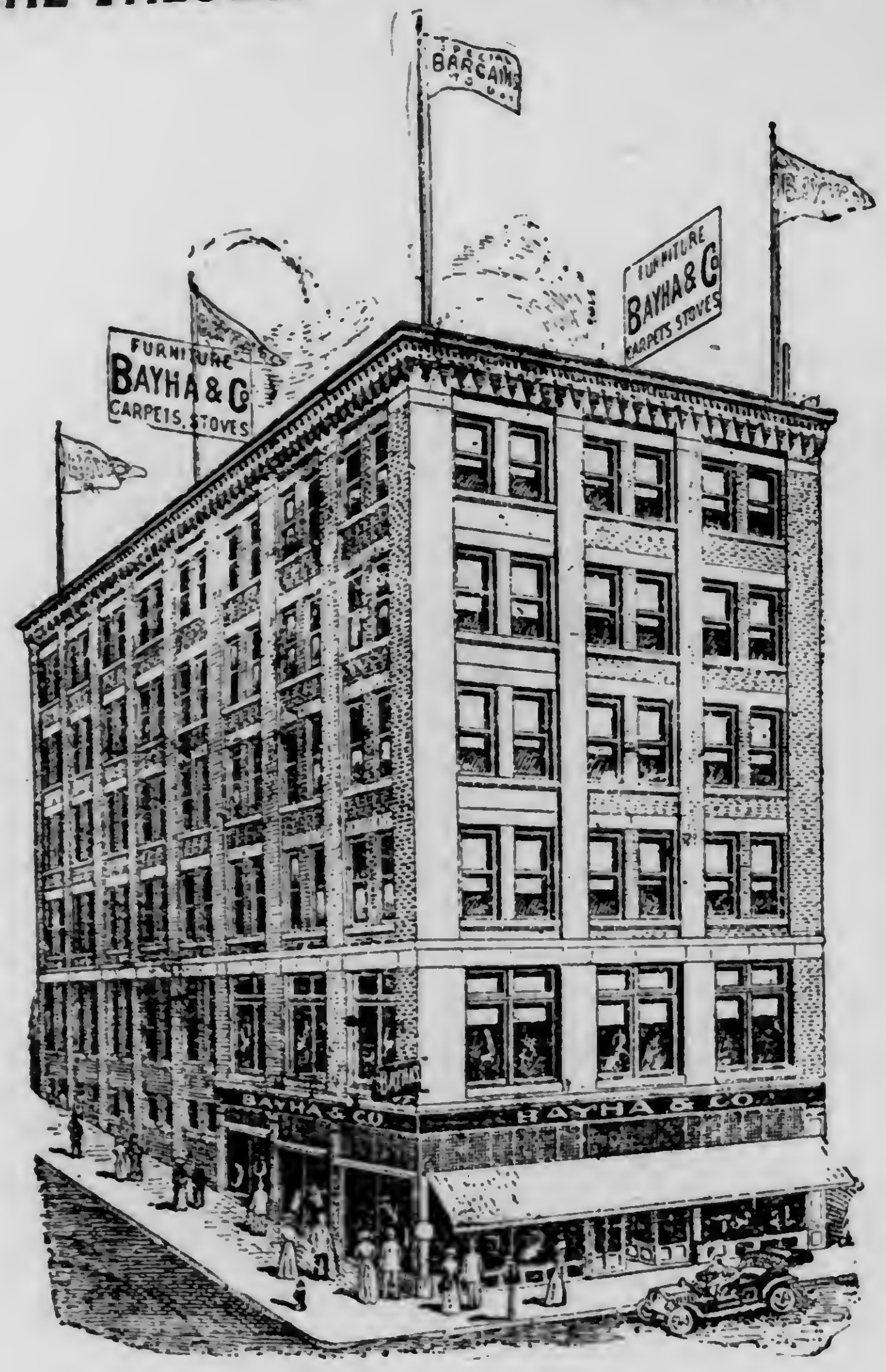
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We suggest a few of the many Gift Things to be found in this store. Rockers of all kinds, chairs in a great variety, dressing tables, desks, parlor tables, Morris chairs, cellarettes, sewing tables, card tables, tabourettes, etc.

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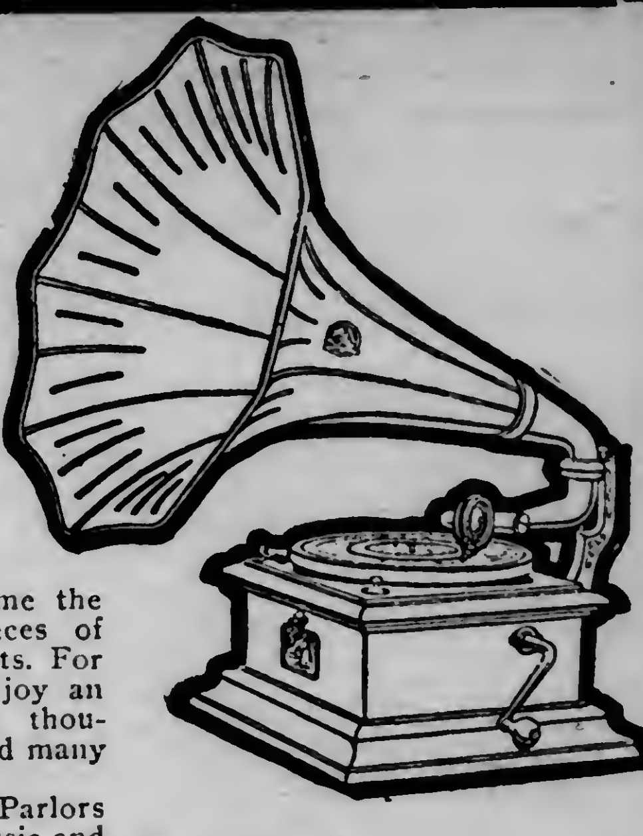


It would be a source of entertainment for them and their friends that is not only pleasing, but instructive as well.

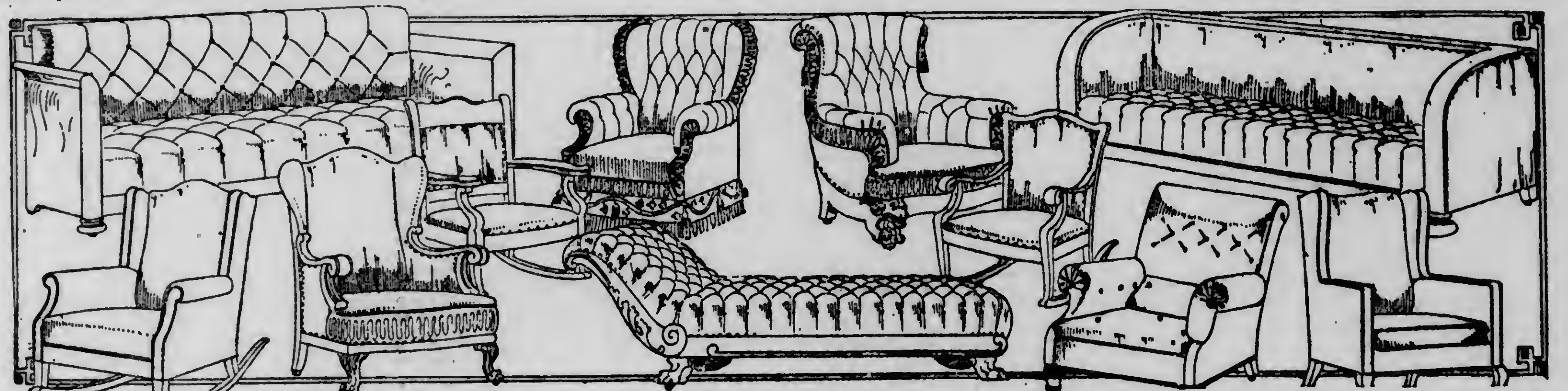
It brings to your home the successes and masterpieces of the world's greatest artists. For a few cents you can enjoy an evening of music that thousands of people have paid many dollars to hear.

Visit our Phonograph Parlors and hear some of this music and let us show you the different styles of machines.

We'll deliver one of these machines and a dozen records, of your own choosing, to your home on payment of **$1 DOWN** the balance payable on terms of $1.00 per week.

Our Pre-Holiday Sale Parlor Suites and Leather Furniture.

Offers the greatest money-saving opportunities Christmas shoppers have ever enjoyed. Hundreds of the Gift Pieces are included in this great sale; among them you will find Hall Chairs, Desk Chairs, Bedroom Chairs, Morris Chairs, Davenports, Corner Pieces, etc., at **40 to 50 per cent discount.**



PARLOR SUITES

Here is a dainty little four-piece suite in Colonial style, solid mahogany frame, with genuine English embossed hair cloth covering that sells regularly at $120—our Pre-Holiday sale price	**$60.00**
A beautiful three-piece suite, Colonial style, solid mahogany frame, daintily upholstered; worth $116—our Pre-Holiday sale price only	**$58.00**
A very tasty three-piece, in desirable modern style, solid mahogany frame; loose cushions trimmed with cord and tassels. Regular price $105—sale price	**$52.50**
Another exceptional value in a medium priced suite is this one in mahogany finished frame with upholstered seat and back; worth $55—our Pre-Holiday sale price only	**$27.50**
A stylish three-piece suite in mahogany finish; loose cushions covered in heavy velour. Regular price $60—our Pre-Holiday sale price only	**$30.00**
Here's one of our bargains in three-piece, leather suites, mahogany finished frame; sells regularly at $27.50—sale price	**$15.75**

We can't list all the bargains offered in this line, but the foregoing will give you an idea of the values to be obtained at this sale.

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We are exceptionally strong on this line of furniture and the values we will offer during this big sale will mean a saving of many dollars to the purchasers of this class of goods. NOTE SOME OF THE VALUES OFFERED:

English style upholstered Sofa and chair to match, covered in English Morocco leather; worth $200—our Pre-Holiday sale price only	**$100**
Leather Chair, best grade construction; a nice size for a lady's reading chair. Regular price $68—our Pre-Holiday sale price only	**$34.00**
Lady's Turkish Rocker; best leather covering, springs in arms, seat and back, full leather fringe; worth $70—our Pre-Holiday sale price	**$35.00**
Lady's Chair in English style of upholstery; best leather covering; worth $80—our Pre-Holiday sale price only	**$40.00**
Large Comfort Rocker; best grade leather; worth $70—our Pre-Holiday sale price	**$35.00**
Large Turkish style Rockers in genuine leather; worth $60—our sale price only	**$30.00**
A genuine leather rocker in Turkish style; worth $38—our sale price only	**$19.00**

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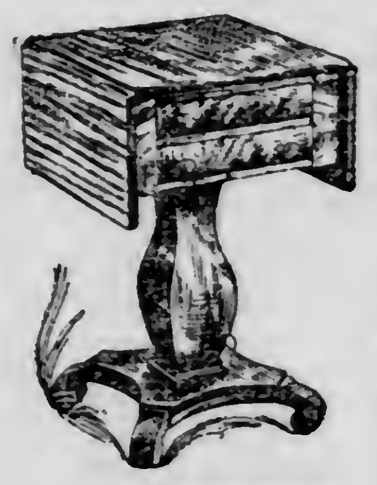

For Your Wife, Sister or Mother, One of These Colonial Style

Sewing Tables

Would be a thoroughly appreciated Christmas gift. One that they would be proud of and something that would relieve them of many steps.

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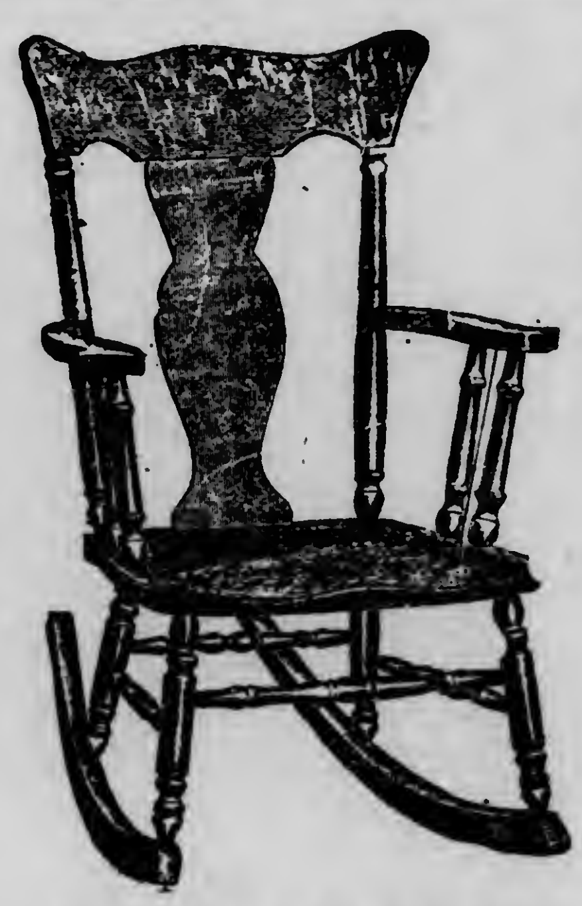
This is a candid bona fide sale, gotten up to move part of our stock before we take inventory. The goods are all excellent quality and the prices quoted are our regular reasonable values. We have made a genuine out-and-out cut in price. Prices tell the story. Read this advertisement all the way through. Goods are all marked in plain figures, bring your room sizes and we will assist you to select the right size for your room.

$55.00	9x12 Special Oriental Weave Wiltons	$39.25
$45.00	9x12 Regular High-Grade Wiltons	$30.90
$45.00	9x12 Superfine Axminsters	$29.95
$38.50	9x12 Excellent Wiltons	$24.90
$33.50	9x12 High-Grade Axminsters	$21.25
$29.50	9x12 Par Value Axminsters	$19.65
$29.50	9x12 Extra Grade Velvets	$19.65
$21.25	9x12 Heavy Seamless Brussels	$13.60
$16.00	9x12 Brussels Rugs	$11.40
$13.75	9x12 Brussels Rugs	$9.15
$41.00	8-3x10-6 Regular High-Grade Wiltons	$29.25
$37.50	8-3x10-6 Superfine Axminsters	$24.75
$29 50	8-3x10-6 High-Grade Axminsters	$19.75
$25.25	8-3x10-6 Par Value Axminsters	$16.25
$16.25	8-3x10-6 Heavy Seamless Brussels	$11.70
$14.00	8-3x10-6 Brussels Rugs	$9.25
$5 50	36x72 Highest Grade Axminsters	$3.15
$5.00	36x72 Par Value Axminsters	$2.98
$3.50	27x60 Highest Grade Axminsters	$2.15
$3.00	27x54 Par Value Axminsters	$1.98

All our Lace Curtains in the desirable weaves, white or ecru color, curtains for parlors, sitting room, dining room and bedroom, from **49¢** to **$49.00** a pair, at **25c** on the dollar off.



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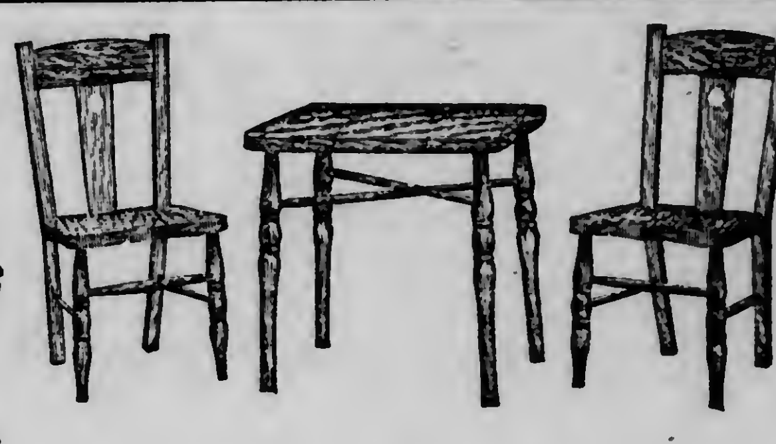
Specially Priced.

Exceptional value-giving in Parlor Rockers will be one of the features of this store for the Holiday season. We have a large assortment to choose from and our prices will make them popular with those who wish to give a rocher.

The one shown here is well built and nicely finished in golden oak. It sells regularly at $3.75, special this week, only **$1.98**

A Three-Piece Set for the Children. The Table and Two Chairs to Match.

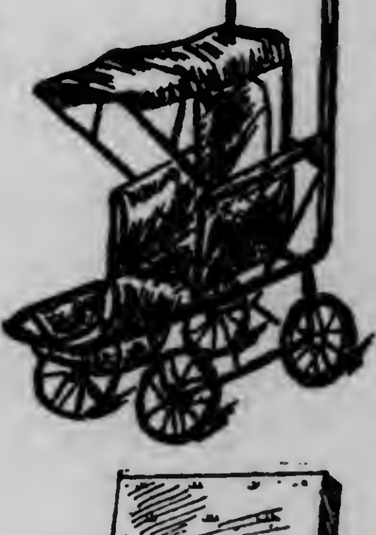


Regular Price $3.75 Special at ---------- $2.29

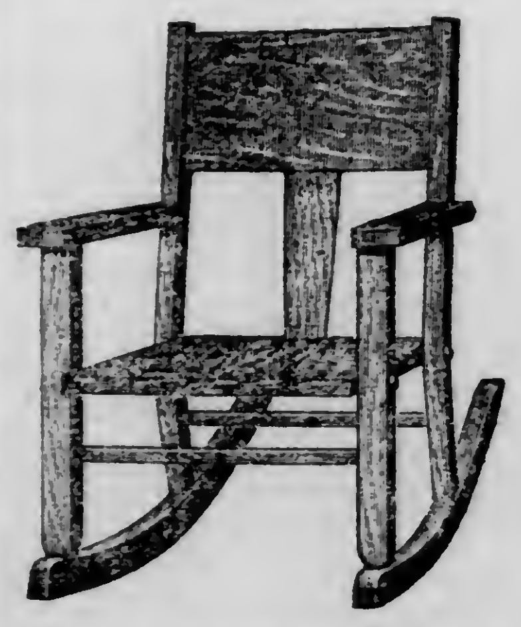
These pieces will bring joy to the hearts of the little folks. They are well built of oak and come in two finishes—golden and early English

A Special Display and Sale of DOLL CARTS

We are showing on our floors a greater assortment and **better values** in Doll Carts than can be found in any other store in this city. These pleasing gifts for the little lady are shown in a variety of styles and sizes. An early shopping inducement is offered in the following:



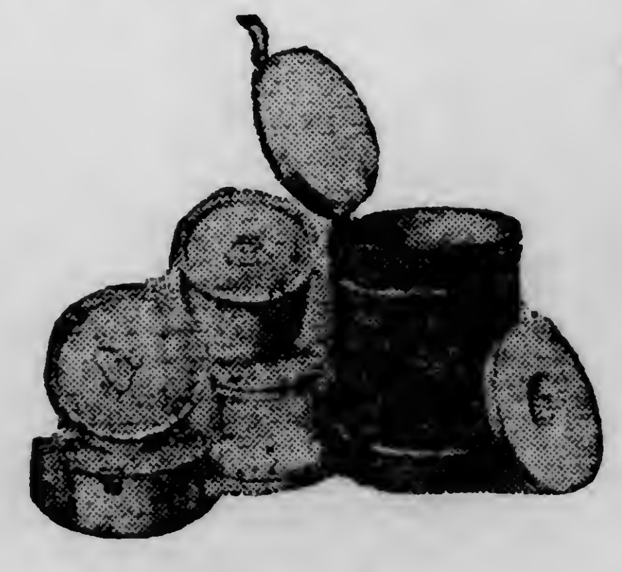
A thoroughly made, Collapsible Go-Cart (like illustration) with a frame of **tubular steel** (not flat band iron), finely finished and come in three colors. Folds compactly with one motion. An exceptional value at $3.00—our special only **$1.98**



A Special Bargain in a

CHILD'S ROCKER

The rocker shown here is a nice size rocker for a child. It is well built in every way and comes in Early English or Mahogany finish. Sell regularly at $2.00, special this week at **$1.19**



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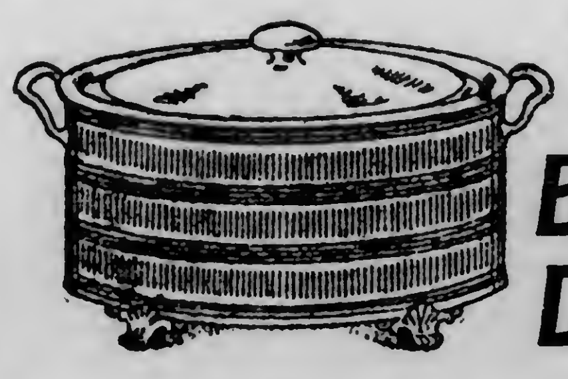
Would be gladly received by your wife as a Christmas gift. She would know that you gave some thought to the time she had to put in over a hot stove and that you wished to save her as much of this work as possible.

The Vac-Jac Fireless Cooker is the most perfect fireless cooker on the market. It is air-tight and vacuum insulated. Come in and see it.



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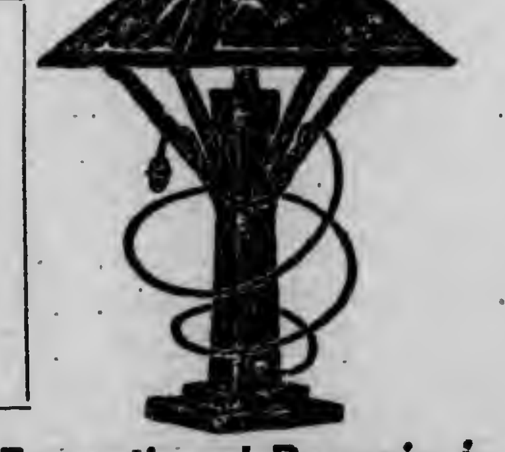

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MISSION LAMPS

The one shown here is a good size lamp, purely Mission in design and nicely finished. Has colored glass shade. Most stores ask $4.50 for this lamp. Our Special tomorrow, only

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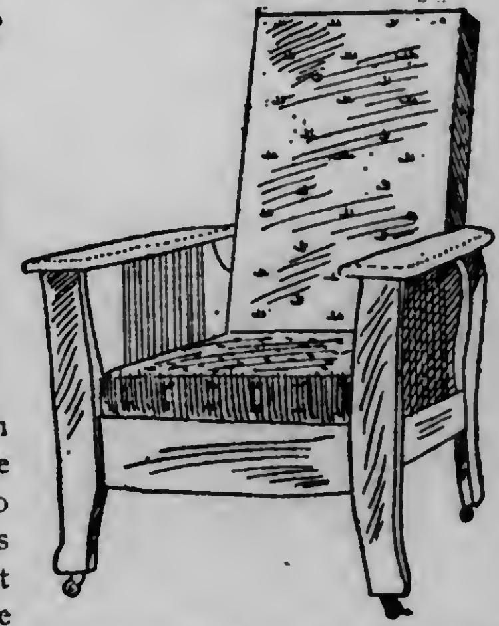
If You Want to Please Him Give Him a

MORRIS CHAIR



And if you decide to give him a Morris Chair, you will save money by coming here to make your selection, besides having such a large assortment to choose from, you will be sure to be able to select his particular style of chair. The prices are especially low this week.

$8.00 Chairs are selling at	$4.98
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$18.00 Chairs are selling at	$14.75

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FIRST NIGHTS IN DULUTH THEATERS

TONIGHT'S ATTRACTIONS.

LYCEUM—Lyman Howe's Travel Festival.
ORPHEUM—Vaudeville.
EMPRESS—Vaudeville.
ORPHEUM and LYRIC—Motion Pictures.

TOUR OF WORLD AT THE LYCEUM

Howe's "Travel Festival" Opens an Engagement of Two Nights.

Clear, faithful and spectacular as ever, Lyman H. Howe's moving pictures are at the Lyceum for a two days' engagement, which opened yesterday. The two Sunday audiences saw a wealth of new films that furnish good entertainment. Not alone for the entertainment, but for the instruction as well, the films are worth seeing and one is especially impressed with the enterprise necessary to obtain the views of the scenes shown.

The feature film is of the funeral of King Edward VII of England. Views were taken at twenty different points and they are exceptionally good in clearness of detail. The different English military bodies are shown and a most interesting feature of the film is the view of distinguished people at the funeral, Former President Theodore Roosevelt being among the number.

Views of the jubilee of all Japan, Paris from the Eiffel tower, scenes from Norway and the antics of animals in the zoo at Antwerp are interesting and instructive, while the views of the eruption of Mt. Etna are thrilling and wonderful. Some of the scenes must have been taken from the banks of rivers of lava and are testimonials to the enterprise and daring of the operators who obtained them.

"Symphonies of the Sea," is a wonderful film, varying quiet, sunset scenes with storm views that show the sea at the height of its fury.

Among the instructive pictures are a number of posed pictures shown for amusement only. Among them are, "First Attempt at Roller Skating," "Uncontrollable Motor Cyclist," "The Elusive Prisoner," and "Infectious Music."

The entertainment will be repeated this evening and Mr. Howe will return to Duluth in March with a new set of films.

VARIETY IN THE ORPHEUM BILL

Snappy Musical Comedy and Real Fainting Spell, Feature Opening Performances.

If variety constitutes a good vaudevill bill, the Orpheum program this week should approach perfection.

A musical comedy, a dramatic sketch, an acrobatic act, a juggling act, a first-class musical turn, a lively dancing act and an amusing little song and dance sketch make up the bill.

They are all bright, lively, clean and entertaining, and the person who cannot find something to amuse on this week's bill would indeed be difficult to please.

The "Top of the World Dancers," with the collie ballet from the musical comedy of the same name, is the headline feature, and a bigger and better act rarely gets into vaudeville. Practically all of the best features of the show which was seen here last year have been retained and are presented by a company of seventeen people, including Walter Burke as Jack-in-the-Box, Ali as the Peppermint Kid, Harry Hewitt as the polar bear and Miss Vivian Ford as the Doll Princess. The amusing pantomime of the three men, and the very clever dancing of Miss Ford make the act a thoroughly enjoyable hit of musical comedy. It has been given an adequate and effective setting, and is far superior to the average musical act of this type seen in vaudeville, both in size and quality. The act is called "Kris Kringle's Dream," and is especially timely at this season of the year.

During the afternoon performance, Mlle. Renee, the English musician, fell in a dead faint in the arms of the stage manager after staggering from the stage in the middle of her act, and she was unable to appear at the evening performance. Mlle. Renee has been ill for the last week, but insisted that she was able to go on in the afternoon performance. She went through part of her act with difficulty, but when she came to the cornet solo, suddenly clapped her hand to her head and staggered into the wings, where she fainted and had to be taken to her room. A physican was summoned, and it was found that her illness was not serious, although she was unable to appear last night. The other acts were lengthened last evening and the show was of the usual length, or a trifle longer, if anything. It was stated this morning that Mlle. Renee was much improved and would be able to continue her engagement.

A vest pocket edition of Bert Williams, the famous colored comedian, is the best part of the Harvey-De Vora trio, who have a good, lively song and dance turn. The name of the little colored comedian is John Dough, and he was probably the hit of the show yesterday. The other two members of the act are Miss De Vora, a clever toe dancer, and Bert Harvey, a clever acrobatic dancer. Their act has plenty of vim and go and scored heavily.

A rare little sketch called "Sweethearts" is presented by Mr. and Mrs Irwin Connelly. The sketch was written by Sir W. S. Gilbert, of comic opera fame, and it is of a type rarely seen in vaudeville. It is given a most artistic setting by Mr. and Mrs. Connelly, and it has real merit to command it. It was given a most appreciative hearing, even by the Sunday audience, which usually calls for comedy and plenty of it.

George McKay and John Cantwell got rid of a lot of slang and comedy dialogue, and introduced several songs and some very good dancing, in a sketch they call "On The Great White Way." The first part of the sketch takes a shot at the grafting methods of the New York police, in a rather amusing manner, and in the last part Mr. McKay appears as a "souse." The act is of a rather ordinary type, but it draws a good share of laughs, and the humor is clean.

There is a tall, slim, supple young chap on this week's bill, who probably attracts more attention and creates more applause than any other one person on the bill. He appears in the act of the Reed Brothers, gymnasts, and lifts that act from the level of being merely a first-class gymnastic act, to a genuine hit. The Reed Brothers are more than ordinarily good acrobats, but an acrobatic act, no matter how difficult the feats may be, is generally passed by with perfunctory notice. This slender chap, however, has such an original method that he commands attention, and the entire act is a most unusual one, and one of the best features of the bill. His comedy contortions cannot be described.

Savo, a juggler, opens the bill. He juggles many small articles, and makes a feature of balancing heavy objects on his chin. The act is of an ordinary type, but passes very well as an opening number.

The bill will continue all week with a daily matinee.

ANOTHER GOOD BILL AT EMPRESS

New Vaudeville Program Pleases Three Large Sunday Audiences.

For a bright, snappy, vaudeville performance the bill at the Empress (formerly the Bijou), this week is more than up to the high standard set at this theater during the past few weeks.

The program is all good. There are difficult athletic stunts, song and dance acts, two enjoyable playlets, some piano patter, two real comedians and some entertaining moving pictures.

Three large Sunday audiences enjoyed the bill yesterday and if their applause was any sign of their approval, the Maitland house of mirth will be mighty popular during the rest of the week.

"A Jay Circus" seemed to be the big hit of the bill although there were several numbers that ran it a close second. Dan Sherman and William Andrus as the two jays turned a great deal of comedy loose on the audience in the few minutes that it takes to put on their act. It is the kind of comedy that gets to a vaudeville audience instantly and there was only one criticism of the act—it is far too short.

The Bento Brothers are "physical culturists," it is announced on the program but it would be better to call them real athletes for that is what they are. They do all kinds of stunts that are as unusual as they are difficult. The climax of the act comes when one brother carries the other up and down a number of steps on his head. This head to head act is a difficult feat of balancing well done and for it the brothers received their share of applause.

Miss Odom and Mr. Caine sing several refreshing parodies on popular songs. Some of them were both funny and clever. The two performers were forced to respond to several encores.

Hope Booth and Company have a playlet, "The Little Blond Lady." Miss Booth and George M. Cohan are the authors. The play deals with a stenographer who turns out to be the author of a play. A dramatic editor was about to "roast" the attempt when she enters his employ and secures a favorable comment. It is one of the cleverest one-act plays seen in Duluth for some time.

Miss Vera Hall and Edward Raymond have a clever dancing act. Miss Hall made a great hit with yesterday's audiences for she introduces a new system of dancing that has never before been seen here. Mr. Raymond also gets away with his end in good shape.

The entertainment ends with the usual moving pictures which are this week, as usual, very entertaining.

The printed programs at the theater appear in a brand new dress with the new name on the cover. It is an artistic piece of work and the design was made by Frank Hamm.

"Baby Mine."

In the past America has looked to the continental farce writers for material in that branch of stage entertainment, but the overwhelming success that has attended the production of Margaret Mayo's hilarious farce by William A. Brady, Ltd., would tend to prove that America can produce her own bright quips and merry lines without foreign assistance.

The basic idea of the farce was suggested by a newspaper article which told of the adoption of children by mothers in order to delude their unsuspecting husbands. In "Baby Mine" it is a stout friend who seeks to help a childless mother to win back her husband, and the means they devise compel the stout friend to steal a child from a foundling's home, and later cause him to borrow a pair of babies from an unwilling laundress. The difficulties of Jimmy Jinks are many and they cause the beholders of "Baby Mine" to forget every trouble in their laughter at his expense. The situations are very deftly handled by Miss Margaret Mayo, who showed what she could do with farces when she made the adaptation of "Divorcons" that Grace George used some seasons ago.

The universal opinion of those who see "Baby Mine" re-echoes the remark made by the New York Herald reviewer when he said, "If Margaret Mayo never writes anything more amusing, she deserves a medal for this."

"Baby Mine" will hold the boards at the Lyceum for four nights and two matinees—Saturday and Sunday next, commencing Thursday, Dec. 15.

MARINE

STEAMER TO RUN TO CHICAGO

Chicago & Duluth Transportation Company May Purchase St. Ignace.

The Chicago & Duluth Transportation company probably will purchase the passenger and freight steamer St. Ignace and institute a regular passenger service between the Head of the Lakes and Chicago. The St. Ignace has a passenger capacity of 475 and carries 900 tons of freight. She is a sidewheeler.

The Chicago & Duluth Transportation company and the Soo Line will have a rate arrangement whereby people may take the lake trip one way and the rail trip the other.

The passenger steamer will make stops at Milwaukee, Mackinaw, Sault Ste. Marie and Portage Lake.

The St. Ignace is a 17-mile boat. She will leave Chicago every Saturday, arriving in Duluth Tuesday morning, and leave at midnight of that day, arriving in Chicago Friday afternoon.

PLANT READY BY NEXT SPRING

American Shipbuilding Company Takes Advantage of Canadian Tariff.

By a bold business stroke the American Shipbuilding company has turned the Canadian tariff handicap into an advantage. After an investment of about $1,000,000 at Port Arthur, Ont., the company's new plant there is rapidly nearing completion. The 25 per cent tax imposed by the Dominion government in 1908 on repairs to Canadian vessels done in the United States, which caused the company considerable loss of business, will now be a source of protection for it against American rivals.

W. L. Brown of Chicago, chairman of the board of the American Shipbuilding company, who recently returned from Port Arthur, is confident of the outlook for business there.

"The Port Arthur works are being built by the Western Dry Dock & Shipbuilding company is the controlling factor," he said in an interview published in Chicago. "The 700-foot concrete dry dock just completed is the largest on the lakes. There are now under erection there, and practically completed, a punch shop, molding shop and machine shop; work has been begun on a power plan, and by early spring we shall be equipped for building new ships. We expect to build small barges there this winter.

"So, in a few months, we shall have a modern, fully equipped shipyard at Port Arthur, with ability to build complete any vessel needed on the Great Lakes, and at a point where we have every reason to believe the future of the industry is good.

"The twin towns of Port Arthur and Port William are ports for enormous grain shipments coming out of the Northwest. When I was there, 500 or 600 cars of grain were arriving daily—practically all of which was transferred to boats. Moreover, these ports are getting to be a very large distributing point for incoming coal shipments."

DOCKS ARE CLEANED BY THE RAILROADS.

Duluth railroads have cleaned up about all the merchandise that was left on the docks at the close of navigation. Practically the last of the merchandise that come up the lakes on the last trip has been loaded and shipped. There is a large amount of storage freight on the docks at the present time, and the merchandise to be moved has been cleaned up at a period earlier than last season.

NAVIGATION CLOSES IN DETROIT RIVER.

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 12.—When the steamer Squire, bound for Buffalo, passed down yesterday navigation in the Detroit river ended for the season of 1910. When the Squire reached Ballard's reef in Lake Erie, late in the afternoon, she ran aground in a blinding snow storm and it required the assistance of three tugs to release her. It was not thought that she would encounter more difficulty in crossing the lake.

The season of 1910 was the best in the local office record.

ASTRAKHAN LAMBS.

Illustrated London News: From Bokhara some million and a half astrakhan skins are sent each year to Europe and America. The lambs whose skins are known as astrakhan are specially bred for the purpose, and some flocks contain as many as 5,000 heads. The skins are roughly dressed before being exported. Experiments have been made in the breeding of lambs for astrakhan in various parts of Asia and Europe, but it is claimed that Bakhara alone provide the best lambs for the purpose.

OUT WITH THE FAMILY TO DO CHRISTMAS SHOPPING EARLY

—Photo by McKenzie.

BONCI IS MORE POPULAR THAN EVER

A. BONCI.

An enormous audience greeted Bonci this week when the noted Italian tenor gave his first production in New York. This suggests that the Metropolitan Opera company has made a mistake in letting Bonci go. The only tenor in the Metropolitan company, who can draw a big audience is Caruso. The Metropolitan company may find its release of Bonci still more serious if he carries out his plans to build a new opera house for English opera in New York. Since the opening of the opera season, it has been shown that one opera company was not enough to satisfy musical New York. But when Hammerstein was running his Manhattan opera house the Metropolitan company, which is under enormous expense, lost, it is said, $800,000 in a season.

REWARDS FOR EARLY CHRISTMAS SHOPPERS

Only 12 More Shopping Days

This store was never so rich in gift things as now—there are ever so many new and clever ideas in things people like to give and like to get! And prices are always fair here.

WE SELL RED CROSS STAMPS.
Don't Forget to Use Them.
Gray-Tallant Co
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Don't Put Off; You'll Do Better Now.

It is not the amount you spend—but what you get for your money that counts. You can make better selections now while stocks are at their best. Shop early in the week—and early in the day.

ALL WOMEN'S AND Misses' Suits at Half 1/2 AND ALL TRIMMED Hats at Half Price.

1/2 PRICE

THINK of that—right before Christmas—take your unrestricted choice of this season's finest and best suits for women and misses—and all our trimmed hats at exactly half the original prices

The season's smartest styles--the very latest models—in colors and in blacks—not one do we reserve—at exactly half the original prices, which as many of you know, were the lowest regular prices in the Twin Ports

1/2 PRICE

And Our Justly Famous Millinery Is Priced Like This.

The best we've got—the finest you can find in Duluth—also our splendid popular priced lines—now halved.

$5.00 Hats...$2.50
$7.50 Hats...$3.75
$9.00 Hats...$4.50
$10.00 Hats...$5.00
$12.50 Hats...$6.25
$15.00 Hats...$7.50
$25.00 Hats..$12.50
$35.00 Hats..$17.50

NO APPROVALS—NO REFUNDS.

Note These One-Half Prices on Suits That Good Dressers Like

Extra sizes—stouts, juniors and between sizes in plenty—every one can be fitted—and delighted. Choice at half price!

$18.50 Suits...$9.25
$25.00 Suits..$12.50
$35.00 Suits..$17.50
$45.00 Suits..$22.50
$28.50 Suits..$14.25
$38.50 Suits..$19.25
$50.00 Suits..$25.00
$75.00 Suits..$37.50

NO APPROVALS—NO EXCHANGES.

Gift Handker'fs

Countless as falling snowflakes—and just as varying beautiful—an assortment that includes everything from plain hemstitched to the finest hand-embroidered or lace trimmed styles.

Last year—we couldn't begin to wait on all who wanted to buy handkerchiefs here — the moral is buy early.
Note this one item!

35c EACH OR THREE FOR $1.00.
For choice Armenian Lace edge Kerchiefs or embroidered corner Kerchiefs—and it's real hand-made lace—and real hand embroidery.

98c for $1.25 Bags.

Special Tomorrow and Tuesday—Our $1.25 Bags—one-strap or two-strap styles—with roll or "broken" bottoms—all wanted colors—choice at 98c.

Christmas Slippers for the Whole Family

Slippers are fine gifts. They please the giver and the recipient alike, and surely there is nothing that helps to lure men home more than the thought of wearing comfortable slippers while reading or smoking amidst the comforts of home.

And the women, the young people and the children find slippers equally attractive after the heavy, wet shoes of the day's wear.

Women's Slippers.
Styles for morning and house wear in felt, crochet and kid—various different shades and styles with fur and ribbon trimmings—prices range $1.00 to $2.00 a pair.

Men's and Boys' Slippers.
Various grades in all the popular colors, Romeo, Everett and Opera styles—prices range $1.00 to $2.50 a pair—for slippers that will make them stay home.

We Can Fit Them Easily if You Bring a Tracing of His or Her Shoes Made With Pencil on Paper.

MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S SLIPPERS
Various styles—crochet for felt—red, blue or gray—plain or fur trimmed—prices range 50c to $1.00.

CHILDRENS' AND INFANTS' FANCY SHOES.
Soft and stiff soles — button or lace models—neat and natty styles—prices range 50c to $1.25 a pair.

Christmas Neckwear.

Rabats and Jabots in glorious variety—dainty little styles for as little ac 25c—queenly lace beauties at $9.75.

And there's a vast range at the between prices. We call special attention to the fine styles at 59c, 65c, 98c.

There are lovely styles for grandmother—charming styles for mothers—and most fetching affairs for Miss Duluth and her fashionable sisters.

Special—Pyrography Outfits 25c
They burn gas—do good work—and are safe for children—they will make many pretty gifts—special tomorrow 25c. See other specials, Art Department, third floor.

19c for 25c Placques—35c For 50c Collar or Postcard Boxes

DEFECTIVE PAGE

SAVES UNCLE SAM MONEY

Postoffice Department Is Cutting Down Deficit, Hitchcock Says.

Several Changes Proposed in Postmaster General's Report.

Washington, Dec. 12.—In the space of twelve months a reduction has been made in the deficit of the postoffice department of $11,500,000, according to the annual report of Postmaster General Frank H. Hitchcock.

While a year ago the fiscal records of the postal service disclosed a deficit of $17,500,000, the largest in the history of the country, the excess of expenditures over receipts for the year ended June 30 last amounted to only $5,848,566. In commenting upon this reduction Postmaster General Hitchcock says in his report:

"No Cutting of Facilities."

"It is most gratifying to report that this unprecedented reduction has been made without any curtailment of postal facilities. On the contrary, the service has been largely extended.

"The policy of the present administration has been to wipe out losses by increasing the postal business along profitable lines, and while thus enlarging one department's income to reduce as far as possible the rate of expenditure by cutting out wasteful processes, by simplifying and rendering more effective the methods of handling postal business, and by raising to the highest possible standard the efficiency of officers and employes."

Extending the Service.

The department's policy is to extend the service as rapidly as is warranted by increasing population. In furtherance of this policy 1,500 new postoffices were established during the last year, and 515 new rural delivery routes, traversing altogether 12,235 miles, were instituted. Nearly 3,600 new employes of various classes were added whose aggregate salaries were more than $2,000,000 annually. Besides this $1,750,000 was added to salaries of postoffice clerks, $1,226,000 to the salaries of letter carriers, and $250,000 to the salaries of railway mail clerks, all based upon efficiency ratings.

Second Class Mail.

In the discussion of second-class mail, Postmaster General Hitchcock points out the constant growth of this class of matter. It is carried at a loss, and he urges that a remedy should be promptly applied by charging more postage.

"In levying the higher rate," the report suggests, "it is believed that a distinction should be made between advertising matter and what is termed legitimate reading matter.

"Under present conditions an increase in the postage on reading matter is not recommended. Such an increase would place a special burden on a large number of second-class publications, including educational and religious periodicals, that derive little or no profit from advertising. It is the circulation of this type of publications, which aid so effectively in the educational and moral advancement of the people, that the government can best afford to encourage. For these publications, and also for any other legitimate reading matter in periodical form, the department favors a continuation of the present low postage rate of 1 cent a pound, and recommends that the proposed increase in rate be applied only to magazine advertising matter.

Make Magazines Pay.

"In view of the vanishing postal deficit it is believed that if the magazines could be required to pay what it costs the government to carry their advertising pages, the department's revenues would soon grow large enough to warrant 1-cent postage on first-class mail.

"Newspapers are not included in the plan for a higher rate on advertising matter, because, being chiefly of local distribution, they do not employ the mails to any such extent as the widely circulating magazines."

While the loss resulting from the low postage rate on second-class mail is the greatest in the postal service, the loss on rural delivery service is very considerable. The appropriations annually granted to maintain the rural delivery system, however, as pointed out in the report, are expended in the interest of a vast population.

Mr. Hitchcock urges the wisdom of further extension of this system, even at a considerable loss to the government. He points out, also, the business wisdom of the consolidation during the last year of the star route and rural delivery system, the consolidation having been the means of effecting a large saving and of increasing the efficiency of the service.

Postal Savings Banks.

Mr. Hitchcock reviews the work already accomplished looking to the establishment of postal savings banks. A trial of the new system will be made, beginning Jan. 1, 1911, at one postoffice in each state and territory of the Union. It is expected that the system will be extended to many other offices before the end of the current fiscal year.

A renewal of the previous recommendation for a limited parcel post service on rural routes is made. Mr. Hitchcock expresses the hope that congress will authorize the delivery on rural routes of parcels weighing as high as eleven pounds. This scheme can be put into operation with little if any expense to the government.

Wants Postal Notes.

A recommendation is made that congressional authority be given the department for the issuance of postal notes in amounts not exceeding $10, at a lower fee than is charged for money orders.

Mr. Hitchcock believes that many abuses of the franking system could be prevented, with marked economy, by supplying special official envelopes and stamps for the free mail of the government so that it would be possible to determine definitely the cost of carrying free mail for all executive departments and for the congress.

During the last few months the principal officers of thirty-four corporations and firms have been placed under arrest for swindling the public by fraudulent use of the mails.

Keep Politics Out.

Mr. Hitchcock strongly urges that the entire postal service be taken out of politics. He says that presidential postmasters of all grades from the first-class to the third-class should be placed in the classified service.

A general extension of the civil service rules to fourth-class postmasters is recommended, although some disadvantages have developed in the application to postmasters of that class.

Thirty-Day Vacations.

In conclusion, Postmaster General Hitchcock expresses the hope that congress will see its way clear to grant an annual leave of absence of thirty days to postoffice clerks, city letter carriers, and to railway postal clerks who are required to work six days or more a week throughout the year.

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FIRE DESTROYS NOTED HOSTELRY

Brunswick Hotel in Minneapolis Burned Rapidly Early Sunday Morning.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—A mass of charred and splintered wreckage today marks the spot where stood for years the Hotel Brunswick, corner of Fourth and Hennepin, which was destroyed by fire early Sunday morning. Heroic work by the firemen prevented a heavy death toll, the 150 guests and employes probably all being warned and hustled to the street, although it is reported one perished.

The fire, which spread with lightning rapidity after it started, originated from some mysterious cause under the Brunswick cafe, on the Hennepin avenue side, rushed through the building like a whirlwind, broke through the roof and put the firemen on the defensive from the start.

Firemen Save Lives.

Ten minutes after the fire started, the firemen had to give their attention to saving surrounding property and rescuing the frightened guests. The corridors soon filled with smoke, making escape difficult, and it was only by using the greatest presence of mind that rescuing parties found their way to the street after they had once entered on the work of rescue.

The damage to the Brunswkick is estimated at $75,000. Tenants of the building suffered total losses. The tenants and their estimated losses are as follows: Oscar E. Amundson, florist, 409 Hennepin avenue, $1,000; R. L. Harrington, haberdasher, 407 Hennepin, $20,000; Brunswick cafe, 411 Henepin, $1,000; Arthur J. Hill, cigars, Hennepin and Fourth streets, $3,000; Elliott Fuel company, 9 Fourth street south, $500; P. Psyhoyis, shoe shining parlor, 7½ Fourth street, $300; Brunswick bar, $5,000; Brunswick poolroom, $3,000. The losses are said to be covered by insurance.

Until the names of all the guests and employes of the hotel can be checked from the register and payroll, the death toll or absence of such cannot be positively ascertained, until the ruins are thoroughly searched.

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WANT MORE WATER FOR THE SOO CANAL.

Washington, Dec. 12.—A delegation from Michigan, headed by Senator Smith and Representative Townsend, conferred with Secretary of War Dickinson, requesting an increase in the amount of water authorized to be diverted from Lake Superior into the Sault Ste. Marie canal. It is not permitted to divert water from the lake when that body has reached a specified level. The delegation asked that this restriction be modified. The matter has bee ntaken under advisement by the secretary, and will be referred to Gen. Bixby, chief of engineers, who was also present at the conference today.

What the Hon. Beriah Magoffin of Duluth Says of the

Red Circle Pills

"I was astonished by their effect. They soon made a new man of me. I would not be without Red Circle Pills in my family for the best Blue Grass farm in Kentucky. When you are sick take them until you are well. I write this for the cause of humanity, not to help you sell Red Circle Pills."

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Horses!

If you want a driving or saddle horse, or a good big work horse, weight 1,500 to 1,800, see me at once.

Horses bought and exchanged as well as sold.

WILLIAM RIEBOLT
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MOST DELIGHTFUL AND LUXURIOUS RESTAURANT IN DULUTH.

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DULUTH, MINN.
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GRAND PIANOS, UPRIGHT PIANOS, PLAYER PIANOS

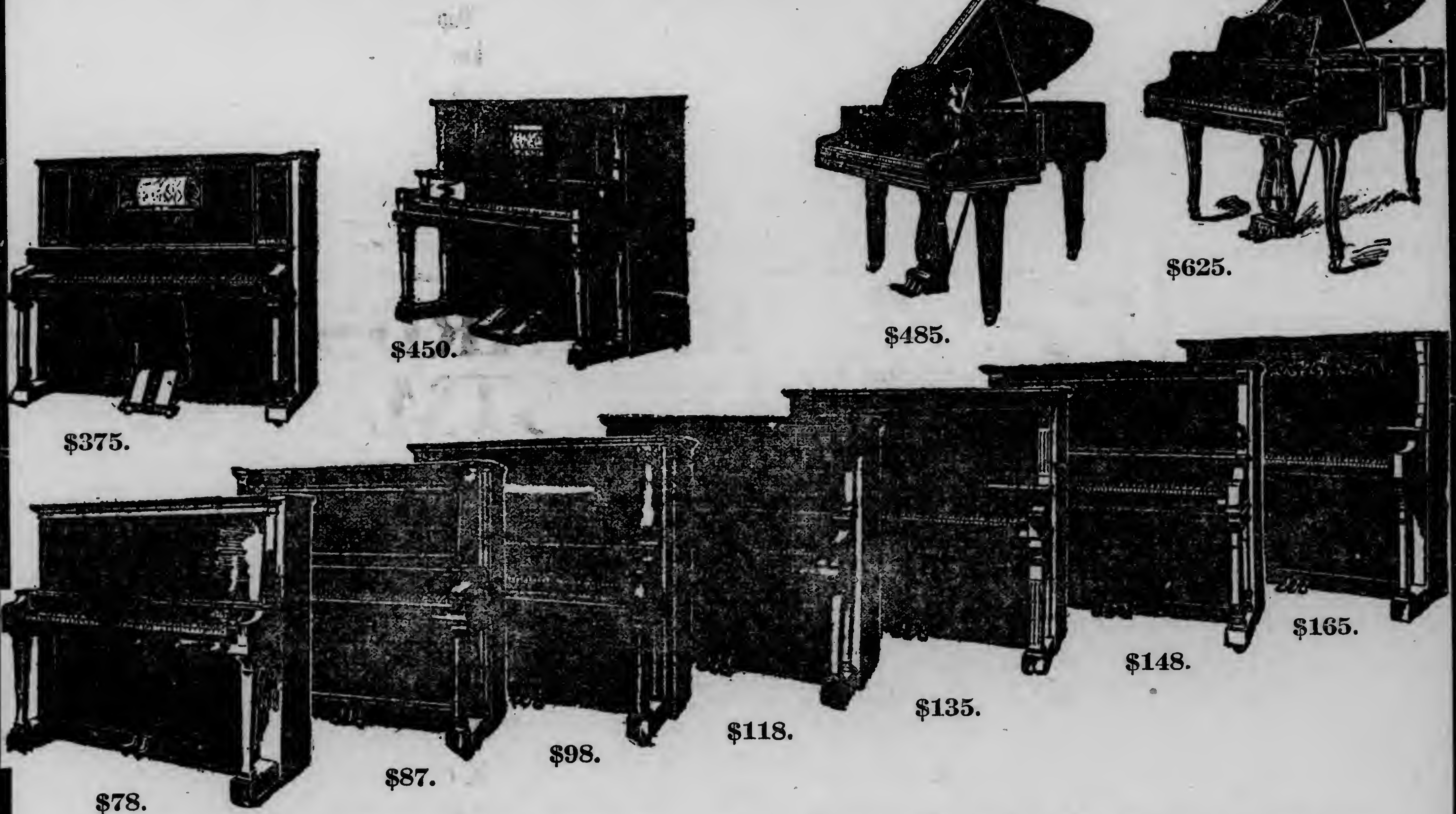
Many are contemplating the purchase of ONE OF THESE THREE INSTRUMENTS sometime before the busy days of the holiday season. Let this be a suggestion to you that you may attend to the piano buying early before becoming engrossed with endless details and preparations for Christmas.

GREAT CHRISTMAS PIANO SALE

Offers an opportunity to purchase a fine piano at a tremendous saving, being in many cases **Half** or **Less Than Half the Usual Price.** Can you afford to miss this occasion.

People often say "when I want to buy things they are never selling at low prices." Well here is a most fortunate sale coming at this time, just before Christmas, which is the time of all times to get a new piano. It is the one great Christmas present for the whole family.

100 RELIABLE PIANOS HALF PRICE



NEW PIANOS

In Mahogany, Walnut, Dark Oak, Light Oak and Mission Oak.

$175 Upright Pianos for ..	$78
$200 Upright Pianos for ..	$87
$225 Upright Pianos for ..	$98
$250 Upright Pianos for ..	$118
$275 Upright Pianos for ..	$135
$300 Upright Pianos for...	$148
$325 Upright Pianos for ..	$165
$400 Upright Pianos for ..	$225
$450 Upright Pianos for ..	$250
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$475 Upright Pianos for ..	$350
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$550 Knabe Colonial Upright Piano	$390
$600 Shearton Upright Piano for...	$475
$625 Mason & Hamlin Upright for	$525
$525 Everett Concert Upright for...	$385
$850 Knabe Grand Mahogany Piano	$675
$750 Everett Grand Mahogany Piano	$625
$650 Kurtzman Grand Mahogany Piano for	$485
$550 Inner Player Mahogany Upright for	$375
$600 Inner Player Mahogany Upright for	$450
$550 Inner Player Mahogany Upright Pilano for	$450

USED PIANOS

In Various Woods in Perfect Order.

$450 Steinway Upright for	$125
$550 Steinway Upright for	$365
$360 Emerson Upright for.....	$155
$275 Ivers & Pond Upright for	$120
$375 Chickering Upright for ..	$134
$400 Haines Bros.' Upright for	$175
$300 Fischer Upright for	$150
$325 Fischer Upright for ...... (Almost New.)	$250
$250 Kimball Upright for	$125
$400 Harvard Upright for	$190
$350 Laffargue Upright for	$250
$400 Schubert Upright for	$148

$300 Regent Upright for	$200
$300 Everard Upright for	$160
$250 New England Upright for	$125
$350 Reed & Sons' Upright for	$125
$450 Hallet & Davis Upright for	$295
$400 Hallet & Davis Upright for	$265
$275 Strauss Upright for	$150
$250 Wellman Upright for	$138
$250 Kohler Upright for	$175
$250 Campbell Upright for	$160
$550 Knabe Upright for	$390
$600 Knabe Upright for	$475
$525 Everett Upright for	$385
$150 Kimball Player for......	$35

TAKE TEN MONEY-MAKING MEN you know and sit them down. You'll find nine to be good buyers and the tenth one merely lucky. The nine wise ones will tell you that the money is made in the buy and the secret is in the saving.

The Piano Question is up to you now and what you SAVE on your purchase here this week is simply the earnings of your foresight working overtime.

YOU sometimes see the kind who are ready to scoff at the quality of an article that is reduced in price. If you are this kind, just remember that the merchant has his own problems of success to work out and this often involves a plan of large and quick selling at prices decidedly to YOUR advantage. If you were a shrewd buyer you would investigate any way, wouldn't you?

Satisfaction Guaranteed In Every Purchase.

Free Stool and Scarf.

Monthly Payments to Suit Customer.
$5.00 *Per Month and Up.*

If You Live Out of Town, Telephone or Write Us.

Pianos Shipped Anywhere in the State.

KNIGHTS OF RED CROSS GATHER AT BANQUET.

The assembly of St. George's conclave, Knights of the Red Cross of Constantine, had a banquet at the Kitchi Gammi club rooms Saturday night, with thirty guests at the tables. Minneapolis, St. Paul, Fargo and Wadena were represented. J. F. Treat of Fargo, deputy imperial potentate, A. A. O. N. M. S., and T. W. Hugo, spoke. The conclave will meet next in St. Paul. The last previous meeting was in Minneapolis.

SANTA CLAUS HEADQUARTERS

We are showing some beautiful small pieces of furniture in solid mahogany and Old English.

Such as **Parlor Cabinets, Card Tables, Sewing Cabinets**, small drop leaf **Tea Tables**, in several styles; **Music Cabinets** and many other handsome pieces suitable for **Christmas Gifts**.

We put on **Special Sale** several **birch, mahogany, Music Cabinets**, No. 670, without mirror (not like picture). This is a very well made Cabinet, price considered, and would sell in the regular way from $8.00 to $9.00. Our special sale price only

$5.85

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We invite you to visit our store. We have hundreds of beautiful pieces to show you.

Your Credit Is Good.

Complete Home Furnishers, Corner Second Avenue East and Superior Street, Duluth.

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CHRISTMAS

FOOTWEAR

FOR EVERYBODY

Here are afew Footwear Suggestions.

You could not select more appropriate Gifts if you sat up nights to think of something.

It is easy to make your selection at Wielands, where you have the variety to choose from.

FOR MEN

A pair of our choice Stacy-Adams & Co. Shoes; a pair of Dr. Reed's Comfort Shoes for tender feet; Storm Shoes, Dress Shoes, Dress Pumps, Fine Kid Slippers or Bath Slippers.

FOR WOMEN

Handsome Dress Boots, kids, patents, black suedes or velvets, Dainty Ties, Pumps, Slippers, Bedroom Slippers of kid or felt; Auto or Carriage Boots.

FOR THE YOUNG MAN

A pair of Wieland Special $4.00 Button or Blucher Style Shoes, high arch, and high heels, new high toe on the Pup or Pompadour last; Storm Boots, Dress Pumps, Slippers and Skating Shoes.

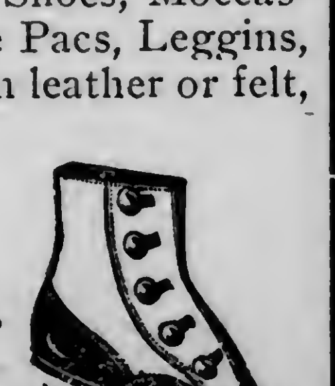
FOR THE YOUNG LADY

Beautiful styles of shoes—Gun Metal, Patents, Suede or Velvets, Dress Pumps, High-cut Storm Boots, tan or black; Tan Street Shoes, Skating Shoes, Moccasins, House Slippers, Comfy Slippers in popular colors, etc.

FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

Dress Shoes, School Shoes, Storm Shoes, Jockey Boots, High-cut Lace Shoes for boys, Skating Shoes, Moccasins, German Socks, Shoe Pacs, Leggins, Rubber Boots, Slippers in leather or felt, etc.

FOR THE LITTLE TOTS


MERRIAM SHOE CO.

Jockey Boots, Nature Shape Shoes, Slippers, Soft Sole Shoes, Moccasins, Sandals, or a pair of good and warm Leggins.

Fill the stockings with Footwear and you will do a very wise and sensible thing. We make any exchanges desired after Christmas. We're yours for useful Christmas Gifts.

THE SIGN OF THE GOLDEN SHOE.

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115 WEST SUPERIOR STREET.

DRIVEN OUT BY FLAMES

Two Sick People Carried From Rooms Over Grocery Store.

Early Morning Fire Damages Lundmark & Franson Building.

Fire, supposed to have been started by mice nibbling among a quantity of matches stored on a high shelf, broke out in the large grocery store of Lundmark & Franson, Tenth avenue east and Second street, shortly after 4 o'clock this morning.

The damage to the building and stock is estimated at $10,000 to $12,000, fully covered by insurance. The firm carried $25,000 insurance on the building and $20,000 on the stock.

Four families living in the flats upstairs were driven into the freezing atmosphere. Some of the residents had narrow escapes from suffocation, the smoke being very thick. Two daughters of W. W. Nott, a railway conductor, who were ill with scarlet fever, had to be carried from the building. They were taken care of by neighbors, as were the others who had to make their escape in scanty attire.

The blaze started in the store room, and worked its way upthrough the ceiling. The probability is that it was caused by mice, but is thought possible that crossed electric wires may have been responsible.

Shortly after all had made their escape, the upper floor was badly shaken by a heavy explosion, which blew out all the windows and the sash, in some instances. One heavy sash narrowly missed striking the head of Chief Joseph Randall. It fell at his feet. Others were also fortunate, no one being injured.

Some difficulty was experienced by the department in handling the water, as it froze rapidly, the thermometer being down below zero. The damage would have been heavier had it not been for the efficient work of the salvage corps, which succeeded in saving much of the stock by covering it before it was damaged by the water.

BASKETBALL GAMES

Scheduled by the Cloquet Team for the Winter.

Cloquet, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—The first game of basket ball with an outside school will be played in the gym at the Lincoln high next Friday evening, with Hibbing. A schedule for the winter has been arranged as follows: Grand Rapids at Grand Rapids, Dec. 23; Grand Rapids at Cloquet, Jan. 13; Aitkin at Aitkin, Jan. 20; Chisholm at Cloquet, Jan. 28; Chisholm at Chisholm, Feb. 3; Hibbing at Hibbing, Feb. 4; Aitkin at Cloquet, Feb. 17; Duluth Central at Cloquet, Feb. 24. Cloquet high school has always had a good basket ball team, and the quint this year is said to be unusually strong.

USING CLOQUET SCHOOLS.

Buildings Will Be Taken Over for Amusement Purposes.

Cloquet, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—Cloquet is falling in line with larger cities in the idea of using the school buildings as places of public gatherings, and it has been decided to open up the Washington and Garfield schools in the evening for any meeting that it may be desirable to hold therein. Wednesday evening, Dec. 14, there will be a meeting held in the interest of the work of the tuberculosis association, a meeting of the citizens, physicians, teachers and public school children, clergymen and members of the charitable organizations. The subject of tuberculosis as it affects the home and school will be discussed by physicians and other local speakers.

CLOQUET LODGES ELECT.

Cloquet, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—The following lodges have elected officers for the year: Modern Brotherhood of America, President, Mrs. Agnes McDonald; vice president, Henry Beyers; secretary, Mrs. A. Serri; treasurer, Mrs. Henry Beyers; chaplain, Mrs. W. Cochrane; conductor, William Valley.

S. H. and E. F.: President, Edward Johnson; vice president, Charles Lundell; recording secretary, F. Gustafson; financial secretary, Carl Johnson; treasurer, L. G. Johnson; marshal, A. F. Johnson; chaplain, John Ostrom; inner guard, Oscar Lundell; watchman, Erick Olson.

French Order Catholic Forester: President, Mrs. Joseph Bergeron; vice president, Mrs. Mike Huard; financial secretary, Mrs. P. Franklin; recording secretary, Mrs. William Dupont; treasurer, Mrs. N. Bernier.

Eastern Star: Worthy matron, Mrs. Maurice Erwin; worthy patron, John Sheean; associate matron, Mrs. L. A. Fauley; secretary, Mrs. Charles Canfield;treasurer, Mrs. William Peters; field; treasurer, Ella Cox; associate conductress, Jean Wunderlich.

CLOQUET BRIEFS.

Cloquet, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—Mrs. Charles Deming and daughter will leave this week for Chicago to spend the winter with Mrs. Deming's brother, Dr. Clagett.

Mrs. C. P. Osburn left Saturday for Indianapolis to visit for several weeks. Mr. Osburn will spend the holidays with her there.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Reiter are the parents of a daughter, born Dec. 4.

Mrs. N. N. Nesthus spent the week in Minneapolis.

The Minerva Literary society of the high school has elected the following officers: President, Herbert Sell; vice president, Odiel Loisel; secretary, Gladys Wright; ushers, Russell Case and Clarence Keller.

Miss Nina Halvorson has returned from an extended visit in Chicago.

Richard Fryklund spent Sunday with friends in Superior.

Miss Anna Johnson has returned from a tour of Michigan cities, in which she gave violin concerts. She visited Houghton, Calumet, Ishpeming, Marquette and Crystal Falls.

Twenty-one births and nine deaths are reported for the city of Cloquet during the month of November. The city is more free from contagious diseases than for several years at this season.

Frank Heywood, who has been ill at the Cloquet hospital with pneumonia, has so far recovered as to be taken to his home in Pine City, his brother, John Heywood, accompanying him.

Albin Halvorson, who is employed in Duluth, spent the week with his parents in this city.

MUNICIPAL LODGING HOUSE PROBLEM BOBS UP AGAIN.

The cold weather is driving a large number of men to the police station for shelter. Last night about thirty men of all ages and descriptions applied at headquarters for a place to sleep. All of them were without funds and they said that they could get no work.

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TWO YEARS IN PRISON

"Furniture Movers" Sentenced By Judge Dibell in District Court.

Admitted Stealing Household Furniture From Store of F. S. Kelly Company.

Judge Dibell of the district court this morning sentenced Sylvester F. Brenic and Peter Walmsley to two years each at hard labor at the Minnesota state prison at Stillwater. The men pleaded guilty to an indictment charging them with grand larceny in the second degree.

They are the men who were some time ago caught moving a part of the F. S. Kelly Furniture company's stock away. They had been taking things for some time, it is said. The goods taken were all household furniture.

When first arraigned the men entered pleas of not guilty but they were changed to guilty when they stood before the court this morning.

John and William Kubicki were indicted for grand larceny in the second degree with Brenic and Walmsley, but it is expected that they will maintain their pleas of not guilty and demand a trial.

Joe Schultz, who pleaded guilty to an indictment charging him with assault, got off with a suspended sentence.

TIME IS MONEY

Do not waste either in taking lessons by mail or attending some so-called business college because its rates are low. To warrant your success you should have the best possible business training, which training is given at the **DULUTH BUSINESS UNIVERSITY**, located at 118-120 Fourth avenue west, Christie building. Both 'phones. Students admitted at any time.

OBITUARY

Edward Van Wyck Rossiter, vice president of the New York Central lines, died at his home in Flushing, L. I., Sunday morning, of a complication of diseases, after an illness of some months. His life had been despaired of for several days and his wife and family were at the bedside.

James T. Hurst, a well known lumberman and politician, is dead at his home in Wyandotte, Mich. He was 67 years old.

Henry Guy Carleton, author and dramatist, died at Hot Springs, Ark., Dec. 10, of paralysis after an illness extending over several years. Mr. Carleton went to Hot Springs a few years ago suffering from rheumatism. For a time it was thought his health would be restored. He relapsed, however, and for several months it was known that his condition was hopeless.

During the interval when it was thought he was improving, Mr. Carleton planned to write a play. He described his ideas of his daughter, who has been his constant attendant, but the work was not completed.

Judge James Madison Pereles, aged 58 years, died in Milwaukee, Dec. 11, after a lingering illness. He was well known throughout Wisconsin in educational circles and was a prominent member of the Masonic fraternity. He served as probate judge of Milwaukee county for a number of years.

Rev. Thomas S. Fitzgerald, former provincial of the Missouri province of the Jesuits, is dead at Florissant, Mo., where he had gone for his health. He was at the head of the church of the Jesuits in Milwaukee, Wis.

Amelie Folsom Young, a widow of the famous prophet and leader, Brigham Young, died at her home in Salt Lake City, Utah, Dec. 11. She was 72 years old and her death was caused by paralysis.

Mrs. Young played an important part in the early history of Utah, and it was for her that Brigham Young built a church known as Amelia's palace, one of the show places of Salt Lake City.

Mrs. Young was born in Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 23, 1838, her father being William H. Folsom, who had joined the Mormon church and who became prominent in its affairs.

Dr. Emil Reich, author and lecturer on history, died in London, England, Dec. 11. He was born at Eperjes, Hungary, in 1854.

Charles J. Bellamy, founder and publisher of the Springfield Daily News, died at his home in Springfield, Mass., Dec. 12, after a three-weeks' illness. Mr. Bellamy was 59 years old. He was graduated from Williston seminary and after a brief course at Harvard, was admitted to the bar in 1876.

MARSHALL ATTENDS MEETING OF MANAGERS.

C. A. Marshall, manager of the Lyceum theater, is in the Twin Cities at the present time, where he is attending a meeting of theatrical managers, called for the purpose of coming to an agreement that would result in better booking for the theaters of the Northwest.

In addition to Mr. Marshall, representing the Copper and Iron circuit; John Cort, of the Cort theaters; John Considine of the Sullivan & Considine circuit; C. P. Walker of Winnipeg, of the Red River circuit, and others were present. In all more than 2,000 theaters were represented at the gathering.

It is expected that the meeting will result in more plays coming to the Lyceum, as well as resulting in more direct and less complicated booking arrangements.

A STEADY JOB.

Chicago Record-Herald: So many witnesses had queered his clients' cases by swearing that the shots they had heard in a shooting affair were only thirty seconds apart, that when pressed to tell what they were doing when each report was heard, naming actions so dissimilar that it must have taken at least ten minutes to switch from one to the other, the criminal lawyer swore that he would maintain consistency above all things in his latest case. Gustave, the Swedish janitor, had heard two shots fired at the injured man, and the lawyer impressed upon him the importance of swearing that he was engaged in the same task at each shot.

In the course of the trial it was brought out that the shots had been fired a month apart, the first being merely a little target practice that did not harm, the second inflicting a serious wound. But there was no time to coach Gustave anew. Said the lawyer:

"What were you doing when the first shot was fired?"

"I was sitting in the kitchen gnawing a chicken bone," said Gustave.

"And what were you doing when the second shot was fired? Be careful how you answer."

And Gustave was careful.

"I was sitting in the kitchen," said he, "gnawing that same chicken bone."

AN APPLE PIE FEAST.

London Standard: A quaint ceremony, known as apple pie feast, has just been observed at Branscombe. Owners of orchards provided that the apples, and funds are collected for the making of the pies. Every one is welcome to eat of them on handing in his plate. The actual consumption takes place in the village square, the pies being brought from a local bakehouse in a decorated pony cart and placed on tables, from which they are served out to the crowd. The late vicar and his wife always had the first helping, and "for old times sake" the first was this year taken by proxy for his aged widow.

OIL ON TROUBLED WATERS.

Shop Notes Quarterly: Experiments made with various kinds of oil used with soapsuds have demonstrated that soap water is theoretically the best agent for preventing the growth of waves because it spreads more rapidly and brings about a greater reduction of the surface tension.

In practice, however, turpentine is generally preferred by seamen because it weighs less and does not mix with the water. In fact turpentine is considered superior to all other oils.

Next in order of merit are sperm oil, rapeseed oil, linseed oil, benzoin, ricinous oil, oil of almond, oil of olives and petroleum. Thick and heavy oils are the best and animal or vegetable oils are better than those derived from minerals.

Raw petroleum is much to be preferred to the refined article. Cocoanut oil and some kinds of fish oil congeal in cold weather and are then useless unless mixed with mineral oils.

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YEAR'S WAR UPON FRAUD

Story Is Told in Report of Attorney General Wickersham.

He Would Reduce Penalty for Selling Liquor to Indians.

Washington, Dec. 12.—The annual report of Attorney General Wickersham, presented to congress today, is one long story of frauds against the government.

Trusts, so called and real; their alleged conspiracies to defeat the law; land frauds; customs frauds; frauds on the internal revenue; rebates; bucket shops, and fraudulent uses of the mails have made 1910 the most strenuous year in the history of the department of justice. Mr. Wickersham states that only the earnest and enthusiastic work of the men of his force has made the work successful.

Sale of Liquor to Indians.

Among his recommendations is one that "the act providing punishment for the sale of liquor to Indians should be amended by reducing the maximum penalty to imprisonment for one year. The result of this would be that such offenses could be prosecuted by information instead of by indictment. Practically no larger penalty is ever exacted, and it is very rare that even as much as ninety days' imprisonment is imposed.

"Under the present law, an indictment being required, there is an expense incident to every prosecution amounting to about one hundred dollars per case, besides the delay incident to submission to the grand jury."

Prosecutions for violations of the anti-trust law were foremost in the work of the year. Actions, says the attorney general, are now under way or pending against the following so-called trusts: Tobacco trust, Standard Oil company, Sugar trust, Harriman lines, Hard Coal trust, Powder trust, Terminal Railway Association of St. Louis, Towing trust on the Great Lakes, James A. Patton and others for an alleged corner in cotton, Beef trust, Wholesale Grocers' trust, Butter and Egg trust, Brick trust, Bath Tub trust.

Convicted and Fined.

The following convictions were secured and fines imposed during the year:

Paper Trust, fined	$57,000
Night Riders, fined	3,500
Window Glass Trust ,fined	10,000

After the attorney general's report came from the press, however, the American Naval Stores company, known as the Turpentine trust, and six co-defendants were convicted of violations of the anti-trust law. Two of the individual defendants were sentenced to three months each in jail and fines aggregating $17,500 were imposed.

Prosecutions of the sugar trust for frauds upon the government in the weighing of raw sugar, recovered for the government $3,135,365.88. Convictions of individuals, still fresh in the public mind, were secured.

Frauds in Importations.

Most extensive af oll frauds against the government yet discovered, are those in the undervaluations of imports into the United States. The extent of the treasury losses can only be conjectured. Every step of the investigation shows fresh leads.

There are now suits under way to recover $700,000 of which the customs revenue is said to have been defrauded in imports of cheese and figs from Mediteranean ports; indictments are pending and some convictions have been secured. A highly organized system to defraud the goverment has been disclosed.

Indictments are Pending.

More than thirty individual indictments are pending against persons charged with smuggling with "steeper trunks," offers of the attorney general from several firms of importers who have confessed to frauds in undervaluations.

"The conditions disclosed seem to indicate a very general practice of under valuations," says the attorney general, "and a very lax administration of the customs laws in the past, which has subjected the government to a very material loss of revenue. A general investigation into the subject of frauds by under valuation has only commenced, and this branch of the subject will now be pressed vigorously."

General Immunity Bath.

The attorney general recommends that a general immunity statute, such as exists under the interstate commerce laws, should be enacted to apply to criminal prosecutions generally, but says such a statute should only protect a witness from the consequence of the testimony he is about to give.

Twenty-five criminal indictments charging rebating and other illegal discriminations are pending against railroads, private corporations and individuals. Two convictions with fines were secured during the year.

The department won signal victories during the year against unlawful fencing of the public domain. In ninety-eight civil suits and twenty-eight criminal prosecutions more than 400,000 acres of land illegally fenced were restored to the government.

Government After Land.

Prosecutions against the Oregon & California Railroad company and forty-five other defendants to recover 2,300,000 acres of lands valued at $50,000,000, which the government claims are illegally held, are now pending. There are also under way twenty-four suits against the Central Pacific Railway company and others to recover thousands of acres of valuable lands which the government contends were illegally patented, probably with the private knowledge that they were valuable for the mineral and oils underneath.

War On Bucket Shops.

In the department's campaign against bucket shops, 350 such places were closed, others voluntarily closed as a result of the crusade and indictments are pending against men and corporations and the telegraph company which allowed the use of its wires.

The bureau of investigation, which has built up an efficient secret police, began raids on firms charged with using the mails for fraudulent purposes. The attorney general recommends legislation to permit the agents of that bureau to administer oaths and serve processes.

Recommends New Laws.

During the year there were 15,371 criminal cases of all sorts in the United States courts, which produced fines and forfeitures and penalties aggregating $1,083,974.

Mr. Wickersham recommends legislation to give the right af appeal in Indian cases; a law for the issue of search warrants for property stolen from the government; that federal judges be allowed traveling expenses within their own districts and that the salaries of all federal justices be increased.

He also recommends that the statute of limitations in customs frauds be extended from three to five years. The attorney general also recommends legislation to permit the United States to sue and prosecute an offending corporation wherever that corporation may do business.

Needs of Alaska.

As a result of the attorney general's recent trip to Alaska he presents some recommendations for the relief in that territory. Some law should be enacted to help the needy and deserving poor in that clime, he says. Under the present law, when a person is found with legs or arms frozen off or starved nearly to death, it is necessary to charge the invalid with vagrancy and have him committed in order to get treatment in a government hospital.

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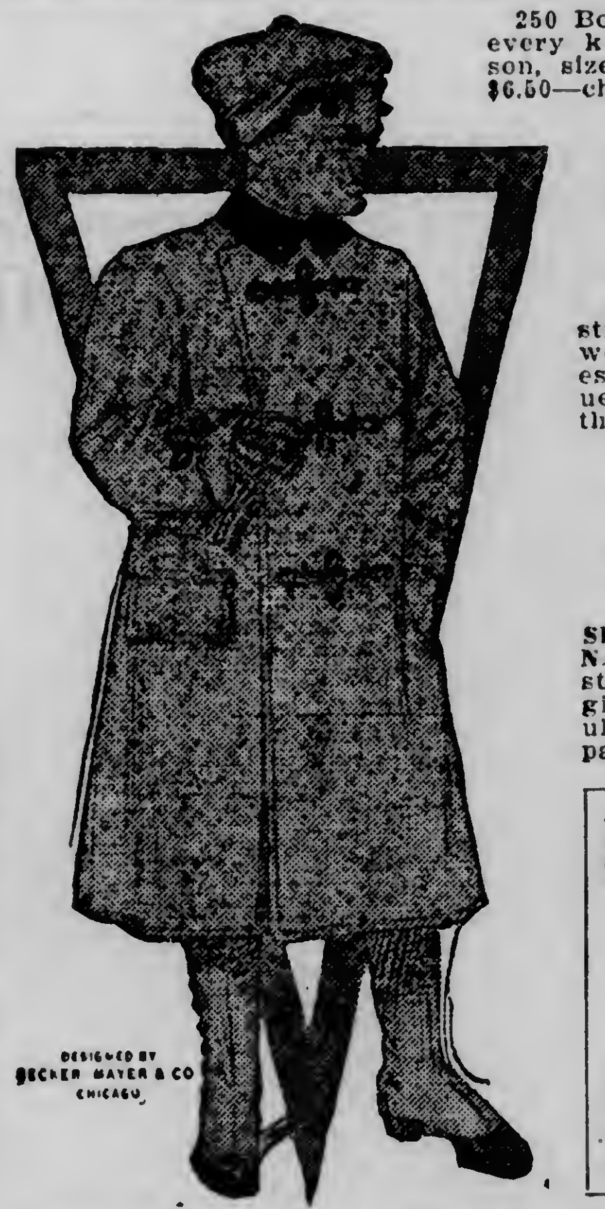

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SHOOTS HER HUSBAND.

Woman Says He Has Been Jealous for Fifteen Years.

Monongehela, Pa., Dec. 12. — The twenty-six years of married life of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Bowman, well known residents of this place, whose family includes several grown-up children, was punctuated Sunday by the wife's use of a revolver inflicting a dangerous wound in Bowman's neck. The circumstances as related by Mrs. Bowman after she had called the police to arrest her, are unusual.

"For fifteen years," she said, "he has persecuted me with jealous suspicions. Today it was 'too much intimacy' with one of our boarders, and he became so violent over the matter that I called police headquarters and asked if they would send up a man to keep peace in the family. They said 'no,' unless I wanted an arrest made. I asked if I might defend myself and they said 'certainly.'

"I hung up the receiver and went to my room to get a revolver. Luther stopped me as I came down stairs and said if I called the police he would kill the officer. He tried to grab me and I fired."

The bullet lodged in a dangerous position in Bowman's neck and the hospital surgeons are afraid to operate for fear of a fatal ending. Mrs. Bowman is prostrated.

SIMPLE REMEDY FOR KIDNEYS

The following prescription is known to be one of the most effective obtainable for quick relief and permanent restoration of the kidneys and bladder: "Half ounce fluid extract Buchu; half ounce Murax compound; six ounces of good gin. Take one to two teaspoonfuls after each meal and at bed time." Any druggist can mix or furnish the ingredients of this prescription.

Pain in the back, rheumatic pains, frequent and scanty urination, and pains in groin are nature's warnings that the kidneys are deranged, and should have immediate attention, or serious illness, such as Bright's disease or diabetes, are likely to follow.

NEW YORK FIRE HERO RETIRES ON FULL PAY.

New York, Dec. 12.—For the first time in the history of the New York fire department, a fireman has been retired on full pay. Capt. James J. McCormick, characterized by Commissioner Waldo as the bravest fireman who ever donned a helmet, has returned to civil life after spending thirty-nine years in the service, and until he dies he will draw $2,500 a year, the full pay of a captain.

In 1888, when the Pratt Oil works in Brooklyn were destroyed, McCormick brought his crew of fire fighters safely out of a death trap of smoke and flame. Then he staggered into the street and fell unconscious, terribly burned from head to foot and with the use of both arms gone. He has since done clerical work in the office of the fire marshal.

CONVICT HAS LEPROSY.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Dec. 12.—A specialist engaged by the state board of health has announced that Ernest Williams, serving a seven-year term in the state penitentiary, has leprosy. The man will be moved to a leper colony immediately. He has a wife and child living at Sapulpa, Okla., and was in the Muskogee county jail six months. Warden Dick of the penitentiary says Williams has been kept apart from other prisoners during the time he has been there.

FAMOUS BLACK HEN DEAD.

Nearly Twenty-Two Years Old and Laid 4,000 Eggs.

Biddeford, Me., Dec. 12.—Capt. Daniel Tarbox's famous black hen is dead. The hen would have been 22 years old had she lived until next May.

Her record as a producer has been a remarkable one, the captain asserting the bird had laid 4,000 eggs, the last on the day after Maine went Democratic, and the egg proved of unusual size.

She had never been licked by anything on the place that wore feathers, was never known to be broody and had no use for chickens.

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FOUR KILLED IN WRECK.

Seven Others Injured in Grand Trunk Collision.

Montreal, Dec. 12. — Four trainmen were killed and seven others injured, one seriously, on the Grand Trunk railway near St. Hyacinth on the Portland line when the Inter-colonial railway's Nicollet train dashed into a light Grand Trunk engine. The dead:

C. BRIGGS, conductor, on the light engine.

W. W. WALKER, engineer of the light engine.

R. JAMIESON, engineer.

M. DIONNE, fireman of the Intercolonial train.

The road at this point is double tracked. The light engine took the wrong track after leaving St. Hyacinth.

JOHN D. TO BE THE VILLAGE SANTA CLAUS.

Tarrytown, N. Y., Dec. 12.—John D. Rockefeller is to be Santa Claus this year for Tarrytown children. Cards have been distributed all over the village announcing that all children who are members of the Sunday school of Mr. Rockefeller's church, the First Baptist, will receive at Christmas time a stocking full of goodies.

FORMER MINNESOTAN IS SHOT IN MONTANA.

Missoula, Mont., Dec. 13.—Fred Graham, brother of Sheriff Davis Graham of this county and formerly a resident of Anoka, Minn., accidentally shot himself while hunting rabbits.

Although bleeding profusely from a gaping hole in his side, from which his lungs protruded, Graham walked a mile to summon aid. He will die.

Priest Dies at Altar.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Dec. 12.—While preaching a sermon to his congregation in the chapel of St. Mary's here late Sunday afternoon, Rev. Father George Fleisch, chaplain of the hospital, was taken suddenly ill and died before he could be removed from the altar.

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> *A mechanized automaton.*
>
> *—Shelley.*

THE COMMISSION PLAN.

No. 24.—What It Did in Des Moines.

In this series The Herald has referred before to Des Moines; in many respects the most conspicuous examplar of the commsision form of city government in operation. These references, however, have been in general terms. Details having been given of the workings of the new plan in several typical cities, a similar showing should be made for Des Mones, the most typical. Here are some of the results of the commission plan in Des Moines:

The city's net loss in the last year of the old government was $134,510.62; the net gain in the first year under the new charter was $48,439.10; a total relative saving of $182,949.65.

The tax levy for city purposes in the last year of the old charter was 38.7 mills on the 25 per cent valuation established by law; the first year under the new charter it was 36.4 mills.

Public improvements to the value of $357,755.50 were made during the first year under the new system. Contractors were held strictly to the specifications and claims for extras, which had grown into a crying abuse, were firmly rejected. The quality of all public work was visibly improved.

Several carloads of inferior creosote paving blocks were rejected.

A modern system of bookkeeping was installed.

Municipal expenditures were held strictly within the city's revenues, ending a practice of piling up yearly deficits to which almost the entire bonded indebtedness was due.

Numerous leaks were stopped; all the licenses collected were turned into the treasury.

Street lights, formerly costing $75 to $95, were reduced to a uniform rate of $65 per arc lamp per year, and the "moonlight" service was abolished, insuring better service.

All public work was promptly done, and complaints were given immediate attention. The streets were kept cleaner; the alleys in business sections, never before cleaned at all, were thoroughly cleaned.

Street signs were put up throughout the city, years of clamor for them having failed to induce the old government to make this improvement.

The wages of men with teams were increased from $3.50 to 4.50, and those of day laborers from $2 to $2.25; better service was demanded and secured.

Uniform cement walks were laid throughout the business section. The cost of cleaning catch basins was reduced from $1.40 to $1.12; the cost of bridge paving was cut from $4.74 per yard to $4.09; the cost of culverts was reduced from $17.61 to $12.63; mowing in the parks was done at 75 per cent of the old cost.

Work done by contract was let to the lowest bidder without manipulation. Friendly but mutually self-respecting relations were established between the public service corporations and the city government.

City politics was entirely divorced from state and national politics. Private enterprise and public spirit were remarkably stimulated. The city, formerly noted for its discord, became notably harmonious.

All these things, and many minor good results, were secured solely by putting city business on a business basis and eliminating party and ward politics.

THE CHRISTMAS OF THE POOR.

The sound of money clinking in the red pots of the Salvation Army is a merry, heart-warming noise.

Out of those red pots, standing at the busy street corners and presided over by members of this gallant army of salvation, comes the Christmas of the poor, and a dime or a dollar tossed into one of these pots is money well invested. It will be well and wisely spent, it will go where it is most needed, and it will illumine the bleakness of the life of the poor with the rosy cheer of Christmas charity at Christmas time.

Nobody, perhaps, comes closer to the actual needs of the poor than the Salvation soldiers. They know how the poor live, they know how distress sits within the homes of the poor while the wolf waits at the door. They know where the little ones are whose pitiful stockings will hang limp and empty unless somebody takes the place of that old rogue Santa Claus, who betrays his sycophancy by putting in his time in the homes of the rich.

The Salvation Army pot will furnish the Christmas of the poor. Keep it boiling.

THE CIVIC BANQUET.

Such occasions as the civic banquet of Saturday night never fail to give an impulse to all good works. Co-operation is the force that is driving society along the rugged road of progress, and the energy it creates is so vast and irresistible that the wonder of it is that men and women do not use it more. Such a gathering as that of Saturday night is a clearing house of public spirit, in which is generated forces that are all-powerful in the life of a community. There men and women take counsel together, joining voice to voice and thought to thought and working out of the chaos of individual aspirations the order of a community spirit.

It is good to see that the commission form of government, the next move that Duluth is to make toward better things in city government, received marked attention at this gathering and evoked a lively interest. It is the biggest single proposition now confronting the people of Duluth, and it cannot have too much consideration.

There should be more such gatherings. They make for progress, and for a stronger, more united and more effective public spirit. The Women's council is to be congratulated on the success of its enterprise.

DEVELOPMENT OF SOUTHERN MINNESOTA.

The campaign for the development of Minnesota has tended altogether too much to create the impression that the development is to be all in Northern Minnesota.

That is decidedly wrong; and besides it fails to bring home to the people of Southern Minnesota their share in this work and their prospects of benefiting by it.

It is true that even if the development work were confined to Northern Minnesota, which, being almost wholly undeveloped, needs such work most, it could not be carried out without helping all parts of the state.

But it is a mistake to suppose that it is Northern Minnesota alone that is in need of development.

A part of the work of development—and a vital part, too,—will be the teaching of agricultural methods that will result in extracting the utmost profit from the soil without exhausting its richness; for soil can be robbed just as easily as a forest can be laid waste. Development involves soil surveys that will show what the soil is made of, what essentials it lacks, what elements have been taken out of it, and what needs to be done to restore it to its pristine fertility—or to a fertility even greater than that. Southern Minnesota needs that as much as Northern Minnesota—more, indeed, because there has been more soil waste there.

Another part of the work of development will be the planting of trees on acres unsuited for agriculture, and Southern Minnesota has such acres. Another part will be drainage, and Southern Minnesota needs drainage. Another will be good roads, and Southern Minnesota needs good roads.

A glance at the returns from the 1910 census shows clearly enough that Southern Minnesota needs development. Iowa has gone back in population, and the census figures have aroused that state to the need of action. Southern Minnesota is in the same fix, and has the same need of action.

Northern and Southern Minnesota must co-operate in this work of state development, making it all part of a general comprehensive plan, working harmoniously, effectively and with a minimum of waste toward the greater glory and prosperity of all Minnesota.

Twenty-two counties of Southern Minnesota have gone back in population in the last ten years. When the figures for the cities are available it will be found that most of them have increased in population, so that the loss of the agricultural regions is even greater than it seems from the figures by counties, the only ones now available.

Of these twenty-two counties four have not only a smaller population than they had in 1900, but their showing is less today than it was in 1890, twenty years ago.

When the cities and the newer portions of Northern Minnesota are taken out of the total, it will be found that the rural population of Minnesota has gone back at a rate that is little short of appalling.

State development is not a Northern Minnesota matter, but a state matter.

SUBSCRIPTION SWINDLERS.

Word comes to The Herald that subscription swindlers are using its name to defraud people in many parts of the territory in Minnesota in which this newspaper circulates.

These men are offering a combination of The Herald, Colliers', the Ladies' Home Journal and other periodicals at ridiculously low prices. All those who are swindled get out of it is a receipt which is worthless.

The prices at which these fake subscriptions are sold are so low that they ought to be a warning in themselves, but it seems necessary to notify the public that they are swindles, pure and simple.

The Herald does not enter into combination with any publication whatever. It does not shade its subscription price for any purpose, nor does it give premiums of any kind. It is sold only at the prices quoted at the head of this page, and no subscriptions should be given to anybody not provided with proper credentials from this office.

Any person offering The Herald at reduced prices, or in combination with any other publication, can be set down as a fraud and should be handed over to the police.

A LONG STEP AHEAD.

The Socialists of Duluth acted wisely when they refused to put a plank in their platform opposing the commission form of city government. They are not so numerous as they expect to be, but they have a tidy bunch of votes, and these votes should always be enlisted on the side of progress.

The only objection urged by Socialists to the commission plan is that it eliminates partisanship, and this is one of its chief merits in the minds of most people, who have ceased to regard party glory as the chief end of man. The Socialists's position is a little different. He is trying to bring about a co-operative commonwealth which he believes can come only through his party, and only through that medium by keeping it compactly organized, trained and disciplined. That is why the Socialist today is the greater stickler for partisanship. The commission plan prohibits candidates running under party designations, and that would prevent Socialists from running as Socialists.

However, there has come into the Socialist movement in recent years a broader spirit, sometimes called "opportunism," which is willing to yield something for the sake of progress. Instead of sticking out for the whole program or nothing at all, it is willing to take a step in advance providing it is in the right direction. And this new spirit, it may be said, is the chief thing that makes Socialism really formidable.

The commission plan is clearly a step ahead, and in the right direction, whether judged from the Socialist's viewpoint or the viewpoint of the man who simply wishes to keep humanity moving forward toward real democracy, and who wishes to see something accomplished in his life time as an incentive to renewed efforts for greater achievements. With its principles of the initiative, the referendum and the recall it is abundantly safeguarded, and under it the people rule.

Dr. Flexner of the Rockefeller institute has undergone an operation for appendicitis. To keep things in perfect accord the doctor must have gone under the knife without the influence of an anaesthetic.

THE OPEN COURT.

(Readers of The Herald are invited to make free use of this column to express their ideas about the topics of general interest. Letters should not exceed 300 words—the shorter the better. They must be written on one side of the paper only, and they must be accompanied in every case by the name and address of the writer, though these need not be published. A signed letter is always more effective, however.)

SHOULD GUARD AGAINST OVER-BONDING.

To the Editor of The Herald:

I notice that the city council has asked the legislature to authorize the city to issue bonds to build a municipal electric lighting plant. It seems to me that this matter of issuing bonds, or of authorizing bond issues, is something this city ought to go about very cautiously. Maybe these bonds are necessary. Maybe the authorization is necessary as a club to enforce a good contract with the private company when the present contract expires. But it seems to me that in view of all the circumstances, it ought to be evident beyond all doubt that it is necessary before there is even talk of it.

I haven't the figures at hand, but I understand that the bonded debt of Duluth, including general bonds, water and light bonds and school bonds, is now considerably more than $6,500,000. This is about $85 for every man, woman and child in Duluth.

Duluth's tax rate is high, and the size of the tax rate has an inevitable bearing upon the growth and prospects of a city. This enormous bonded debt, you may be sure, has its share in making the Duluth tax rate high and keeping it high.

Yet there is constant talk of more bonds. The park board is issuing $50,000 a year. The school board issues more at frequent intervals. The water and light board has made several large issues, and proposes a new issue of $300,000 which is, I believe, absolutely necessary. Mayor Cullum urges the issuance of bonds for dock purposes, and that is a business investment which Duluth absolutely must make if it is to hold its proper place. And now there is talk of more bonds for a city electric plant.

Where is Duluth coming out if it keeps on issuing bonds thus freely? Already this city has passed the legal limit, and can issue no more bonds without the authorization of the legislature. Its bonds ought to be freely salable at low rates of interest, but it has to pay high rates, and has, I am told, sold bonds at a discount.

Every dollar's worth of additional bonds will increase the gravity of this situation, and lower the city's credit, especially if any of them are authorized or issued for purposes not absolutely necessary. Bonds authorized but not issued will affect the city's credit and the desirability of its necessary bond issues as an investment, almost as much as bonds actually issued, because they may be issued at any time.

Before there is further talk of this bond issue, or before the legislature is asked to authorize it, why doesn't the city see if it can't get a favorable renewal of its present contract with the private company? Perhaps an attempt has been made and failed. I don't know about that, and if it has I am probably in error in thus publishing my views. Nevertheless, it seems to me as a business man that this thing of dashing lightheartedly into debt because it is easy is bad business; especially since, judging from what I have read of recent sales of Duluth bonds, it has ceased to be easy to do it on favorable terms.

I should apologize, perhaps, for thus trespassing to such an extent on your valuable space, but it seems to me that this subject is important enough to warrant it. May I ask what The Herald itself thinks about it? Very truly, CHARLES R. HAINES.

Duluth, Dec. 12.

THE SOLUTION OF THE FOREST FIRE PROBLEM.

To the Editor of The Herald:

From a number of years' experience in the woods in the northern part of the state and personal observation of our forest fires of late years, I have come to the conclusion that the proper and most effective way to fight forest fires is to prevent them by burning the slashings, rubbish and dead grass when there is enough moisture in the ground to prevent the ground itself from catching fire.

This cannot be done during the winter when rubbish and slashings left from logging are covered with snow, as it would incur enormous expense. The weather would have to be watched and the work handled locally. A few days after a heavy spring or summer rain is the best time to burn brush, because the ground is then sufficiently moist to keep fire from spreading even after the brush becomes quite dry.

Next, the burden of expense for the burning and cleaning of rubbish and slashings, which are now in many places a regular fire trap, should not fall on the tax payers of the state, but should be taxed against the land itself, as it is a benefit to the land if burnt in proper season and would increase the value of the land in proportion to the expense of clearing the same. As there is no value in the cutover lands for farming purposes before the rubbish is burned and land cleared and under cultivation, the owner of the land is the one who benefits by the work. Why should I be called upon to clean my neighbor's back yard? It would not be any added hardship to the farmers if such a law were passed, because as it is he must clear his land anyway.

We must bear in mind that our state is draining a lot of our swamp lands. Such lands must be protected in dry weather from catching fire as it is next to impossible to put the fires out after they get started on such lands. The lumber companies and railroads are logging and cutting heavily over their lands to save the timber from being burnt. This cutting leaves great slashings and brush piles and also helps to dry the land. This makes it more dangerous than heretofore and unless the proper steps are taken by the state to protect the country from forest fires, the farmers already on the ground in many places will be compelled to move out instead of bringing new settlers in. The railroads should be compelled to patrol their rights-of-way, and shall be subject to heavy fines for setting forest fires.

Would it not be possible to combine our forestry and game and fish departments? It is done in some of our Eastern states and in many of the foreign countries. This would lessen the expense as one man could act as both game and fire warden.

Our legislature should amend our laws or pass a law to make every one that wants to hunt game and birds in our state to pay a license fee of $1 for residents and $25 for outsiders. This would give the department a revenue of possibly $125,000 to $150,000 annually, which with a small addition from the state would give us a respectable fund to start with. The license fees alone would take care of the office and about 100 fire rangers or wardens, which would make a nice little army of fire fighters without much extra expense to the tax payers.

There should be one experienced and competent man at the head of the forest and fire department; also one chief assistant whose duty it would be to occasionally make a call upon the local wardens to see that they are doing their duty. There should be a sufficient emergency fund and the railroads should be compelled to discontinue setting forest fires. It can be done. JOHN MATTSON.

Duluth, Dec. 10.

Speedy.

Tit Bits: He was a very quiet boy, of a studious turn of mind, and that was probably why his fond parents apprenticed him to a naturalist. In his new sphere he was willing enough, but painfully slow. After giving the canary seed, a job that occupied two hours, he said:

"What will I do now?"

"Well," replied his master, reflectively, "I think you may take the tortoise out for a run."

A LITTLE TRAGEDY OF WASTE.

My Lady Gets a New Fur Coat for Christmas.

S. H. Howard in Colliers: Husband—What are you getting at, anyway?

Wife (gently reproachful)—Getting at, dearest? Such an expression!

Husband—Any bills?

Wife—Oh, yes!—just one.

Husband—How much?

Wife—You won't be angry—will you, duckie?

Husband (sternly)—Out with it.

Wife—Well, my newest and darlingest fur coat came home today.

Husband—What?

Wife—When you see me in it, you'll say—

Husband—Where is it? I'll send it back.

Wife—Oh, but darling—they had to alter it—they can't take it back now.

Husband—Well, what in the sacred name of common sense! Here you have a Persian lamb coat, a sable set, a set of gray squirrel, a boa of blue fox, and God only knows how many muffs, and you go and order another coat! Do you think money is—

Wife (bursting into tears)—You might just as well beat me—after all I've done to make a home for you—brought you your slippers—

Husband (fiercely)—Yes, make a continued fool of yourself—go on.

Wife (hysterical)—A fool! That's right. Curse me next. Beat me. This is the return I get for the love I squandered on you. Fool—fool—fool that I was. You told me you loved me, and I believed you. Oh, why, why! did I ever? (Screams.)

Husband—Oh, for heaven's sake shut up—you'll scare the whole block.

Wife (shrieking)—Do you hear him? He thinks more of the neighbors than he does of the poor deluded fool he calls his wife.

Husband (uneasy) — Come, come, I don't see what all this infernal fuss is about.

Wife—Infernal! Did you hear him? Oh—!

Husband (alarmed) — Dearie — don't cry like that. It breaks my heart to hear you. Please, please, for my sake (takes her up in his arms. You'll do yourself harm. I didn't mean to be rough with you—tell me all about your new fur coat, and don't think your husband such a brute.

Wife (brightening)—It's beaver—such a thick, lustrous beauty (smiles ecstatically).

Husband — Beaver! That's contraband.

Wife—Yes, but isn't it lovely?

Husband—Why, you little goose, for six months I've had a furrier saving up smuggled beaver skins to make you a new coat for Christmas. I didn't want to tell you.

Wife (clapping her hands) — You perfect old darling! (Kisses him.) Now I'll have two!

Hostess (with engaging charm)—Cream and sugar?—Yes, furs are getting positively outrageous. Everybody's cook and even the shop girls—you'd wonder where all the fur comes from. I declare it's a problem to know what to get to be ah—distinctive—(pleadingly) don't you know? Last year I tried to wear beaver. I bought one coat myself — unplucked beaver—and Dick, dear boy, gave me a plucked beaver for Christmas. But, do you know, by New Year's I found I positively couldn't wear them? — I realized they made me look a perfect fright—My complexion was too muddy, I guess—or my hair. So this spring I didn't bother sending them to cold storage, and (whispering intensely)—the moths got into them! Ruined—ab-sol-ute-ly ruined! (Throws up both hands in pretty affectation of horror.) Oh, well (sighing resignedly), I'll make Dick buy me a seal coat this winter.

Chorus — Isn't she just perfectly awful?

Lady in Black—They say there is very little seal left—they have been almost exterminated.

Hostess — That makes seal all the more desirable, doesn't it? Have another cup of tea, Clara, dear—just to please me.

W'en Kitty Kane Obliges.

O! youse kin talk erbout de style
  Mis' Patti useter fling,
An' how she'd make youse cry or smile
  To hear de songs she'd sing.
She may be all de highbrows claim;
  She may be great fur fair;
But Music is an open game,
  It ain't no solitaire.
An' dough she played to one-night stan's
  W'at panned out t'ousands clear,
She never got no round o' han's
  As honest an' sincere
As shakes our Social's clubroom w'en
  We pass de woid along:
"'Sh! Mister Mackin's lady frien'
  Is goin' ter sing a song."
My lady frien'! Her steady gent!
  I sit down be her side,
A-playin' her accomp'niment
  An' boinin' up wit' pride.
Me concertina seems ter know
  De woik it's got ter do;
No udder time de notes would flow
  So musical an' true.
An' den she starts ter sing. O, boys!
  I wouldn't miss a note
Uv all de melted tears an' joys
  W'at ripples frum 'er t'roat.
An' foist me heart seems choked an' den
  It's jumpin' good an' strong,
W'en Kitty Kane, me lady frien',
  Obliges wit' a song.
"De songs My Mammy Sang ter Me,"
  Dat dere's my favoryte;
A pooty song it is, an' she
  Kin sing it outer sight.
Foist off she goes a-warblin' t'rough
  De laughin', jinglin' rhyme,
An' den, no matter w'at youse do,
  Youse can't help pattin' time.
Den suddint comes de solemn part—
  Her sweet voice trembles so,
It builds an icehouse 'roun' you heart
  An' tear-tanks overflow.
An' den yer back to eart' agen,
  A-cheerin' loud an' long,
W'en Kity Kane, me lady frien',
  Obliges wit' a song.
O! Kitty Kane, how long! how long!
  I'll on'y be content
W'en youse have sung yer weddin' song
  Ter my accomp'niment.

—T. A. Daly in Catholic Standard and Times.

He Was Scared.

Everybody's: There used to be a sheriff in a Green mountain county of Vermont who, for forty years, had driven his prisoners—murderers, moonshiners, thieves—through the woods in his buggy to the county jail and yet who had never carried a revolver nor used a pair of handcuffs in his life. He had a strong hand, a brave heart and a stutter.

"Wern't you ever afraid?" some one asked him one day.

"W-well, I 'llow once I -wuz t-t-tol-'rable well skeert," he admitted slowly. "I h-heard S-Si P-Perkins, the b-barber, wuz g-gone d-daft an' wuz c-carvin' p-people up, an' I c-calc'lated it wuz my official d-dooty to g-go an' arrest him. So I w-went d-down to S-Si's shop, an' w-went in, an' S-Si c-come at me w-with a r-razor in each h-hand. An' then I 'llow I wuz t-t-tol'rable well skeert."

"What did you do?"

"W-w-well," said the old sheriff, spitting thoughtfully into the sandbox beside the stove, "I wuz s-so s-s-skeert that I t-t-took 'em a-a-away from him."

The Psychology of Walking.

The Atlantic: Walking is not merely moving two legs rhythmically over certain intervals of ground. It is the primal and the only way to know the world, the deliberate entering into an inheritance, whose parts are wind and weather, sky and prospect, men and animals, and all vital enjoyment. The bicycle has some advantages in point of speed, and gives a deceptive sense of power; but it is a foe to observation. All carriages, whether propelled by horse or motor, insulate the traveler from the ground, steal his attention from the world through which he passes, and utterly destroy all feeling of achievement. The very word "mile" is a walker's word—mille passus—a thousand double paces. So the Roman legions measured their conquering advances; so the legion of pedestrians estimates its conquests of the day. "So many thousand buffets have mine own two feet given the resisting soil 'twixt sun and sun; so many thousand times have the good muscles of calf and thigh lent their elastic force." What has the dusty reader of figures on a dial to match with that?

MINNESOTA OPINIONS.

What's Chasing Hobbies?

Mankato Free Press: James J. Hill is author of the statement that "it is highly probable in a few years there will be little in the way of party lines in the United States." The obliteration of party lines will be followed by a reign of hobbies, then chaos.

Is a Credulous Person.

Carlton Vidette: Dr. Cook has told a reporter of the New York World that he is in London. Apparently the reporter believes him.

Apparently Has Missed Some.

Coleraine Optic: At last, the real truth is out. A newspaper headline says "English Ideas Stolen." So that's where they were?

Danger Sign Put Up.

Little Falls Herald: We hope the interests will not come to the Democratic party just because a disgusted people have put the Democrats in power in the principal states. If the interests move in, the voters will move out.

Roosevelt the Future Moses.

Mora Times: Those who think that Roosevelt has been killed off politically have another guess coming. Those who are now prophesying that he cannot "come back" may some day be hailing him as the political Moses who will lead the Republican party back to victory.

May Need That Watching.

Battle Lake Review: Will the coming legislature in Minnesota vote for the constitutional amendment, in favor of the income tax? Every member's vote will be carefully watched on this great and much needed reform.

Sermon in a Paragraph.

Carlton Vidette: The nation that gets intoxicated with wealth and has no ambition above commercialism is doomed to ultimately lose its strength and die out. As with individuals so with nations it is character and not dollars that gives permanence and true power.

For Shredded Mankind.

Stillwater Gazette: A safety device on the ugly and dangerous corn shredder would prove a boon to mankind. A dozen corn shredders are more dangerous than an army with banners.

But, How Much Less.

Albert Lea Tribune: A statistician gives it out that New Yorkers are drinking less than formerly. What is the matter, has the government an Indian treaty in force down there?

THE LORD OF CHRISTMAS WEEK.

Christmas Collier's: Men have long dreamed of the perfect ruler, some happy prince who shall love his people well, whose leadership shall be wise, gentle and just. History is wistful with man's effort to find him—the hero, the strong man, the righteous ruler—and then to establish him in dominion over their broken lives and warring wills. Long ago they found Him. But all who find Him lose Him. though all have found Him fair. The eager dream came true, what time there issued out of Bethlehem the man of good-will, the lover of the race. Each year, for a handful of days, so brief, so swift to go, Lord Christ assumes the leadership. Each year we give Him Christmas week, permitting His will to prevail, His brooding spirit to rest upon the nations.

Toward that gentle interlude—the days of the Truce of God—men longingly look through the tale of the weary months. And when the brief term is ended, yearningly our thoughts turn back to that time when we were good together. His spirit is breathed through the pensive season, like faint music in the night. Strife, anger, tumult, and the hurry of the little days are banished. For our sad mood and lonely heart He brings a comfort. To His loving-kindness we yield ourselves, as tired children lay them down to rest. In His authority we find our peace. A while we dwell in that felicity. Touched with mortality, as is all earthly beauty, the rapid days glance by, and we have lost them while the welcome is still on our lips. He comes and He passes, because our hospitality is short of duration and we are troubled about many things. We crowd Him out for other guests less radiant. If His dominion over the hearts of men were more than a lovely episode, if He might but abide, it would be well with us.

Pointed Paragraphs.

Chicago News: Brokers and breakers are often synonyms.

The proof of the auto is the bill for repairs.

Snow comes down in winter and so does the price of ice.

Love laughs at the locksmith and frowns on the jokesmith.

The theory that the good die young seldom worries a man.

The man who lives twice as fast as he ought to is apt to see double.

According to a spinster, the dark ages are anywhere between 28 and 40.

A woman doesn't mind walking on a crowded street if she has a good carriage.

About the most expensive thing a man can do is to associate with cheap people.

A man with a family can live in the city on less than he can in the country—if he has to.

Perhaps the straight and narrow path might be more popular if made wide enough for gasoline joy buggies.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

New York Press: A man can be most proud of his family for being proud of him.

You can get a very keen appetite for a food just by having it costly.

Tact is letting somebody step on your toes instead of your stepping on his.

When a boy has sense you may be able to lick him into using it; when he hasn't any you can't lick it into him.

The more a girl knows the less she will let on she does; the more a woman knows the more she will try to make out it is.

The Old Man's Comforts.

(And How He Gained Them.)

"You are old, Father William," the
  young man cried;
"The few locks which are left you
  are gray;
You are hale, Father William, a hearty
  old man;
Now tell me the reason, I pray."

"In the days of my youth," Father
  William replied,
"I remembered that youth would fly
  fast,
And abused not my health and my
  vigor at first,
That I never might need them at
  last."

"You are old, Father William, the
  young man cried,
"And pleasures with youth pass
  away,
"And yet you lament not the days that
  are gone;
Now tell me the reason, I pray."

"In the days of my youth," Father
  William replied,
"I remembered that youth could not
  last;
I thought of the future, whatever I
  did,
That I never might grieve for the
  past."

"You are old, Father William, the
  young man cried,
"And life must be hastening away;
You are cheerful and love to converse
  upon death;
Now tell me the reason, I pray."

"I am cheerful, young man," Father
  William replied;
"Let the cause thy attention engage;
In the days of my youth I remembered
  my God!
And He hath not forgotten my age."

—Robert Southey.

A MOMENT WITH THE WITS.

Chicago News: Negley—You seem to have a poor opinion of Poldier's intelligence.

Gaymer—You would, too, if you knew he had been looking in the city directory three days for Zeigler's address and had got only as far as the D's.

Smart Set: Brown—What have you got against that man Smith? He has done several good things.

Jones—Yes, but I happened to be one of them.

Louisville Courier-Journal: "What's this? A Black Hand letter?"

"Yes; a pleasant relief. I feared my tailor was dunning me again."

Puck: City Editor—Any radical changes for the better in football this season?

Sporting Writer: Verily, I understand that not more than one ticket speculator will be allowed to tackle a single patron at the same time.

Yonkers Statesman: Redd—Do you think all these automobiles running through a town help it?

Greene—Oh, my, yes! Why we're building two new hospitals in our town!"

Tit-Bits: "Editors demand stories that end happily. Perhaps that accounts for your lack of success."

"Possibly," replied the young author, with a rather sickly smile. "All mine have a sad ending—they go into the waste paper basket."

Houston Post: "What are you kicking about?"

"The unequal distribution of wealth."

"Is that all?"

"And the unequal distribution of labor. I get too much of one and not enough of the other."

Boston Transcript: Mrs. Lushman—Aren't you ashamed to come home in this condition?

Lushman—Ashamed? Wom'n, I ain't even 'fraid.

How Mark Twain Missed a Fortune.

With Steve Gillis, a printer, of whom he was fond, he went up into Calaveras county, to a cabin on Jackass hill, where Steve's brother Jim, a lovable, picturesque character (the "Truthful James" of Bret Harte), owned mining claims. Mark Twain decided to spend his vacation in pocket-mining, and soon added that science to his stock of knowledge. It was a halcyon, happy three months that he lingered there. One day, with Jim Gillis, he was following the specks of gold that led to a pocket somewhere up the hill, when a chill, dreary rain set in. Jim was washing, and Clemens was carrying water. The "color" became better and better as they ascended, and Gillis, possessed with the mining passion, would have gone on regardless of the rain. Clemens, however, protested and declared that each pail of water was his last. Finally he said, in his deliberate, drawling fashion:

"Jim, I won't carry any more water. This work is too disagreeable. Let's go to the house and wait till it clears up."

Gillis had just taken out a pan of earth.

"Bring one more pail, Sam," he pleaded.

"I won't do it, Jim! Not a drop! Not if I knew there was a million dollars in that pan!"

They left the pan standing there and went over to Angel's camp, which was nearer than their own cabin. The rain kept on, and they sat around the grocery and bar-room, smoking and telling stories to pass the time.

Meantime, the rain had washed away the top of the pan of earth left standing on the slope of Jackass hill and exposed a handful of nuggets; pure gold. Two strangers had come along, and observing it had sat down to wait until the 30-day claim notice posted by Jim Gillis should expire. They did not mind the rain—not with that gold in sight—and the minute the thirty days were up they followed the lead a few pans farther and took out $20,000 in all. It was a good pocket. Mark Twain missed it by one pail of water.

Opportunity.

Boston Traveler: A rich old man was asked how he made his money.

"Simplest thing in the world," he said. "I always did the reverse of what everybody else was doing. If everybody bought, I sold—prices were high. If everybody sold, I bought—prices were low."

Just now everybody is rushing to the cities, which are swelling to abnormal size.

Young man, go to the soil! There lies opportunity. Go with knowledge, energy and determination to succeed in your business. You will win, for the people of the swollen towns must eat three times a day, 365 days in the year.

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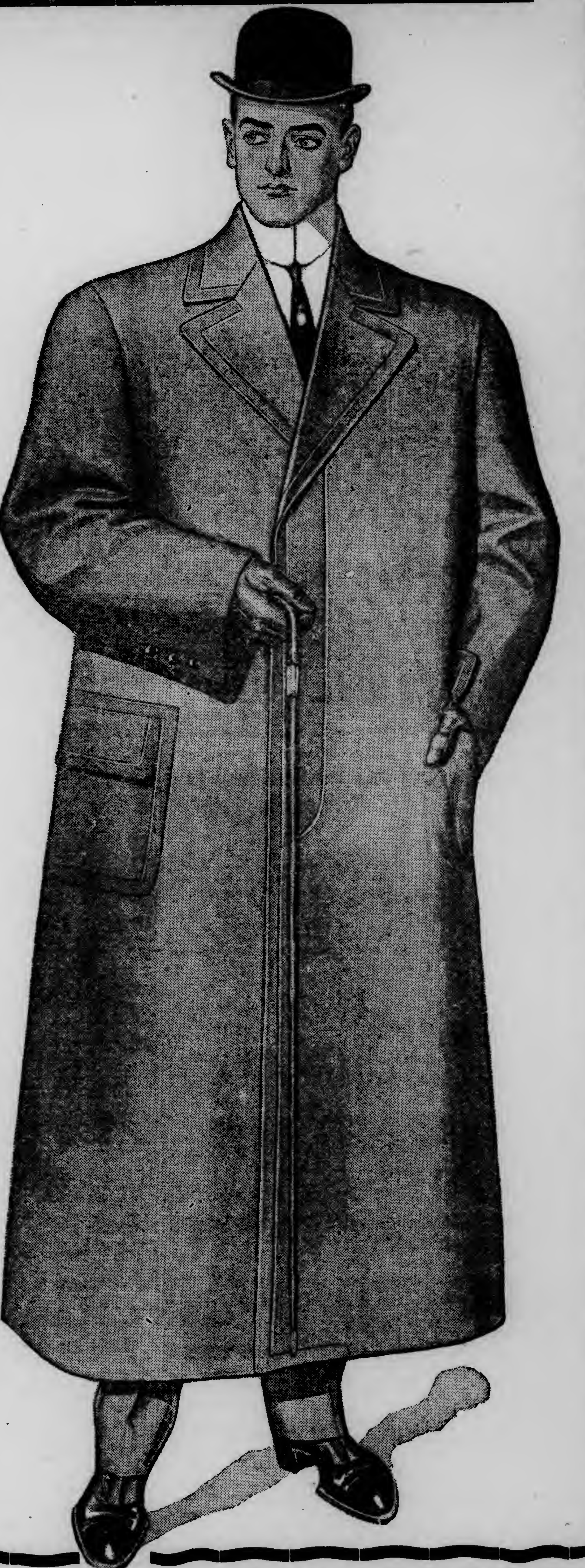

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NOTE *In this $15 Sale we except a few Hirsh, Wickwire & Co.'s Finest Overcoats in Fancies and Blacks that sold at $32.50 to $40.00.*

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IN DECEMBER THE YOUNG BOY'S FANCY LIGHTLY TURNS TO SUNDAY SCHOOL

The Sunday school population of Duluth and of every city and town in the state is increasing rapidly at this season of the year.

Shortly after the first of the year there will probably be another decline in Sunday school population which will reach its climax in midsummer when swimming is good and baseball and other outdoor sports are in full progress. But it is confidently believed that the decline will reach the highest stage at that time and then will gradually halt and then a slow increase in Sunday school population will begin to show. This increase will reach its climax about the middle or last of next December.

This the universal experience of men and women who watch these fluctuations of Sunday school population during the course of a twelvemonth.

The cause is easy to ascertain.

It is about the first of December that there is first heard murmurings of the approaching visit to each Sunday school of Santa Claus. It is also currently reported that at each Sunday school he visits, that he will leave something for each boy and girl who is a member of that Sunday school. Consequently the boys and girls, following the law of childhood, which is, "get all you can while you have the chance," begin, about the first Sunday in December to attend strictly to religious duty, in so far as it affects their attendance at Sunday school.

In fact experts in this fluctuating Sunday school problem declare that every December marks a remarkable awakening of Sunday school interest among the boys and girls of each neighborhood. Indications are this year will prove no exception and that beginning with next Sunday there will be a most remarkable increase in Sunday school attendance which will last until after the first of the year.

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BEWARE OF HOLIDAY FIRES

Christmas Decorations Bring Many Extra Hazards for Insurance Companies.

Christmas is a time of good cheer and universal happiness but it is not with unmingled pleasure that the fire insurance men views the approach of the Yuletide season. This is because the holiday season always brings with it many disastrous fires. Fires mean insurance losses to be paid and the insurance men naturally deplore anything that means the payment of heavy losses for the heavier the losses the less the dividends of the insurance companies.

Duluth insurance agents generally agree that fire losses are generally heavier at Christmas time than at any other time of the year with the possible exception of the Fourth of July and the preceding week.

Window displays of the Christmas season also increase the fire hazard. Twinkling lights nestling in banks of flimsy white materials naturally present opportunities for a conflagration. There are hundreds of chances to start a blaze when Christmas season is on.

Most are not in the gay windows, however. They are found, on the contrary, in the packing rooms. There an unusually great amount of goods is constantly being handled. Much waste packing is scattered about. There is a constant rush and a whirling turmoil. New clerks and inexperienced helpers add to the confusion. Here and there is a cigarette smoker. A bit of glowing ash dropped in a pile of excelsior may mean a blaze that will cost millions.

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COMPLIMENT TO A DOUBLE.

Los Angeles Times: Mr. Roosevelt, on his famous visit to the Pennsylvania mines, met one of his many doubles. As he gave the double a hearty handshake, he laughed and said:

"I'm delighted to meet you. I think you look more like me than any of my other doubles. In fact, the resemblance is perfect, and I have no doubt that if you stood before me in a frame I could shave you.'"

Santa Claus in the Zoo.

Said Santa Claus: "'Tis Christmas eve
  (The animals looked pleasant),
And each of you will now receive
  His yearly Christmas present.
But I'd be glad if every guest
  Would mention what he'd like the
    best."

The tapir said: "That pleases me.
  I'll state succinctly, therefore,
If I may be so bold and free,
  The only thing I care for
Would be those matches on the shelf,
  With which I'd like to light myself."

His wish was granted. Then up spake
  A timid little adder:
"Sir, but a trifle it will take
  To make my Christmas gladder.
A slate and pencil, if you please,
  Would let me do my sums with ease."

The reindeer said, "You may believe
  I'd be a happy fellow
If I were sure I would receive
  A good sized umberrellow,
And also I'd like four galoche,
  Yes, and a rubber mackintosh."
—Walton Williams.

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NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST

TRI-STATE GRAIN MEET

Gathering at Fargo Next Month Promises to Be Notable Affair.

Men Well Posted in Subjects to Be Discussed Will Take Part.

Fargo, N. D., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—Better than ever, is the prediction made about the Tri-State Grain Growers' convention, to be held here Jan. 17 to 20, inclusive. The best talent obtainable in the Northwest, men conversant with the various lines to be considered, will be on hand and speak.

The program so far prepared, follows:

Tuesday, Jan. 17.

10 a. m.—Invocation; address of welcome, Mayor Lovell; response. "The Economic Advantages of Good Roads," Prof. R. M. Dolfe, agricultural college; "Farm Drainage," T. R. Atkinson, state engineer, Bismarck; "Trees On the Farm," Prof. O. A. Thompson, superintendent Edgerly sub-station.

1:30 p. m.—"Holding Moisture On Dry Upland," Freeman Thorpe, Hubert, Minn.; "Agricultural Education," J. E. Chapman, Jr., Minneapolis; "Conservation of North Dakota Natural Resources," Prof. C. B. Waldron, agricultural college; "Corn as a Factor in Crop Production," A. B. Hess, Larimore, N. D.

8 p. m.—Address, Governor Burke. "What Home Economics Mean to Me as a Student in the Agricultural College," Mrs. Laura Campbell; "Some Sticking Points in Farming," Prof. M. A. Brannon, state university.

Wednesday, Livestock Day.

Program to be prepared by Dean J. H. Shepperd, agricultural college.

Thursday, Horticulture.

Program to be prepared by C. B. Waldron, agricultural college.

Thursday afternoon—Program to be prepared by J. M. Anderson, Fargo.

Thursday, 8 p. m.—Concert, Agricultural College Cadet band.

Friday's Program.

9:30 a. m.—"Dry Farming," Ross Martin, Powers Lake, N. D.; "Relation of Experiments to Grain Growing," Dr. A. F. Woods, dean of agricultural college, University of Minnesota; "The Agricultural Colleges and Experiment Stations From a Business Standpoint," E. S. DeLancy, Valley City; "Soil Sanitation," Prof. H. L. Bolley, North Dakota agricultural college.

1:30 p. m.—"Farming as a Business," Thomas Cooper, Minnesota college of agriculture; address, James J. Hill, St. Paul; "Corn as a Factor in Crop Production," J. D. Bacon, Grand Forks; "The Milling Machine," J. O. Perkins, Devils Lake, N. D.

8 p. m.—"The Farmers' Library," Dr. Max Batt, North Dakota agricultural college; "Alfalfa," L. B. Waldron, superintendent Dickinson sub-station; "The Country School Problem," N. C. Abbott, agricultural college.

Millers to Organize.

A large number of millers of North Dakota and Western Minnesota have expressed their interest in the proposed conference of millers to be held on the same date as the Tri-State Grain Growers' convention. It has, therefore, been decided to invite all the millers of North Dakota and Western Minnesota to meet for the organization of a State Millers' association at the Agricultural college, Wednesday, Jan. 18, at 19 o'clock a. m. Many papers have been promised, and an interesting and profitable meeting may be expected. Some of the topics which have been suggested for consideration are:

"The Millers' and Farmers' Interest: How Closely Allied With Regard to (a) Purity and Type of Wheat; (b) Storing and Marketing; (c) Hedging or Option Trading in Wheat; (d) Market Value of Wheat."

"The Miller's and Farmer's Interest with Regard to Seed Wheat."

"The Experimental Mill and Its Relation to the Miller."

"The Commercial Testing Laboratory and Its Relation to the Country Miller."

"In What Way Can the Experimental Mill and Testing Laboratory Be of Greater Benefit to the Miller?"

"Technical Difficulties Encountered in the Operation of a Commercial Mill, and How to Overcome the Same."

"Figuring Yields and Amount of Invisible Loss Allowed."

"Amount of Dockage the Miller is Entitled to Take Without Compensation to the Farmer."

"The Future of Durum Wheat from the Standpoint of the Miller."

"Shall the Farmer Continue to Grow Velvet Chaff Wheat, and Why?"

Other subjects to be discussed: "Method of Cleaning Wheat;" "Method of Tempering Wheat with Water;" "Method of Tempering Wheat with Steam;" "Application of Purifiers;" "Application of Sifters and Reels."

EDITORS AT STAPLES.

President A. M. Welles Announces Some Things to Be Considered.

Staples, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—President A. M. Welles of the Northern Minnesota Editorial association, that will meet here Jan. 6, announces besides the usual routine business that a program of addresses has thus far been prepared as follows:

"How to Make the Editorial and News Columns of a Country Weekly More Attractive," H. M. Wheelock, Wheelock's Weekly, Fergus Falls.

"Advertising: What It's Worth and How to Get It," Harold Knutson, Foley Independent.

"Is Price-Cutting Advisable?" E. C. Kiley, Grand Rapids Herald-Review.

"Practical Business Talk; Cost Problems and Their Bearing Upon the Operation of a Country Print Shop," P. A. Pederson, member of the Minneapolis Ben Franklin club.

In the evening the Commercial club will tender the members of the association a complimentary banquet. Elaborate preparations are being made for this event. The Commercial club also provides, free of charge, a room for the afternoon business meeting.

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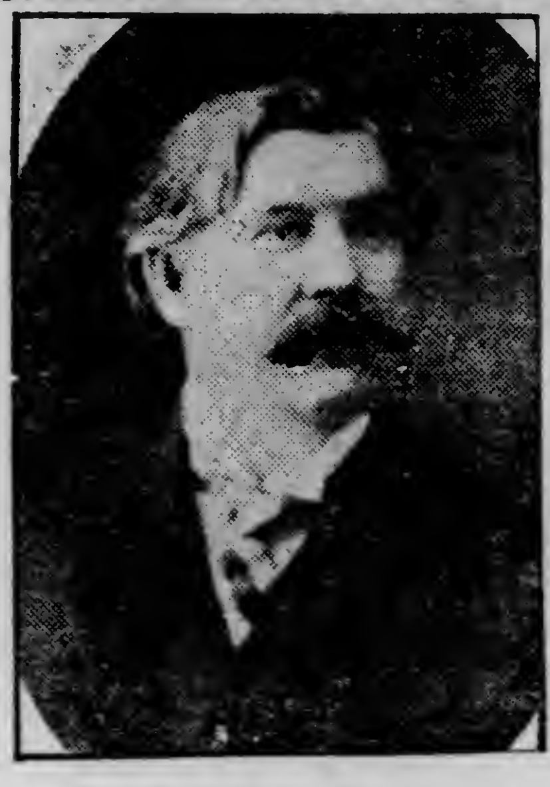

SENATOR MORIARTY.

Crystal Falls, Mich., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Nestor of the Upper Peninsula delegation to the Michigan senate will be Michael H. Moriarty, senator from the Thirty-first district, Alger, Dickinson, Gogebic, Iron and Marquette counties.

He is an eloquent orator and exerts a powerful influence in political circles in the Upper Peninsula and at Lansing.

Senator Moriarty was born in Hudson, Mich., in 1859 and educated in the public schools of that city. After graduating from the high school he studied law in the office of Thomas J. Hillier of Hudson, and was admitted to the bar in 1887.

In 1889 he had a clerkship in the legislature, and at the close of the session opened an office at Crystal Falls. Mr. Moriarty has held the offices of county commissioner of schools, prosecuting attorney, county treasurer of Iron county and member of the board of control of the state house of correction and branch prison at Marquette. He is a Republican and was first elected to the senate in 1903.

CLOTHING STORE IS A BLINDPIG

John Johnson of Devils Lake, N. D., Cleverly Fooled Officers.

Devils Lake, N. D., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—Perfect working panels, each concealing a case of beer, were found in a small building in this city operated by John Johnson, and the proprietor is under arrest charged with violating the prohibition law. From all apparent evidence, Johnson was engaged in the clothing business, but suspicions of the authorities had been aroused and securing a search warrant, they made an investigation.

Eight cases of beer were found concealed behind the panels, and each of these panels worked independently and was so perfect that the irregularities could hardly be distinguished. A quantity of whiskey was also discovered.

Johnson has been in jail for blindpigging before, being released on a plea that his family was without any means of support while he was in jail. Conviction on this new charge will mean a penitentiary sentence.

HALL IS GIVEN LIFE.

Aged Blue Earth County Murderer Goes to Pen.

Mankato, Minn., Dec. 12.—Judge Pfau has sentenced Whitford M. Hall, who was convicted of murder in the second degree, for the shooting of George Crook, his nephew by marriage, at Madison Lake on the evening of Oct. 1, to imprisonment for life at Stillwater.

Before receiving the sentence Hall, his gray head bared addressed the court and said he hoped God would open the eyes of all concerned in his conviction to see the matter as he saw it. He declared his innocence, saying:

"I consider myself led as a lamb, dumb before the shearer, and that I am shorn.

NUMBER OF METHODISTS

In North Dakota Claimed to Be 9,875.

Bismarck, N. D., Dec. 12. — The new minutes of the Methodist conference just out gives the membership of the Methodists in North Dakota as follows: Bismarck district, 2,401; Fargo district, 2,462; Grand Forks district, 2,760; Minot district, 2,251.

The above is on the basis of the rearranged district boundaries as fixed by Bishop Hamilton at the last conference.

The total membership is 9,875 members.

NEEDS OF THE SCHOOLS.

Set Forth in Resolutions Adopted at East Grand Forks.

East Grand Forks, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—Before adjourning their session here Saturday the Northwestern Minnesota Educational association adopted resolutions indorsing a system of rural school and agricultural education in this state and elected these officers:

President, Supt. E. E. McIntire, Crookston; vice president, Supt. E. B. Bothe, Hallock; secretary and treasurer, Supt John Hay, Thief River Falls.

The plan proposed by the association covers the following points: Township central high school, consolidated rural schools, where practicable; provision by law granting additional state aid to high schools; extension of schools under the Putnam act through increasing the number of schools thus aided; strengthening of the schools of agriculture at St. Anthony Park, Crookston and Morris, and the extension of such schools when necessary.

TWO CEMENT THIEVES HAVE PLEADED GUILTY.

Dickinson, N. D., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—George Joslyn and D. H. Rhodes, implicated in the notorious Dickinson cement stealing cases, pleaded guilty when arraigned in the district court. The other men implicated will stand trial.

Two men arrested in connection with the Osborne studio robberies in this city some time ago were dismissed upon the motion of the state's attorney, there being insufficient evidence upon which to secure a conviction. At the time of the affair three men were arrested, but one of these has since escaped from jail.

Frank Smith, arrested at Belfield on a charge of larceny, he being accused of the theft of a considerable quantity of clothes, was found guilty by a jury.

CONTEST DRAGS IN POLK COUNTY

Senatorial Recount of Polk County So Far Develops Little Change.

Crookston, Minn., Dec. 12. — (Special to The Herald.) — The inspection of ballots in the senatorial contest in which the Polk County Republican central committee is endeavoring to show that A. D. Stephens and not John Saugstad was elected senator from Polk county, was resumed this morning. Up to Saturday evening the ballots from eight townships had been inspected and the Stephens adherents claim that about 135 ballots, which had been counted for Saugstad should not have been because the stickers had been improperly placed. Practically every precinct will have the senatorial votes inspected, those not being called for by one side being asked for by the other. Thus far Stephens has lost but one vote as compared with the election returns, and has gained one, so that his vote remains the same. The inspectors are holding their session in the grand jury room at the courthouse and their work is being witnessed by hundreds of interested spectators. The inspectors named by Judge Watts are G. A. E. Finlayson of East Grand Forks, W. A. Marin and Judge I. E. Gossman of Crookston. They will not finish before Friday.

SOLON SPRINGS SCHOOL HAS VERY NARROW ESCAPE.

Solon Springs, Wis., Dec. 12.—The fine public schoolhouse here costing about $8,000 was nearly destroyed by a fire which started from an overheated stove, which had been fired by the janitor in anticipation of school. Prompt work by the fire fighting force after the flames burst from the windows saved the structure, the loss being only nominal.

NORTH DAKOTA PHONE LINE WILL BRANCH OUT.

Buxton, N. D., Dec. 12.—At a meeting to be held here Tuesday the Red River Valley Telephone company, operating rural telephone lines over an extensive section, will consider the question of raising its capital stock from $100,000 to $200,000. The purpose of the proposed increase in the company stock is to enable a further extension of the toll lines as the district that can be covered is one of the finest telephone fields in the state. M. F. Hagge of Hatton, a Democratic candidate for governor several years ago, is president of the concern, while J. G. Odegard of Hillsboro is the secretary.

GRAIN THIEVES BUSY AROUND HANNAH, N. D.

Hannah, N. D., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—Grain thieves are working in this section and on two occasions they have made raids on the granaries owned by William Campbell, carrying off about 400 bushels of wheat. Up to the present time the authorities have been unable to locate the guilty parties, and the manner in which the thieves have been able to dispose of their plunder is a mystery. Grain tank tracks have been found in the fields in which the looted granaries were located, but they have only led to the main roads only to be lost.

LEGISLATORS TO LEARN WISHES OF CONSTITUENTS.

Devils Lake, N. D., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—Members of the Ramsey county delegation to the state legislative assembly have unique method of learning the wants of their constituents and have called a general meeting to be held in this city on Wednesday evening of this week. Not only citizens of Devils Lake but citizens of the entire county are expected to participate.

One of the important propositions to be taken up will be that of securing the passage of a bill that will provide for the preliminary work necessary to the carrying out of a drainage plan that will result in the Mouse river annual spring overflow being sent into Devils lake. It has been shown already by extensive surveys that such a plan is feasible, but it would cost about $250,000 to do the work.

CATCHES DEER BY LEG THEN KILLS THE ANIMAL.

Schafer, N. D., Dec. 12.—The banner hunting story of the season is told by Hill Lundin, a local druggist. It is enough to make an Indian buck hang his head in envy.

While stalking a deer in the breaks the other day, he says he acutally caught a full grown deer by one of its hing legs and killed it with a knife. He had the advantage of the animal in the lively tussle that followed, owing to the fact that it was in a small washout when he seized it. The high walls prevented it from moving about and putting up much of a fight. He managed to get a good hold of one of the animal's ears and threw it to the earth.

To the amazement of an old-time hunter, who came up in time to witness the finish, Lundin escaped without a scratch. Most any old hunter would rather fight a wildcat than take hold of a live deer. They know from experience that a deer's hoofs will cut like a knife and approach a wounded one cautiously.

With a Severe Cough the Bowels Need a Laxative.

Make This Laxative Cough Syrup Cheaply at Home.

Any one can make a full pint of finest acting laxative cough syrup for about 75 to 80 cents. About eight times cheaper than labeled cough syrups, because a pint will last a family a long time. First, obtain of any well-stocked druggist 2½ ounces of essence Mentho-laxene; empty it into a pint bottle. Then make a syrup with a pint of granulated sugar and a half pint of boiling water. Stir, let cool and fill the bottle with the syrup. Shake well and take a teaspoonful every hour or two. Eight or ten doses daily will act as a mild laxative, check the cough instantly and cure it quicker than anything you can buy. This syrup builds up the strength of the system and makes the tissues of the lungs and throat healthy.

Chronic cases yield most readily to its beneficial action. Give children less according to age.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS!

ALL ENGRAVING FREE

Diamond Rings, $5, $10, $15, $18, $20, $25 and up.
Fancy Gem Set Rings, $2.50, $5, $7, $10 and up.
Heavy Gold Signet Rings, $2.50, $5, $8, $10 and $12.
Solid Gold Cuff Links, $2.50, $3.50, $5, $7 and $10.
Diamond Set Cuff Links, $5, $10, $12, $15. $20, $25.
Solid Gold Scarf Pins, $1, $2, $3, and up to $10.
Diamond Set Pins, $5, $7, $10, $12, $15, $18, $20 and up.
Solid Gold Fobs, $5, $7, $10, $12, $15 and up.
Gold Filled Fobs, $2, $2.50, $3.50 and $5.00.
Solid Gold Penknives, $5, $7, $10 and $12.
Solid Gold Lockets, $3.50, $4, $5, $7, $10 and up to $50.
Solid Gold Bracelets, $12, $15, $20, $25 to $75.
Gold Filled Bracelets, $2.50, $5, $7, $8 and $10.
Gold Filled Lockets, $1, $2, $3 and $5.
Solid Gold Emblem Charms, $4, $5, $6, $8, $10 and up.
Solid Gold Emblem Rings, $6, $7, $8, $10 and up.
Solid Gold Emblem Cuff Links, $6, $7, $8, $10 and up.
Solid Gold Neck Chains, $2, $3, $4, $5 and up.
Solid Gold Band Chains, $8, $10, $12, $15 and $18.
Solid Gold Brooches, $3, $4. $5, $7, $10 and up.

E. E. ESTERLY
Spalding Hotel Jeweler
DULUTH, MINN.

MINNEAPOLIS HOTELS FEELING LID EFFECTS.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—Dining rooms in two of the leading Minneapolis hotels are being closed at 8 p. m. hereafter because of the depressing effect of the administration lid on the business.

The hotels are the Radisson and the Dyckman. The former did a thriving business in the evening and especially just after the close of the theaters. Now, however, the sale of liquor of all kinds is prohibited in the hotels.

SOLICITOR WIELDS KNIFE.

Dickinson, N. D., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—John Winters, employed by a farm paper as solicitor, is under arrest in Dickinson charged with using a knife on Jack Fields. Fields is in a local hospital with several ugly wounds about the head and face. Winters denies all knowledge of the affair but when arrested both hands were bloody.

Another Stark County Contest.

Dickinson, N. D., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—Another action contesting a result in the recent elections has been started in Stark county, P. J. Pelissier having contested the election of John A. Welch to the position of county sheriff. Irregularities in six precincts, together with allegations that certain election officials were incompetent are contained in the complaint. One affidavit filed with the complaint ismade by Andrew Arant to the effect that he voted for Pelessier and that it was not counted.

Brainerd Home Burned.

Brainerd, Minn., Dec. 12.—Fire early Saturday destroyed the home and its contents belonging to Louis Bourassa. He and his wife and 2-months-old baby barely escaped with their lives. The house was valued at $1,000, with insurance on it of $400 and $200 on the furniture.

WISCONSIN BRIEFS

Milwaukee — The Wisconsin Pea Packers' association closed its sixth annual convention after electing the following officers: W. H. Ames, Markesan, president; F. D. Shane, Onalaska, vice president; Charles Voigt, Sheboygan, secretary; Cornelius Madson, Munitowoc, treasurer.

Appleton—At the meeting of the Wisconsin Telephone company officials here President Alonzo Burt, Milwaukee, announced that the headquarters of the Green Bay district would be changed from Green Bay to Appleton next year at which time a building to cost $75,000 to $100,000 will be erected.

Grand Rapids—An epidemic of scarlet fever is raging in this city. New cases are reported daily. Schools are closed and rigid quarantine maintained.

Madison—Many of the state officials left Madison Thursday night for Menomonie, to attend the funeral of Senator James H. Stout on Saturday. Those who went were Governor Davidson, Col. O. G. Munson, State Treasurer Andrew Dahl, Deputy Insurance Commissioner H. L. Ekern, M. F. Dudgeon, secretary of the state free library commission and Frank Hutchins for secretary of the commission.

Milwaukee—Deaths to the number of 376 occurred in Milwaukee last month according to the monthly report of the health department. The death rate was 12.06 for each 1,000 inhabitants. During the month there were 419 marriages. The oldest couple were 68 and 56 years, respectively, while the youngest was 19 and 15 years. There were 775 births during the month.

Madison—Ex-Governor W. D. Hoard of Fort Atkinson resigned as president of the regents of the University of Wisconsin owing to the condition of his health at the December meeting of the board. His resignation was accepted with resolutions of regret and an expression of appreciation by the regents of his services on the board. Mangus Swenson, Madison, was elected president to fill the vacancy.

Janesville—Martha Wolske of Johnstone, a domestic employed at Whitewater, committed suicide by swallowing ten grains of strychnine, ill health were given as the reasons for the act.

DAKOTA BRIEFS

Fargo, N. D.—The Scottish Rite reunion closed Friday afternoon as far as the ritual work was concerned, with the conferring of the thirty-second degree—the previous one having been given in the forenoon—both most effectively under the control of Frank D. Hall, the master of the Kadosh.

Lisbon, N. D.—Lisbon's magnificent new postoffice building was thrown open to the public Thursday morning, and its luxuriant appointments caused many exclamations of surprise. The building is of brock, 25 by 100 feet, strictly modern and well lighted by two skylights, a plate glass front and rear glass windows.

Fargo, N. D.—The death of Mrs. Sarah Collins, age 69, occurred Friday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Nick McKellar of 34 Eleventh street north. The deceased was a widow and had lived in Fargo for the last fourteen years and had a large circle of acquaintances in the city. Besides Mrs. McKellar, she leaves five other daughters, two of whom live in Minneapolis, one at St. Louis and one at Chicago, and another at Minot.

Grand Forks, N. D.—Kem temple, Nahles of the Mystic Shrine, have elected these officers: Illustrious potentate, Clarence A. Hale; chief rabban, Grant S. Hager; assistant rabban, Andrew J. Stade; high priest and prophet, William Spriggs; oriental guide, George E. Duis; treasurer, J. Walker Smith, recorder, Charles N. Barnes.

Jamestown, N. D.—Elbert Dobrenz of Bordulac was given a hearing before Judge Bigelow on the charge of grand larceny and held to the district court in $1,000 bonds, which were furnished by Attorney W. E. Hoopes of Carrington. It is alleged Dobrenz took two loads of hay valued at $21.70, property of George Ackerman of Kensal.

Fargo, N. D.—Rev. J. M. Walters addressed the vesper services of the Y. W. C. A. Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The subject of his address was "The Need of Evangelism in Fargo."

Grand Forks, N. D. — The Modern Brotherhood has elected these officers: President, Jacob Welsh; vice president, Mary Boese; secretary, C. E. Brown; treasurer, W. Hathaway; chaplin, Mrs. Gowan; conductor, Mrs. Oscar Stearns; watchman, W. Moss; sentry L. Cornelieuson; trustees, A. W. Anderson, W. Perkins and W. Moss.

Bottineau, N. D.—A loss of approximately $30,000 was sustained at Russell, in the destruction of the Farmers' Cash store, an institution operated by farmers. Indications are that the blaze had its origin in the boiler room.

Devils Lake, N. D.—Webster, north of here is somewhat agitated over the presence of a number of cases of smallpox, which it is feared might become epidemic. County authorities have taken charge of the situation, ordering the vaccination of all school children and taking other precautions to prevent any further spread of the disease.

Aneta, N. D.—Arvid Olsen of Kloten, was nearly killed by the explosion of a quantity of gasoline that he had poured onto an engine for the purpose of warming it up before attempting to start it. He was completely enveloped by the flames and only for the fact that help was nearby, would have been burned to death. He is now in a Fargo hospital, but with a good chance of recovery.

Grand Forks, N. D.—The final intersociety debate of the year will be held Tuesday night in the public library, the contestants being the Philomathian and Forum Literary societies of the law school. The question to be debated is "Resolved, That congress should adopt a graduated income tax law—constitutionality granted."

PENINSULA BRIEFS

Hancock—Seniors of the Hancock high school, after the manner of the juniors, will try their hand at the drama Dec. 23, when they will appear in "The Freshman," a college comedy in three acts. The presentation will be made at Germania hall.

Houghton—At a meeting of the board of control of the Michigan College of Mines it was decided to hold a big reunion of alumni of the institute next August, to continue four days in celebration of the 25 year of the existence of the local school.

Calumet—Joseph Paull, aged 53, died at his home on Osceola street. The deceased is survived by a widow and eight children—Howard, George, William, Earl, Bert, Chester, Lulu and Mabel—four brothers—Thomas, James and William of Calumet and Ralph of Negaunee—and three sisters—Mrs. W. J. Watson of Calumet, Mrs. Trever of Chassel and Miss Ellen Paull of Calumet.

Houghton—The Young Ladies' league of St. Ignatius church will on the evenings of Tuesday and Wednesday of next week, Dec. 13 and 14, hold a bazar at which fancy needle and art work will be on sale.

Hancock—After half a century of wedded life, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Hosking of Elm street will celebrate their golden wedding on Saturday evening, Dec. 24. Mr. Hosking has been a resident of Hancock for several years, and is one of the city's oldest Masons.

Calumet—Nicholas Cchopp and William Berryman, miners employed at No. 7 shaft, Calumet & Hecla, narrowly escaped death Thursday afternoon while blasting. The workmen encountered a hole that had previously been charged, though missed fire, and when the drill came in contact with the powder, an explosion occurred. Both were slightly injured.

Houghton—The Christmas vacation at the Michigan College of Mines will begin Thursday, Dec. 22, and continue two weeks. Although many of the students will leave for their homes, others will remain in Houghton for the holidays.

Marquette—Rev. T. J. Atfield of Hancock, Rev. J. G. Pinten of Marquette, Rev. M. Faust of Assinins, and Rev. C. Langdon of Negaunee have been appointed by Bishop Eis of Marquette as a committee for the diocese to consider and act on all cases of the removal of priests.

Menominee—J. S. Eckert, superintendent of the Menominee River Sugar factory, has resigned, and accepted a position with another sugar factory at Janesville, Wis. He will be succeeded here by August Ludwig.

Ontonagon—Mrs. Joseph Nimits, aged 86, of this village, died at her home. She was a resident of this village for over fifty years having come here with her husband from Vienna.

Calumet—The Calumet Elks' minstrels, who will put on a two nights' entertainment at the Calumet theater next Thursday and Friday evenings, are strenuously rehearsing each night, and making excellent headway. The end men to the number of sixteen, are first-class amateur artists, and promise no end of fun.

Houghton—James R. Sullivan and Miss Esther Sullivan of Butte, Mont., are visiting with their mother, Mrs. James Sullivan of Hurontown. They will spend the winter here. Another son, Richard of Dillon, Mont., is expected home next week to spend Christmas with the rest of the family.

Ontonagon—The Citizens States bank has elected the following officers: President, Edward Carroll; vice president, William Krohn; cashier, Ira E. Bush; directors, John Hawley, Edward Carroll, Fred Johnson, William Krohn, John P. Donnell, Jacob Brula, and Jacob Muskatt. The bank will be known as a state bank, capital stock of $25,000. Announcement of the date of opening will be made later.

Houghton—H. M. Draper, former superintendent of the Houghton Good Will Farm is still connected with the rescue work and is now located at Des Moines, Washington, where he is in charge of a large orphanage and industrial home for friendless children.

Hancock—The funeral of John Fassana, who was killed at the Quincy mine Thursday morning, was held on Sunday afternoon, and was attended by the Italian Benefit societies of Calumet and Franklin, of which organization he was a member. Fassana was 37 years of age and had been a resident of the location about twelve years.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Brainerd—The grand jury brought in two indictments Friday, one of which was made public, that against Frank Carlson for assault in the first degree. M. E. Ryan represented the accused and was given the statutory time to plead.

Roseau—The local M. W. A. camp held election of officers, chosing the following: Mike Holm, V. C.; H. Delter, V. A.; T. D. Thorson, banker; A. Waag, clerk; T. B. Holdahl, escort; E. T. Olsson, watchman; Iver Hanson, sentry; Axel Johnson, manager.

International Falls—The Minnesota & International passenger train left the rails at the switch at Big Falls Tuesday. The engine had just taken water and was moving slowly when it passed over an unlocked switch. When the baggage car hit the switch it slipped, and the car, followed by the passenger coaches and the Pullman, hit the ties. All but the rear wheels of the Pullman left the track. No one was hurt, and the damage to the rolling stock was slight.

Detroit—Charles S. Knudson, formerly of Audubon, and who for several years has been engaged in grain-buying at Carrington, N. D., has been promoted to the position of traveling superintendent of the International Elevator company of Winnipeg, Can.

Warroad—Workmen on the new creamery have the building all enclosed and are now doing the inside work. Contractor Martin Mikkelsen says he will have the building in shape for the 15th, as per agreement. The building is styled the same as the one burned, and stands on the same spot where the former one stood.

Red Lake Falls—John Nimesgern died Dec. 6 at the home of his son, J. N. Nimesgern, in this city. Mr. Nimesgern had been ill only a few days. About a week before his death he contracted a severe cold. This caused little concern until two or three days before his death, when he became critically ill. Death was due to cerebral hemorrhage. Deceased was 78 years 5 months and 4 days old.

Red Lake Falls—Fire caught in a storeroom on the first floor of the Farmers' Home Friday and worked up through the roof, putting the hotel entirely out of commission. The dining room was damaged by fire and water, and what portions of the house were not burned were soaked with water and damaged by smoke.

Little Falls—The death of John Martin Anderson of Culdrum, at his home on Dec. 7, marked the calling of one of the first settlers in Darling township. Mr. Anderson came to Morrison county years ago and was one of the few to go into Darling township about twenty years ago to open that section of the counry.

Minneapolis—Mrs. Nancy Glass McKee, 93 years old, widow of William McKee, died Thursday in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Dr. O. J. Evans, 1726 Dupont avenue south. Mrs. McKee was a pioneer of Minneapolis, having come here twenty-eight years ago. She was born in Pittsburg, Pa., 1816, and was married there in 1840. Mrs. McKee was a member of Westminster Presbyterian church. She is survived by four daughters.

CAMPAIGN IS SUCCESS

Ninety-Nine New Members Secured for the Boys' Department.

Workers Are Rewarded With Prizes and Dinner at Commercial Club.

After the big day's hustle by the boys of the boys' department, Y. M. C. A., for new members, which took place Saturday, it was found that ninety-nine new members had been enrolled. The mark had been set at 150 and although some fine work was done the boys fell fifty-one behind the mark.

The team captained by Harold Bradley won the first prize offered for the largest number of new members. The team won with sixty-two points. Irving Moore's team was second with fifty-five points. The team captained by John Hallenbeck was third, with thirty-four points. The winning team will be given a dinner at the Commercial club.

There were also individual prizes. John Hallenbeck was first and will receive a safety razor for his work. Nat McConaughy was second. He gets a two weeks' outing at Camp Miller next summer with all expenses paid. Hamilton Cook was third and will receive a pair of hockey skates. For being fourth, Harold Sukeforth will receive a pair of suspenders. Warren Moore, who was fifth, will have free admission to all the entertainments of the boy's department for a year. Kimball Finkensteadt was sixth and got a pair of hockey skates.

MATERIALISM IS ON THE WANE

Edison's Philosophy Does Not Explain Existence of Edison, Says Speaker.

"The Last Thought" was the subject of the address of Dr. William Rainey Bennett at the Sunday afternoon meeting at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium yesterday. He said that the world was swinging back from materialism and took exception to the statement of Thomas Edison that man's mind is comparable to a phonograph.

"I believe I am scientific," he said, "when I say there is a God behind the universe—Edison to the contrary notwithstanding. The universe reaches its flower and culmination in man and man is the only animal that can turn and face life and ask 'Who am I? Whence did I come? and Whither am I going?' He is the only animal that can ask questions of himself. It is not true as Edison says that the brain is like the record of a phonograph, only the latter is made of wax and the brain is made of flesh. The phonograph can't turn and ask itself, "are you singing properly?" If they could there would be a lot of phonographs stop playing.

"The greatest flaw in Edison's philosophy is that it doesn't account for Edison. He is a creator as God is a creator. Edison claims we get everything from the world about us but we don't. The wireless telegraph never existed until Marconi thought it out and embodied it."

IRON AND STEEL REVIEW

New York, Dec. 12.—Steel mills and fabricating shops received some encouragement last week from a large tonnage of new orders and specifications, although the railroads gave very little support to the bridge shops. The prospect is that December will show a satisfactory increase over the preceding month.

Several of the Southern railroads are on the point of placing equipment orders. The Louisville & Nashville has bought 2,400 tons of steel for car under-frames and the Chesapeake & Ohio, Southern railway and Norfolk & Western have inquiries out for 12,500 tons of similar work. The Norfolk & Western has just closed bridge contracts for 3,500 and Virginian railway for 2,500 tons and the Pennsylvania has ordered 1,800 tons of steel for bridges on the New York division and at Harrison, N. J.

The Cincinnati, New Orleans & Texas-Pacific has closed for fifteen locomotives and the Rochester & Pittsburg is about to order ten or fifteen engines. The Kenawaha & Michigan is in the market for 1,000 cars, the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburg will probably buy 2,000, and the Great Northern is taking bids on 975 cars. The Western Maryland, Grand Trunk, Westchester railway and smaller roads are in the market for 35,000 tons of rails, while the Vicksburg, Chattanooga & St. Louis has ordered 10,500 tons, the St. Louis & Southwestern 5,000 tons and for small Western roads an aggregate of 7,000 tons.

The industry as a whole is still receding and all interests reducing output on both crude and finished material. The United States Steel corporation is now runnig 54 per cent of capacity and the subsidiary companies' unfilled orders on Nov. 30th were 2,760,413 tons, a decrease of 111,536 tons.

Pig iron output is now at the rate of 22,750,000 tons annually, the production in November being at the lowest rate of the year, but furnace stock increased. Business was light and prices irregular and lower.

SENATOR STOUT'S FUNERAL.

Impressive Services After Which Body Is Taken to Crematory.

Menomonie, Wis., Dec. 12.—In simple manner the funeral services of James Huff Stout were conducted here Saturday afternoon. During the hours of 12 to 3 business was at a standstill in the city, and the Stout home was visited by large processions of school children, from the first grades up to the pupils of the higher branches. The attendance from the schools was perhaps the most marked feature of the sad occasion. To each one of these the late state senator was personally known, and in no small degree they were able to appreciate the work done for them by their great friend—for them as well as for the boys and girls of this entire nation.

At 1 o'clock the services were held at the beautiful home which overlooks Lake Menomonie. The open casket stood surrounded by a wealth of floral tributes, and here again the wreaths of the children found fitting place. When the rooms were filled a beautiful solo was sung by Mrs. Noyes. Then a poem was read by the Rev. Mr. Noyes, pastor of the Unitarian church of which Mr. Stout was a member. The minister referred to the Psalms wherein the man is blessed in whose heart are "the highways of Zion." The remains were taken to St. Paul to be cremated.

At the funeral were Governor Davidson, Secretary of State Frear, Judge Helms of Hudson, Miss Stearns, state librarian of Madison; F. A. Hutchins, Madison and many from other cities.

May Retire on Pension.

Escanaba, Mich., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—It is rumored that Supt. W. B. Lindsay, of the Peninsula division of the Northwestern railroad, is to retire on a pension Jan. 1.

WEST END

MILL EMPLOYE BADLY INJURED

Daniel Dillon Sustains Fracture of the Skull But Will Recover.

Daniel Dillon, 44 years old, a laborer residing at 2805 Broadway alley, was struck with the door of a slab pocket at the Mullery mill, Twenty-fifth avenue west, with sufficient force yesterday morning to fracture his skull.

At St. Luke's hospital, where he was taken after the accident, it is stated that he will recover. He is under the care of Dr. W. A. Coventry.

Dillon was preparing to load the wagon and accidentally touched the spring which dumps the pocket, the door striking him on the head.

ANNUAL BANQUET OF ORPHEUS SOCIETY.

Members of the Orpheus Singing society of the West end have made plans for holding the ninth annual banquet of the organization, Jan. 6, 1911.

This year the affair will be held at Columbia hall, Twentieth avenue west and Superior street. The committee in charge of the ararngements has not announced the program in full, but it is understood that a varied list of musical numbers and speeches has been provided.

The society is the oldest organization of songsters in the western end of the city, having been organized in 1901. It now has a large membership.

A. F. Lundholm, director of the society, is the chairman of the arrangement committee. George Johnson and E. Melander are the other members of the committee.

"BLUES" WIN IN MEMBERSHIP CONTEST.

The Blues won from the Reds in the membership contest which has been in progress in the Epworth League of the First Norwegian Danish M. E. church, Twenty-fourth avenue west and Third street.

Francis Gilbert was captain of the winning side and Miss Anna Hanson headed the opposition. The losers will tender the winners a supper in the near future. About fifty-five new members were brought into the league as a result of the contest.

The winners were announced yesterday.

Reported Missing.

Ole Transdal of 129 Twenty-eighth avenue west, who had between $50 and $60 on his person when last seen, is missing according to the story his wife tells to the police. He is of medium height, weighs 160 pounds, and when last seen wore a gray overcoat, slouch hat and working clothes.

West End Shortrails.

The Epworth League of the First Norwegian Danish M. E. church will entertain at a sleigh ride for members tomorrow evening. The party will leave the church at 8 o'clock and after a ride around the city will return for refreshments.

The funeral of Adolph Jensen, 51 years old, who died of a paralytic stroke Friday, was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, 2227 West Eleventh street, with burial at Park Hill cemetery. Rev. Edward Erickson, pastor of the First Norwegian Danish M. E. church, officiated. Members of Beta council, No. 2, Modern Samaritans, of which he was a member, attended the funeral in a body.

Richard Wallin left today for Elspy, Minn., where he will take up a homestead. He has been popular among the young men of the West end, having been vice president of the Adams Athletic association.

Anna Anderson, 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Anderson of 1801 West Third street, died Sunday of typhoid fever. There are no funeral arrangements as yet.

Mrs. Robert Stewart of 1826 West Third street will entertain the Women's Missionary society of the Second Presbyterian church at her home Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. P. Bernard of 2620 West Huron street has as her guests Mr. and Mrs. Francis Carter of Rush City, Minn.

Mrs. T. Gagnon of 213 Exeter street has returned from a visit at Hibbing.

PASS RIVERS AND HARBORS BILL

Members of House Spend $21,000,000 in Three Hours.

Washington, Dec. 12.—By spending money at the rate of $7,000,000 an hour, the house of representatives in about three hours passed the rivers and harbors bill, making appropriations amounting to $21,894,861 for river and harbor work during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1912. The bill was passed by unanimous consent and with the exception of a slight typographical error in the printed bill, not a word was changed from the form in which it was presented by the rivers and harbor committee.

In addition to the amount carried in this bill, the sundry civil bill will include $7,386,077 for river and harbor improvement in 1912, bringing the total up to $29,262,938. The average annual expenditure for rivers and harbors since 1899 is approximately $22,500,000. Of the 210 items in this bill, 105 were for maintenance of complete works and a like number for completing works.

LAKE FISHERIES PACT COMPLETE

Agreement Between Canada and the United States Is Reached.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 12.—It is understood that as a result of the conference held here during the last three days between Prof. David Starr Jordan, the United States representative on the international fisheries commission, and Prof. Prince, the Canadian commissioner, an agreement has been reached whereby the joint international regulations governing the fisheries in inland boundary waters, as drafted over a year ago, will be brought into force without further delay by simultaneous promulgation at Washington and Ottawa.

The chief cause of the delay in bringing the regulation into force has been the contention by American fishermen in Saginaw bay that the new restrictions in regard to the size and character of nets would be unduly oppressive on them. Some objection has also been raised by fishermen on Lake Erie that the proposed regulations would be unnecessarily hard on individual fishermen who cannot afford to purchase new and expensive outfits.

DULUTH PRINTER NOW A SENATOR

HARVEY E. GARMAN.

Harvey E. Garman, at one time a printer in Duluth, employed on The Herald, has been elected a member of the Colorado state senate from Denver. Mr. Garman joined the Duluth Typographical union in 1887 and worked in this city and in St. Paul until 1890, when he went to Denver. He is remembered by a number of the old-time printers in Duluth. Mr. Garman has served several terms in the lower house of Colorado and this year was successful in his run for a place in the senate. He is a Democrat.

FIND EXPRESS STRONG BOX.

Minneapolis Burglars Got Away With About $900 in Cash.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 12.—The strong box that was stolen from the office of the Adams Express company Thursday morning, was found Sunday on Superior boulevard. The box had been broken open, checks and drafts and a set of furs valued at $200 were still in the box. The police have no clue as to the identity of the robbers.

OZMUN BURIED IN BRITISH CEMETERY.

Constantinople, Dec. 12. — Edward Henry Ozmun of Minnesota, the American consul-general at Constantinople, who died Dec. 9, after a brief illness, was buried Sunday in the British Crimean cemetery. This was in accordance with his expressed wish. A large gathering of friends and officials attended the burial.

SAYS GIRL IS UNDER AGE

Bride's Father Charges Marriage Is Illegal and Husband Is Arrested.

Law Will Decide Controversy Over Age of Mrs. Louis E. Sekolly.

John Domonisky last night caused the arrest of Louis E. Sekolly on a warrant charging him with illegally marrying his daughter, Annie Domonisky.

It is claimed that the girl is only 14 years of age and that Sekolly swore that she was 18 years of age when he took out the marriage license at the courthouse, last Tuesday. The father claims that the groom took his daughter from her home at Sparta and brought her to Duluth without his knowledge. Sekolly had rented a flat at 418 West Fifth street and they were living there when the police arrived with the warrant last evening. Sekolley is 35 years old, a Montenegrin and works at the boiler making trade. Different stories are told of the age of the girl. Sekolley makes one claim, the father a different one, and the girl still another.

The girl returned home with her father today. Sekolly has not yet been arraigned.

ANN ARBOR FERRIES CONTINUING TO RUN.

Menominee, Mich., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—Owing to pressure of business, the Ann Arbor ferries which it was planned to withdraw some time ago are still making the port. Several lumber crafts are also braving the perils of the mid-winter season on the lakes.

Marinette County Under Sheriff.

Marinette, Wis., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—Sheriff-elect A. E. Schwittay announces that Fred Boberstein will be appointed undersheriff when he assumes office the first of the year. The sheriff is required by law to appoint four deputy sheriffs. His office is understood to pay about $3,000 per year, under the fee system.

Repairing Tamarack Gallows Frame.

Calumet, Mich., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—No. 5 shaft, Tamarack, is closed temporarily for repairs to the gallows frame. The work will require about three weeks, during which the men will be employed in other shafts. Through increased production in other output will be maintained with little falling off.

That Suit for Libel

Against the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Gave a Splendid Chance to Bring Out Facts

A disagreement about advertising arose with a "Weekly" Journal.

Following it, an attack on us appeared in their editorial columns, sneering at the claims we made, particularly regarding Appendicitis.

We replied through the regular papers and the "weekly" thought we hit back rather too hard and thereupon sued for libel.

The advertisement the "weekly" attacked us about claimed that in many cases of appendicitis an operation could be avoided by discontinuing indigestible food, washing out the bowels and taking a predigested food Grape-Nuts.

Observe we said MANY cases not all.

Wouldn't that knowledge be a comfort to those who fear a surgeon's knife as they fear death?

The "weekly" writer said that was a lie.

We replied that he was ignorant of the facts.

He was put on the stand and compelled to admit he was not a Dr. and had no medical knowledge of appendicitis an never investigated to find out if the testimonial letters to our Co. were genuine.

A famous surgeon testified that when an operation was required Grape-Nuts would not obviate it. True.

We never claimed that when an operation was required Grape-nuts would prevent it.

The surgeon testified bacteria (germs) helped to bring on an attack and bacteria was grown by undigested food frequently.

We claimed and proved by other famous experts that undigested food was largely responsible for appendicitis.

We showed by expert testimony that many cases are healed without a knife, but by stopping the use of food which did not digest, and when food was required again it was helpful to use a predigested food which did not overtax the weakened organs of digestion.

When a pain in the right side appears it is not always necessary to be rushed off to a hospital and, at the risk of death, be cut.

Plain common sense shows the better way is to stop food that evidently has not been digested.

Then, when food is required, use an easily digested food. Grape-Nuts or any other if you know it to be predigested (partly digested before taking).

We brought to Court analytical chemists from New York Chicago and Mishawaka, Ind., who swore to the analysis of Grape-Nuts and that part of the starchy part of the wheat and barley had been transformed into sugar, the kind of sugar produced in the human body by digesting starch (the large part of food).

Some of the State chemists brought on by the "weekly" said Grape-Nuts could not be called a "predigested" food because not all of it was digested outside the body.

The other chemists said any food which has been partly or half digested outside the body was commonly known as "predigested."

Splitting hairs about the meaning of a word.

Is it sufficient that if only one-half of the food is "predigested," it is easier on weakened stomach and bowls than food in which no part is predigested.

To show the facts we introduce, Dr. Thos. Darlington, former chief of the N. Y. Board of Health, Dr. Ralph W. Webster, chief of the Chicago Laboratories, and Dr. B. Sachs, N. Y.

If we were a little severe in our denunciation of a writer, self-confessed ignorant about appendicitis and its cause, it is possible the public will excuse us, in view of the fact that our head, Mr. C. W. Post, has made a lifetime study of food, food digestion and effects, and the conclusions are indorsed by many of the best medical authorities of the day.

Is it possible that we are at fault for suggesting, as a Father and Mother might, to one of the family who announced a pain in the side: "Stop using the food, greasy meats, gravies, mince pie, cheese, too much starchy food, etc., etc., which has not been digested, then when again ready for food use Grape-Nuts because it is easy of digestion?"

Or should the child be at once carted off to a hospital and cut?

We have known of many cases wherein the approaching signs of appendicitis have disappeared by the suggestion being followed.

No one better appreciates the value of a skilful physician when a person is in the awful throes of acute appendicitis, but "an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure."

Just plain old common sense is helpful even nowadays.

This trial demonstrated Grape-Nuts food is pure beyond question.

It is partly predigested.

Appendicitis generally has risen from undigested food.

It is not always necessary to operate.

It is best to stop all food.

When ready to begin feeding use a predigested food.

It is palatable and strong in Nourishment.

It will pay fine returns in health to quit the heavy breakfasts and lunches and use less food but select food certainly known to contain the elements nature requires to sustain the body. May we be permitted to suggest a breakfast of fruit, Grape-Nuts and cream, two soft boiled eggs, and some hot toast and cocoa, milk or Postum.

The question of whether Grape-Nuts does or does not contain the elements which nature requires for the nourishment of the brain, also of its purity, will be treated in later newspaper aticles.

Good food is impotant and its effect on the body is also important.

"There's a Reason"

Postum Cereal Co., Ltd.,

Battle Creek, Mich.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

CONCERNING WOMAN.

"I think" said a Duluth woman today" that the people who are showing the most of the Christmas spirit are the clerks in the stores. It has been necessary for me to do my shopping during a hurried and busy part of the day but the clerks have been most polite and courteous and I think they ought to have the credit. This funny business about the sales lady who won't pay any attention to you, may be all very funny but I for one have a very warm appreciation for the kindness and courtesy of the Duluth clerks."

That is one opinion and it is the one that everybody can have if they will make a little more effort for the Christmas good will that should characterize the season. Maybe oftener than not it is the customer who dawdles away time with "Now let me see's" when it is her business to know exactly, before she asks the attention of the clerk. Many customers forget that they are not the only person to be waited on during the course of the day and require too much individual attention from the hurried clerks. And then again nothing commands courtesy so much as courtesy so that if Duluth women will remember to shop politely as well as early, the ideal condition of things has arrived.

So many have spoken of the unusual grace and thoughtfulness of the Duluth clerks in serving the public that this column is glad to pass on the word of appreciation.

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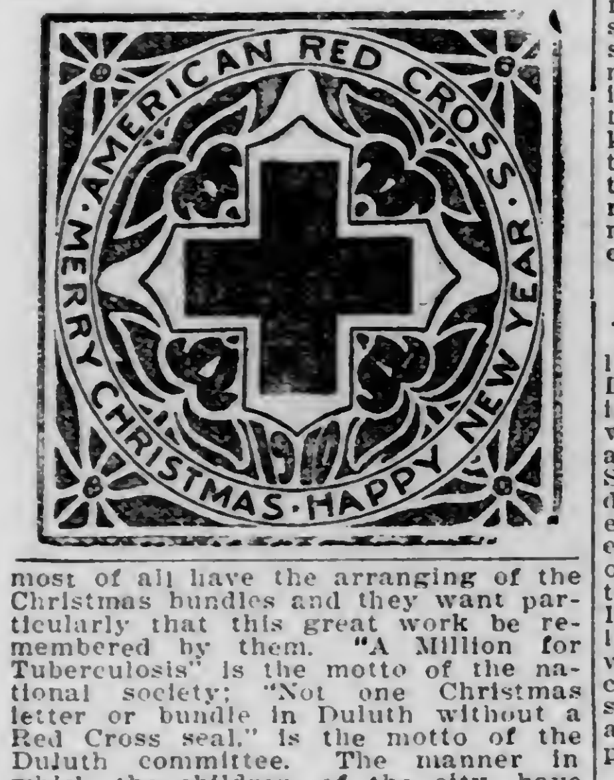
This week hundreds of Christmas bundles and Christmas letters will be prepared for the great day. The Duluth committee of the Anti-Tuberculosis society makes a special appeal to the women of Duluth to see that the Red Cross seals are affixed to every package and letter that goes through their hands. The committee has realized that it is the women who most of all have the arranging of the Christmas bundles and they want particularly that this great work be remembered by them. "A Million for Tuberculosis" is the motto of the national society; "Not one Christmas letter or bundle in Duluth without a Red Cross seal," is the motto of the Duluth committee. The manner in which the children of the city have shown their interest in the sale this year is wonderful. In one school 7,000 seals have already been sold and the returns are not all in as yet. In the schools of Duluth alone, 90,000 have been distributed.


AMERICAN RED CROSS
MERRY CHRISTMAS · HAPPY NEW YEAR

Have you bought yours?

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The Duluth shop windows alone are worthy of much attention. Those who can remember back, it seems but a few years, when three or four small establishments or even less represented Duluth's entire opportunity of getting in touch with the merchandise of the world, the present condition seems like a touch of fairyland. The brilliance of Superior street and the dazzling windows filled with almost anything and everything that the heart of man and especially the heart of woman could or should want, is due in large part to the enterprise of Duluth merchants. If there be any one in Duluth that the lure of Christmas has not touched a visit to the Duluth stores would surely cure his indifference. The stores are so well stocked and the stock is so attractively offered that shopping is a pleasure, and should be so regarded.

And do your Christmas shopping early.

"I. C. BUELL, ATTORNEY AT LAW," IS A MERE WOMAN—FIRST IN DULUTH BAR

"I. C. Buell, Attorney at Law," it reads on the door of 419 Lonsdale building, but the searcher in search of legal wisdom will have the surprise of his life if he opens the door expecting to meet the typical young attorney waiting for clients or the more experienced one also waiting for clients for in "I. C. Buell" Duluth has its first woman attorney.

Mrs. Buell has come to Duluth recently to practice law. She was admitted to the bar to practice in Minnesota and has been a practicing attorney in this state for four years. She has also been admitted to practice before the United States supreme court. Mrs. Buell has been graduated from the Minnesota school of law and from the St. Paul Law school. She has been the only woman attorney in the Twin Cities who has devoted her entire time to the profession. There are three other women lawyers but they combine their profession with other work.

"There is a prejudice, of course, against women in the profession," said Mrs. Buell today. "And in St. Paul it is very marked, in fact sometimes they're not quite courteous. I haven't found it so thus far in my week long residence in Duluth. Everyone has been quite delightful. And by the way I never saw, any place, so many men remove their hats in elevators in which there are women nor so many who hold the doors open for women. It's unusual, I think. I thought at first it must be some mistake, but it doesn't seem to be."

Mrs. Buell's father was a lawyer, her brother was a lawyer, and she cherished the idea of becoming one from her earliest years. "But I shouldn't want my son to become one," she said. "The law is too jealous a mistress. Graduation from a law school is the most positive commencement in the real sense of the word that I know. Study is everlasting and in the law you must not only know one thing but everything, if you would represent your client well. It is a never ending grind. I think there is easier work to be done."

MRS. I. C. BUELL.

In Mrs. Buell's first case she secured an acquittal for her client, whom she has since come to believe was as guilty as Charley Steele said his client was in "The Right of Way." "But I would have to believe in the integrity of my client or I couldn't go on with the case. The sense of confidence would have to be firm or I am sure I couldn't do my best," said Mrs. Buell.

And then the talk switched to hats.

Mrs. Buell has not yet tried a case before any of the Duluth courts, having used her time in getting adjusted to the new environment.

WHO'S HIS GIRL?

University Excited Over Kenneth Cant's Choice.

The Duluth friends of Kenneth Cant will be interested in the following item from the Minneapolis Journal:

"For three years, according to campus gossip, impartial in his regard for the fair sex, Kenneth Cant, member of Phi Kappa Psi and president of the Junior Ball association of the University of Minnesota, is now faced with the tremendous problem of choosing the girl who will lead the ball with him Feb. 21.

"Everything else is settled but that.

"Never in Mr. Cant's whole college career, or even before that, has he been so favored a guest. Sorority parties bid for him, fascinating co-eds smile at him across the class room; wherever he goes he is the veritable cynosure of all eyes, while all the girls hum in soft chorus:

"'For since he must choose some one, it might as well be me.'

"It is the all absorbing topic. Not a girl can point so much as to a photograph on his table, but everybody is sizing up the situation.

"Thus far, the Alpha Phi sorority heads the list of favorites, for Mr. Cant is proved to have attended two informals at the Alpha Phi house. He has been once each to the houses of Gamma Phi and Delta Gamma. He may have been elsewhere, but nobody is sure.

"Not a girl has yet been invited. Some one must be. If the news is not broken quickly, somebody is likely to die of suspense.

"The junior ball will be held at the Radisson hotel. The hotel management will take charge of the decoration, and many novel suggestions will be carried out. Supper will be served in the Chateau room. Tickets will sell for $7, a raise of $1 over last year, and two over the year before. The programs will be in the form of Japanese tapestries, and the monogram of each guest will be printed on the individual programs."

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324 WEST SUPERIOR STREET.

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Beautiful Pictures of all descriptions artistically framed. We have a choice selection framed in the correct way as low as one dollar, and the picture from Engels' bearing our name on the maple leaf stamp will insure its worth. Be sure to look for the stamp. We have a thousand and one art novelties to select from, everything being the best of its kind and at the lowest possible prices.

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EXCLUSIVE ART DEALERS,
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D. A. R. MEETING.

DuLhut Chapter to Hold December Meeting.

The regular December meeting of the Greysolon duLhut chapter of the D. A. R. will be held tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. L. Dresser of 16 South Nineteenth avenue east. The hostess will be assisted by Mrs. A. D. Barrett. In response to roll call Colonial recipes will be given. "Colonial Cooking and Serving" will be the subject of the afternoon with Mrs. Nichols as leader.

The January meeting will be held Jan. 19, instead of Jan. 17, as announced in the year book. The change of date is because of the engagement here of the St. Paul Symphony orchestra.

HALL-MOE.

Indiana Girl Will Be Bride of West End Man.

Waldemar Moe, son of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Moe of the West end, left last evening for Kokomo, Ind., where his wedding will take place Thursday evening of this week to Miss Lucy Hall of that city. Mr. Moe was accompanied by his brothers, Alfred and Oscar. Last evening Mr. and Mrs. Moe entertained at their home in honor of their son. Their guests were Dr. and Mrs. Hovde, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. O. Tufty, Mr. and Mrs. Wagenstein, Mr. and Mrs. Odegaard and Mr. and Mrs. P. George Hanson.

Mr. and Mrs. Moe will leave tomorrow for Kokomo to attend their son's wedding. The bridgroom is in the employ of Uncle Sam, being land attorney for Montana and the Dakotas. He will be at home with his bride at Glasgow, Mont.

WEDDING RECEPTION

Of Miss Hartman and Dr. Allen December Event.

Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. Alec W. Hartman for the wedding reception for their neice, Miss Mary Sybilla Hartman and Dr. Fred Wilde Allen of Boston. The reception will take place Thursday evening, Dec. 29 at Mr. and Mrs. Hartman's new home at 2400 East Superior street. The wedding of Miss Hartman, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Hartman, to Dr. Allen will take place that evening. It will be for members of the family only and will be followed by the reception at 8 o'clock.

Miss Hartman will be the guest of honor at several affairs before her wedding. This evening Miss Pauline Smith will entertain at her home in the Dacey flats in honor of Miss Hartman and Miss Christine Ross.

Mrs. Powell Grady will be hostess at luncheon Wednesday at her home in compliment to Miss Hartman.

Surprise Party.

Iver Linder and Miss Lillian Johnson were surprised at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roberts at Proctor last evening, the occasion being the birthday of both the young people. It was Miss Lillian's 17th and Mr. Linder's 21st.

Those present were: Misses Ester Linder, Nellie Johnson, Mabel Larson, nes Roberts, Hazel Roberts, Helen Leona La Tarte; Hilda Nystrom, Ag-Roberts, Sella Roberts and Marie Miller; Messrs. Mehlum, Hanson, Grenville, Jenson, Miller, Carlson, Eklund, Ed. Olson, Anderson and O. S. Johnson.

Circle to Meet.

Circle 3 of the Endion Methodist church will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. J. Colter of 2521 East Fifth street. This will be the last meeting of the year.

Masonic Assembly.

Invitations have been issued by the committee of the Masonic Assembly for the first of the series of winter dances to be given in the ballroom of the temple Wednesday evening, Dec. 21. The assembly is composed of the Ionic and Palestine lodges and this party will be for the Masons and their women guests only.

For December Brides.

Mrs. S. E. Atkins of Hunter's Park entertained this afternoon informally at her home in honor of her sister, Miss Gertrude Hoopes, whose wedding will take place Saturday evening of this week.

Mrs. H. J. Mullin of 1507 East Second street was hostess at a luncheon of ten covers today in honor of Miss Christine Ross, whose wedding will take place next Monday.

Home Wedding.

The wedding of Miss Lulu Dalcour, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Dalcour, to Hans Honigman took place this afternoon at the home of the bride's parents at Hunter's Park. The wedding service was read by the Rev. J. C. Faries of the Glen Avon Presbyterian church. Mr. Honigman and his bride will be at home in this city.

Personal Mention.

Miss Kate Kennedy has gone to Minneapolis for a visit.

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Mrs. Daniel Weldon of Stillwater, who was the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. S. Collins of 1116 East Third street, left yesterday for Calumet, Mich.

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Mrs. Jane Everington Scully has returned from Boston where she has visited for a year.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. W. C. Ross of Hunter's Park have returned from a few days at Blue Earth.

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Mrs. H. Matlock of Woodland, who was injured in a street car accident two months ago, is recovering at her home.

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Miss Esther Strong of Tower is visiting Miss Helen Benson of Lakeside.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Porter of Spokane, Wash., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Westaway of Lakeside.

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Miss Clara S. Baldwin, secretary of the state library commission, was in the city today inspecting the local library and working in the interest of library matters.

Park Point Notes.

Mr. Jensen of Twentieth street, has gone to Norway where he will join Mrs. Jensen, who has been there since early fall. They will return to Duluth in the spring.

Mrs. Wineburg of Thirty-first street, will leave Monday for Minneapolis, where she will spend the winter.

Mrs. Parker and daughter, Miss Grace Parker, have closed their cottage at Thirty-first street and are spending the winter at 1427 East Superior street.

Mrs. W. L. Jackson of Twentieth street, entertained the members of the Presbyterian auxiliary Thursday afternoon, at a thimble bee. There will be no more meetings until after the holidays.

Mrs. Hauslaib of Twenty-eighth street, entertained the members of the Park Point Mission guild at the regular meeting Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Ballou of Twenty-eighth street, entertained Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson at dinner Tuesday evening.

W. E. Jones of 3721 Minnesota avenue, returned Thursday from Deerwood.

Mrs. McDonald of Forty-second street, is spending the week with relatives at Lakeside.

Mrs. E. Frank Barker returned yesterday from the Ecker sanitarium.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ford, who have been occupying their cottage at Thirty-fourth street, have moved to the city for the winter.

The Little Daughters' club held a bazar Saturday afternoon and evening. It was a pleasant and profitable affair. The proceeds were $27, which will be used to bring Christmas cheer to the old folk at the poor farm. A large number of the parents and their friends attended. An interesting program was carried out by the children, consisting of a playlet, songs, recitations and instrumental numbers.

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215 East Superior Street.

TALK ON TRAINING OF GIRLS FEATURE OF CIVIC BANQUET

Mrs. Fannie French Morse, superintendent of the Girls' Training School of Minnesota was the principal speaker at the Civic banquet, arranged by the Women's Council and held Saturday evening at the Spalding. Mrs. J. L. Washburn president of the Council presided and covers were laid for more than 100 Duluth men and women.

The work that Mrs. Morse has done in Minnesota has been watched with great interest especially by the club women of the state. In introducing Mrs. Morse who was heard for the first time in Duluth at Saturday's banquet, Mrs. Washburn spoke of the gratitude that Minnesota women felt for the act of the late Governor Johnson in using his influence in securing the separation of the boys' and girls' training school, and the securing of so fine a head for the girls' school as Mrs. Morse, who came from the East with years of most successful experience.

In her talk Mrs. Morse pointed out the progress that has been made in institutional work as being the greatest advance that is being made in educational work. "The time is passing," said the speaker, "when the institution is regarded as a means of punishment. Rather those who come under its care are there for education. The delinquent is no longer regarded as a criminal but as a victim of circumstance who deserves from the state all of the help and tender consideration that can be given in order to make up in part at least, what has been lacking in previous opportunity. The making of good citizens is the aim in institutional work, the developing of ability and usefulness, not the punishment for past deeds."

The world is facing a record making period, thought Mrs. Morse in this line of society's responsibility, and brotherhood is now the theme of effort. Individual study, a closer touch, the contact of personality are taking the place of the severe, impersonal and cold methods that the word institution usually evokes.

Lack of Real Home.

"The main resson for the need of a home for delinquent girls is the lack of a real home in the early part of their lives in nine-tenths of the cases coming to the state for care," said the speaker. "The effort in Minnesota will be to provide that home as nearly ideal as can be."

Mrs. Morse told of the plan which will be followed at Sauk Center, where the new school is now building. The cottage plan will be followed, and in each cottage twenty girls are to live. The living rooms and reception rooms will be for the girls for their family life. Each girl will have a room of her own, doing away with the old dormitory idea. The effort in discipline will be to impress upon the girls that results follow certain acts as inevitably as night follows day, and no one but the girl herself can save her. The consequences must be endured by the transgressor. The effort also will be to elevate the common things of life; to give her an ideal of life and conduct, and then teach her that she can realize it.

"This will cost a little more than old way," said Mrs. Morse in conclusion, "but can Minnesota afford anything less than the best in providing for the future of these unfortunate young beginners who will be citizens tomorrow?"

Mrs. Morse was heard with much interest. The other speakers of the evening dwelt on matters of more direct local interest. Mayor Cullum was the first speaker, and he talked of "The Commission Form of Government," which has received much attention of late. Courtenay Dinwiddie, new secretary of the Associated Charities, spoke of the society and its opportunity for helpfulness, and Mrs. Florence Lee, visiting nurse for the Anti-Tuberculosis society, told of her work. The last speaker for the evening was Watson S. Moore, who had as his subject "Some Municipal Needs."

Following the program of formal toasts Mrs. Washburn called on a few of the guests for informal talks. Among those who responded were Mrs. W. B. Woodbridge, Judge J. D. Ensign, E. A. Silberstein, E. W. Bohannon, R. E. Denfeld and J. L. Washburn.

Young Men and Maidens

By MISS EXPERIENCE

Pocket Money for Girls.

Only a girl knows what it is to be without money when all her friends have an ample allowance. Unless this girl has a sweet nature she is likely to grow embittered, envious or given to putting too much value on the power of coin. There are many instances where the lack of pocket money has made a "sponge" of a nice girl. She has not the funds to take her part in different gatherings, nor has she the courage to keep out of them. What is the result? Either she hints around until some generous friend "sets her up," or if the offers are spontaneous, she weakly allows herself to be treated until her sense of obligation is blunted and favors are taken as a right.

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Blow Hot, Blow Cold.

Like many another lonely young man, W. T. has fallen in love with the young lady who ministers to his wants at his lodgings. But it seems that the said young lady is of a very peculiar disposition. Sometimes, as the song has it, she is merry and bright; at other times she is "funny" and standoffish, without any reason whatever. W. T. is "a sort of chap who can't stand this kind of thing," and he asks me what he ought to do.

Well, W. T., I don't supose it is any news to you to learn that women are strange kittle-cattle. "When they will, they will, you may depend on't; and when they won't, they won't, and there's an end on't." At the same time, if you are thinking of marriage—and I presume you are—it is only fair to warn you that strange dispositions are very difficult to live with; and if the young lady blows hot and cold, without any reason for such conduct, it is a fairly sure sign that she doesn't really love you.

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Rule of Conduct.

In every relation of life we must bear and forbear, and try to have a good influence on all with whom we come in contact. We may not reach perfection, but we shall win the love of every one.

THE FRIEND OF THE CHILDREN

MARGARET McMILLAN.

Margaret McMillan was born near New York but her parents were Scotch and she has spent much of her life in England. She is known there as the pioneer in the introduction of practical hygiene in the public schools. She caused the building in 1897 of the first school bath. She has established a clinic for the treatment of children's diseases which receive aid from the London county council. Miss McMillan is an agitator against child labor.

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THE EVENING STORY

IN THE NICK OF TIME

By Sheila Macbean.

"I am very sorry, Mackenzie, but you yourself must se how impossible it is for me to keep you on. I must have a younger, stronger man to pull me—one who can take the hills a little quicker. I am sorry! No, don't give me any change—keep it!"

"Thank ye, mum!"

Humbly touching his shabby Scotch bonnet, Tam Mackenzie turned away, his gnarled, horny hands gripping the long handle of the bath-chair which had been his sole means of existence since, in company with half a dozen others, he had been dismissed by the cab proprietor in order to make room for a rank of smartly upholstered taxicabs, driven by men who were "younger and stronger."

Slowly and heavily he wended his way to the little two-room dwelling where the "auld woman" was waiting for him.

"Ye're late, Tam," she said, eyeing him anxiously. "I was feared for ye."

"With trembling hands he hung his bonnet on the nail behind the door, taking longer than usual about it that he might get his breath before he encountered her far-seeing gaze; then he turned towards her.

"Janet," he said slowly, "Missus Tryan is no' wanting me agen. I'm no quick enough at the hills. She gied me this for a gift. It will be a kind o' compensation she meant it for, I'm thinking."

In silence Janet Mackenzie locked at the five-shilling piece he had put upon the table.

"Ye'll no' be out the morrow, then," she said at length. "There's no orders for ye."

"I'll no' be going wi' the chair agen. Janet," was the dull rejoinder. "They'll no' have me now. I'm past my work—no' worth my shilling. It's my leg, Janet. I didna' feel it when I was wi' the cab; it's just the walking; I canna do it. It's yon auld wound I brocht hame wi' me from India. It's just that, Janet. But maybe I could be getting a crossing to tidy. I was a fine hand wi' the broom at the curling when I was a lad. Ye mind it, Janet? I had my broom wi' me the day I kissed ye under the auld rowan-tree abune the burn. Do ye mind it, lassie?"

"Ay, Tam; I'm minding it," was the low rejoinder; but Janet's eyes were absent. "Tam," she said suddenly, "we'll be having the bairn wi' us soon. It'll be a'richt then. He'll be seeing to it a' for us."

But Tam Mackenzie sat silent, his head resting on his hand. Year after year she had said the same words to him, bidding him take heart against the day when the bairn who had left them to seek the glittering shrine where Fortune blesses her pilgrims, should come back to them again. Whether he had ever reached his goal they never knew, but with the stubborn persistence characteristic of her Janet had refused to relinquish her hold on the stout cord of Hope.

Having thus spoken, she came to him and, bending, kissed his rough, grey hair.

"Hearten up a wee, Tam," she urged. "And just mind the kettle while I set the cloth."

Bravely she talked to him, bustling about the preparations for their frugal tea; but deep down in her breast her heart was aching for sorrow and for fear. The bath-chair had been the last barrier between them and want, and even the daily shillings had been inadequate to keep pace with the landlord's constant and impatient demands for an overdue rent. The five-shilling piece on the table would settle a week of it, but what was one week among five? And if they parted with it, where were they to get their daily bread, for the poor may not purchase even stale loaves on credit.

Setting down the cup of tea he had so manfully tried to empty, Tom Mackenzie rose to his feet.

"I'm thinking we'd best be taking down tho caird, Janet," he said simply. "It's no' richt deceiving folk."

Then, without waiting for her reply, he limped to the door, outside of which was nailed the notice bearing the information that within "A Man and Bath-Chair" might be hired.

The wind blew his grey hair in wisps across his furrowed brow, a chill drizzle swept by him as he stood there tugging doggedly at the rusty nails. With the card in his hand at last, he was about to re-enter the house when a rough voice accosted him, and turning he faced the sour countenance of the landlord, who knew no mercy.

"A word with you, Mackenzie," he said. "Look sharp, man! Lead the way indoors! It's raining!"

Lifting the latch, Tam Mackenzie entered, and, without troubling to remove his hat, the man followed him into the kitchen.

"Look here," he said roughly, "you have got to go. I can't afford to wait any longer for the rent!"

"What's that ye're saying, Mister Samuelson?"

Like an old war-horse at the sound of the bugle, Janet Mackenzie confronted him, her eyes flashing in her worn face.

"You canna afford to wait for sax weeks o' five shillings!" she cried scornfully. "You that's got your motey car and your fur coat an a'!" What will a year o' five shillings be tae ye?"

"That's exactly it, my good woman," was the cynical rejoinder. "If I had not taken care of the weekly five shillings due to me, I should have been minus the car and the fur coat. Every man for himself, you know. I have been extremely lenient and patient, but I have myself to think of, and this day week I will have you turned out—and I'll keep your rotten furniture into the bargain!"

"Would ye, then—would ye! If my son Jock was here, I'd like tae hear ye say sic' words to him. He'll be coming the morrow, or maybe the day after. He'll be showing ye the day tae treat honest folk that's hard put to it—and no blame o' their ain! Just you wait till my bairn comes, Maister Samuelson!"

"I have waited too long for this bairn of yours!" he said sharply. "It is not good enough. You must try something a little more substantial if you want to be believed. This day week—remember!"

The door slammed behind him, and for a moment not a sound broke the silence; then the card which had had its day slipped from Tam Mackenzie's fingers.

"Janet," he said hoarsely, "what way did you say that aboot the bairn? It wasna true! He's no' coming the morrow—nor the day after."

And Janet Mackenzie hung her head.

"I ken that, Tam," she muttered, "but I just had tae say it. It gied me strength tae stare him out. God forgi'e me! I'm a lying buddy."

For a moment he stared at her; then, stooping, he picked up the card, tearing it through the center, and casting the halves into the heart of the waning fire.

One by one the days of the week slipped by, and Janet scrubbed and scoured while Tam limped the streets seeking jobs that never came.

"It'll just be the union, lassie," he said slowly, as they sat togetner on the Friday evening. "It'll be a' richt yonder, and we'll be seeing ane anither the whiles."

His voice broke, and hastily he raised his hand, shading his blurred eyes; but Janet was not looking at him, her gaze being fixed on the old black-bound Bible lying on the chimney-piece.

"Tam," she said suddenly, "there's the Book, Tam. There's a' things in it—a' things wise, and a' things true, and a' things kind. Gi'e it into my hands, auld man. Maybe we'd be finding some guid advice—something that wud be telling us what to be doing. I mind weel the minister in the wee kirk where we were wed. I mind him telling us that we would never want for a friend in oor need gin we have the Book. Do you mind the words, Tam?"

Feverishly her toil-worn fingers turned the thin pages; the clock ticked loudly above them; somewhere down the street a chestnut-seller cried his wares, his voice drowned by the warning scream of a passing motor; and then the pages ceased to fluter, and Janet Mackenzie looked across the hearth.

"Tam," she said tremulously—"Tam, we maun ask, and we'll hae it given tae us. It's here in the Book, and it maun be true—it maun be best. It maun be what we're to do, for it's the word o' the Lord, and He kens a' things; come away, Tam!"

Slowly, painfully, the old man got down upon his knees, and together, in the faith of little children, they asked that it might be given them.

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"Can anyone direct me to Tom Mackenzie's house?" The chattering group gathered in amazement at the tall, well-dressed stranger in the doorway.

"Tam Mackenzie?" repeated the man behind the counter. "First, turn tae the richt, and two doors doon; but ye'd best look sharp, or ye won't find him. Case of eviction, mister. Got behind wi' the rent, and then the auld chap lost his job—bath-chair man he waur but he weren't no good wi' his gameleg. So, ye be thinking o' that, mister, ye'd best gang tae Templeton's at the head o' the street."

The voluntary advice was lost on the stranger, who was running over the cobbles like a man racing for his life. At the sound of his approach, Janet Mackenzie rose from her chair, her hand on her husband's shoulder.

"Hearten a wee, Tam," she whispered, "It's a' richt. God kens what's best, auld man, and we'll be seeing ane anither whiles."

The door was on the latch. They had left it so sooner than be forced to open to the bailiff and his men.

Baring his head, the stranger stood upon the threshold. "Mither,"—the old familiar word broke from lips that had well-nigh forsaken the Scottish tongue—"mither, do ye no' remember me?"

For one tense moment she stood motionless, her eyes devouring every line of the face she had pictured so often; then with a low cry, her hands were stretched towards him.

"My bairn—my wee son Jock! Tam—Tam, it's a' richt! The guid God was hearing when we asket, and He's gie'd us—He's gie'd us the bairn. And I'm no 'a lying buddy, Tam—I'm no' that!"

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Ministers of state, men of letters, soldiers, sailors, bishops, princes turned away in disappointment from the portals of the palatial hotel where Sir John Mackenzie's name was entered in the visitor's list. The famous explorer was unavoidably absent on a visit to his parents in the North.

DAUGHTER OF D. A. R. HEAD WILL MARRY

MISS EMILY McLEAN.

Miss Emily McLean is to marry E. A. G. Wille next spring. He is a graduate of Yale and is now practicing law. Miss McLean is the daughter of Mrs. Donald McLean, head of the D. A. R.

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ON THE IRON RANGES

HIBBING CLERK OFFERED HONOR

Assistant Superintendency of Swedish Army Stores Is Tendered Him.

Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—From clerk in a mining office to the exalted position of assistant superintendent of the Swedish army stores is the promotion offered Nore Skjold.

Mr. Skjold, who is well known in mining circles here, was for some time on the clerical staff of the Oliver Mining company in Hibbing. During the strike, the company, appreciating his military knowledge, placed him in charge of all their defenses in the Burt and Sellers pits. He was born in Sweden and comes from one of the old aristocratic families of that country. After a good preliminary education he went to the University of Cambridge, England. He has had considerable military service, having served as an officer in the Swedish cavalry. In addition to this he also held a commission in the British army and served in the South African war, after which he returned to Canada with the rank of captain, in his own regiment. On his return he received a letter of congratulation from H. R. H. Prince Carl of Sweden. He says it has been a hard school here on the iron ranges, but the experience is well worth the price. He takes up his new duties during the first week of next month.

BIG CONTRACT FOR STRIPPING

Immense Amount of Over-Burden to Be Removed Near Hibbing.

Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—A stripping contract of considerable magnitude, that will closely affect Hibbing, will be let soon. This contract will call for the stripping of a property east of Hibbing, not much farther from the business section than the big Buffalo and Susquehanna strippings.

It is said that the total amount of overburden to be removed will be more than half of that contracted for on the Buffalo and Susquehanna strippings. This would make the new contract call for the removal of 4,000,000 yards or more.

As far as can be learned at this time the property to be stripped is not the Webb.

HIBBING COURT DEC. 19.

Large Number of Personal Injury Suits to Be Tried.

Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—District court will open in Hibbing Dec. 19. Owing to a large number of civil cases on the docket, the session will probably be protracted. Only two cases are set for trial on the criminal calendar. Mike Rudelioke will be tried for shoting a Hibbing policeman. The accused was furiously riding up and down the street on horseback. The police endeavored to stop his wild career, and finally he barricaded himself in his cottage on the Columbia location, and it was only after a fierce struggle that he was taken prisoner.

The other criminal case grew out of a shooting affray in which the victim barely escaped with his life. The accused is R. E. Stoner. There are fifteen personal injury cases for trial. This week Judge Hughes is holding court in Two Harbors.

The election contest for the position of county attorney for Lake county will be thrashed out at this session. Judge Hughes has in addition a calendar of some fourteen cases which are set down for trial.

HIBBING LICENSE MATTER GOES OVER.

Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—(The special meeting of the council called for the consideration of the revoking of the license held by M. Valerio was adjourned on Saturday evening until the regular meeting Tuesday night because of the absence of several members, the only trustees putting an appearance being Messrs. W. C. Barrett and F. S. Woolfan. The absence of President Wierick will, in all probability, cause the matter to be held over till the latter part of this week, as it is the feeling of the various members of the council that nothing should be done until his return with regard to the matter. The doctor is at Mount Clemens, Mich., on a vacation.

ELECTRIC LIGHTS IN NIGHT SCHOOL

Myers Public School, Near Chisholm, Being Fitted for Night Work.

Chisholm, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—George Warner, who has been a resident of Chisholm and vicinity for three years, left for Kansas City, Mo., his former home. While in Chisholm, Mr. Warner has been in the employ of different mining companies as a steam shoveler.

The Knights of Pythias lodge has chosen these officers: Chancellor commander, Leon A. Taylor; vice chancellor commander, D. C. Hackett; prelate, Stanley Schenk; master of work, Ed Rupp; keeper of records and seals, Herbert Stulberg; master of exchequer, W. M. Pratt; master of arms, Leonard Krause; inside guard, E. I. Casey; outside guard, Joseph F. Shellman; trustee for three years, Harry H. Austin. The members are planning on a grand ball in the near future.

Charles Twinquist, wanted on a charge of passing worthless checks and later arrested in Virginia, has been taken to the county jail in Duluth to await trial.

The Monroe office of the Oliver Iron Mining company is being altered and enlarged to make room for the clerks of the Leonard and Glen mines, who are to have their offices in the Monroe building.

The mine offices at the Leonard and Glen mines will be discontinued as such after the present contemplated change has been made.

Rev. Mr. Edstrom of the Swedish Lutheran church in Hibbing, preached in Tetzloff's hall Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Myers public school, graded, and located one mile east of Chisholm, has ben wired and fitted up with electrical fixtures for the accommodation of the men who are attending the night school in that location. The electricity is to be furnished from the Myers mine. After the electric lights are in the attendance of the night school will increase nearly one-half.

The Mesaba Range Power company has completed the installment of the new 350 horse power steam engine, since which time the lights of the village have greatly improved.

A new lighting and ventilating plant has been installed in the high school building.

Forty women friends of Mrs. George Howenstine met at her home on Tuesday afternoon to give her a farewell reception.

The Howenstines have sold their home in Chisholm to W. Holder of the Shenango, and are to make their future home in Proctor, Minn. Mrs. Howenstine was made the recipient of a handsome carving set.

NEW YORK POLICE ARREST VIRGINIAN

Joseph Jerresatti, Alleged Family Abandoner, Prevented From Sailing.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—Joseph Jerresatti, a peddler, who is alleged to have abandoned his wife and family some ten days ago, was apprehended in New York city through a telegram sent by Chief of Police Ellis Walsh to the police of New York. It was the intention of Jerresatti to sail for Servia, his native country, last Saturday, but he was detained by the New York police and is being held subject to advices from County Attorney Norton.

Chief Walsh has wired the New York authorities to ascertain if Jeresatti is willing to be brought back without the issuance of extradition papers. Jerresatti was accompanied by his eldest son. He is a cousin of the Jerresatti Bros., well known merchants of this city.

Finish Crosby Stripping.

Nashwauk, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—The contract for the removal of the over-burden from the Crosby mine has been completed by Jones Bros., of Cincinnati, and the contractors paid off the men preparatory to closing up for the winter. The equipment will be left at the mine for the winter, when it will be removed to other jobs that the contractors have taken under hand. The paying of the men was completed Saturday, when the local superintendent, John McCartney, left for his home in Ohio.

NO POLITICIANS ASKED QUESTIONS

Expected Heckling of Socialist Speaker at Virginia Did Not Develop.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—The invitation extended by local Socialists to politicians of other parties to be on hand in Socialist hall Saturday evening at the meeting of the Virginia locals and ask questions of the speakers was not accepted. There was no heckling of the speakers by members of the other parties.

The hall was crowded, many women being present.

Ralph Karngold, one of the most forceful Socialist speakers, was the principal speaker.

The hall was filled when J. W. Dailey, the chairman, made the opening address. He spoke briefly of local conditions and lauded woman suffrage, saying in advocacy of the latter, "We will never have clean politics and honest government until the women are given the right to vote."

He also assured the women that their presence was highly appreciated. He promised that in the near future a woman advocate of Socialism would deliver an address here.

In introducing Mr. Karngold, Mr. Dailey paid a compliment to him as one who had aided chiefly in bringing about the Socialist victory in both Milwaukee and Milwaukee county. Mr. Karngold spoke until nearly midnight, holding the attention of every one and being frequently applauded. A large amount of literature was distributed, fifty members of the Virginia locals pledging themselves to distribute 2,000 pieces of literature a month between now and the next city election. Mr. Karngold will return to Virginia again in January to speak on conditions from his viewpoint.

RED MEN'S "DOG FEAST"

Will Be Pulled Off By the Virginia Tribe Tonight.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—A meeting of Nitchie Nobby tribe, Improved Order of Red Men, will be held at their lodgerooms in North Pale hall this evening, when the annual election of officers will take place. A "dog" feast and entertainment will be enjoyed.

The ladies of the M. E. church will give a supper at the church parlors next Thursday evening. The following menu will be served: Veal loaf, cold ham, cream potatoes, baked beans, cabbage salad, jelly, pickles, hot rolls, doughnuts, cake and coffee.

The recently organized Boys' Military band is making arrangements for a benefit ball at the Fay opera house, Friday evening, Dec. 23. The proceeds will be applied toward the purchase of new uniforms.

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church will give a 15-cent luncheon next Wednesday afternoon and evening at the manse, 217 Spruce street. Hand-painted china, the same having been done by W. W. Baldwin, will be displayed.

HIBBING IS HEALTHY.

Conditions Have Vastly Improved in the Range Community.

Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.—Critics of local health conditions will have to cease their carping, according to the report of the city health officer, Dr. C. E. Prudden. Typhoid fever has been reduced to a minimum, only one death being reported from the dread disease since the end of October. That the general health of Hibbing is as good as could be wished for is shown by the fact that only one case of contagious disease was reported during November.

This entirely disproves any fancied danger from the city's water supply. The samples of water taken from the well and sent to the state laboratory were tested and found to be bacteriologically pure. This does not say that the water is chemically pure, as it has been shown to contain calcium carbolate, but this is not supposed to be in any way injurious, and has even been claimed to possess certain health-giving advantages.

TO PRESENT "PRINCESS."

Eveleth Seniors to Produce Classical Class Play.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—The books containing Tennyson's "The Princess," which will be produced by the seniors of the local high school as their class play, are expected this week. The play will be presented under the direction of Miss Elizabeth Greeley Marsh, assisted by Miss Gem Sherman, of the high school faculty.

The seniors have ordered their class pins. The following inscription will adorn all the pins:

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MINING CAPTAINS PLAN ANNUAL MEET.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—A meeting of the Range Institute of Mining Captains was held here Saturday afternoon at the city hall. It was decided to hold the annual meeting next May on the range. Safety appliances for the miners were also considered, and much interest was shown in the matter discussed by those present.

WELL-KNOWN LUMBERMAN OF GRAND RAPIDS DIES.

Grand Rapids, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—Following an illness of several years, James Murchie, a well-known pioneer lumberman and cruiser, is dead here.

Mr. Murchie was 60 years old. He came here about twenty years ago, and has been a resident of the county ever since. He leaves a wife and one son.

EVELETH SCOUTS ON HIKE.

First Walk of Youthful Hikers Is Voted Success.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—The boy scouts, headed by Commander-in-Chief Burton O. Greening, Prof. John L. Peoples, Maurice Levant and Dale Cerveny, made their initial hike Saturday afternoon to Troy mine, a distance of two miles, in less than a half hour.

The scouts were divided into two divisions, No. 1, led by Comamnder-in-Chief Burton O. Greening and Patrol Commander Maurice Levant, while No. 2 was led by Prof. John L. Peoples and Patrol Commander Dale Cerveny.

No. 1 division easily defeated the other scouts both on the journey to and from the Troy mine. The No. 1 division made exceptionally good time on the return, making a short cut through the Fayal mine pit. The scouts wore banners furnished by the domestic department of the high school and carired flags and signs. A short halt was made at the Troy mine, where the scouts searched for Christmas trees and also inspected the woods there.

EVELETH PLAYERS ON PROPOSED RANGE NINE.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—All range high school elevens are being chosen and the following players are the choice of the local football followers: Levant, Eveleth, and J. Dwan, Two Harbors, ends; Sharpe, Eveleth, and Hawkinson, Virginia, tackles; Wring, Hibbing, and Adams, Hibbing, guards; Massucci, center; Johnson, Virginia, quarterback; Cerveny, Eveleth, fullback; Rose, Two Harbors, and Olson, Virginia, halves.

Eveleth Curlers Busy.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—Play for the trophies offered will be commenced by rinks of the Eveleth Curling club this week.

The club has applied for admittance to the Northwestern Curling association, and expects to enter three rinks at the annual bonspiel in Duluth, Jan. 18 to 23, these rinks to participate in all the bonspiel events. Rinks may also be entered at the Winnipeg bonspiel this winter.

Lectures on Balaam.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—Rev. Philip A. Schwarz, Jr., of the First Presbyterian church is giving a series of sermons on interesting Biblical characters, also on prominent men and women of modern times. Last evening a large and attentive audience listened to a biographical sketch of Balaam.

Virginia Woodmen Elect.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—Virginia Camp No. 2955, Modern Woodmen of America, has chosen the following set of officers: Consul, Harry Smith; adv., Carl Johnson; banker, H. V. Peterson; clerk, J. W. Trimble; escort, H. Burchell; past consul, Anton Howe; watchman, L. Brisson; sentry, Gust Sanda; physician, Dr. M. W. Morcum; manager, G. M. Roberts. The degree team of the camp also elected officers as follows: President, James Sisel; secretary, Fred Verville; treasurer, Christ Johnson.

Hibbing Sleighing Party.

Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—A delightful sleighing party was given on Saturday afternoon by Miss Veronica Barrett, daughter of Mrs. W. C. Barrett, for a large number of her young school friends. The sleigh, drawn by four horses and filled with some forty merry boys and girls, made a very pretty picture.

Grand Rapids Couple Wedded.

Grand Rapids, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—Anton C. Johnson and Miss Celia Leppi were married Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Mundigel, Rev. J. J. Parish officiating. The wedding took place in the parlors of the Mundigel home, about fifty friends of the contracting parties being present.

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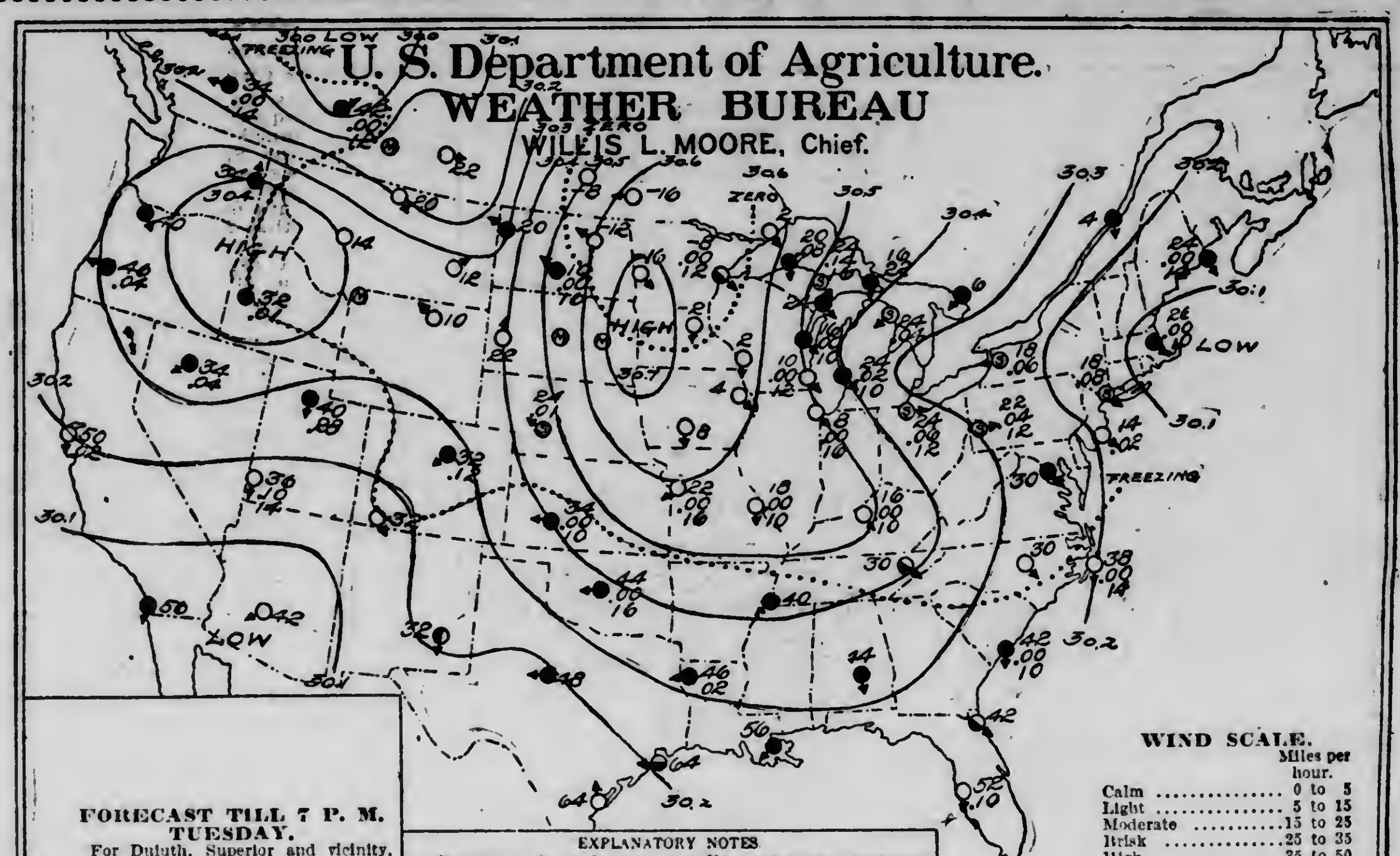

FORECAST TILL 7 P. M. TUESDAY.

For Duluth, Superior and vicinity, including the Mesaba and Vermillion iron ranges—Generally cloudy and milder weather tonight and Tuesday; lowest temperature tonight, about zero; highest temperature Tuesday, 20 to 25 deg. above zero; moderate variable winds, becoming easterly.

EXPLANATORY NOTES

Observations taken at 8 a. m., seventy-fifth meridian time. Air pressure reduced to sea level.

Isobars, or continuous lines, pass through points of equal air pressure. Isotherms, or dotted lines, pass through points of equal temperature, they will be drawn only for zero, freezing, 90°, and 100°.

Symbols indicate state of weather: ○ clear, ◒ partly cloudy, ● cloudy; Ⓡ rain; Ⓢ snow; Ⓜ report missing. Arrows fly with the wind. First figure, temperature; second, 24-hour rainfall, if it equals .01 inch; third, wind velocity of 10 miles per hour or more.

WIND SCALE.

	Miles per hour.
Calm	0 to 5
Light	5 to 15
Moderate	15 to 25
Brisk	25 to 35
High	35 to 50
Gale	50 to 65
Hurricane	65 and above

H. W. RICHARDSON,
Local Forecaster.

CONTINUED COLD

One could hardly imagine a more beautiful winter day than yesterday. Winter in the North does not mean high temperatures and slushy walks. It means clear, crisp, fresh air, with a bright, cold sun in the day time and a silver moon at night. Yesterday was ideal, except to the cold blooded. The highest temperature was 8 deg. Last night, the mercury dropped to 8 deg. below zero and the wind rattled the windows some. Today is cloudy and the weather man promises milder weather tonight and tomorrow.

Snow fell a year ago today.

The sun rose this morning at 7:45 and it will set at 4:19 this evening, giving eight hours and thirty-four minutes of sunlight.

Mr. Richardson makes the following comment on weather conditions:

"During the last forty-eight hours a high pressure condition of marked strength advanced its center from Montana to the Red river valley, causing zero temperatures over Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Montana, the Dakotas, Minnesota, Western Wisconsin and Western Ontario during either Saturday night or Sunday night. Since Sunday morning, however, a low pressure area that developed over Alberta, has resulted in a sharp rise in temperature to above zero over that province and Alberta, and also in Montana and the Western Dakotas. This depression has also caused snow or rain over Nebraska, Colorado, Utah, Nevada, California, Oregon and Idaho. A depression center Sunday morning to the northward of Lake Superior and which was then moving eastward, caused snow in the Lake region, New York and Pennsylvania. The easterly movement of the Alberta depression will result in milder and more or less threatening weather at the Head of the Lakes during the ensuing thirty-six hours."

General Forecasts.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—Forecasts for twenty-four hours ending at 7 p. m. Tuesday:

Upper Michigan—Snow flurries tonight or Tuesday; colder in east and central portions tonight.

Wisconsin—Fair and continued cold tonight; Tuesday unsettled with rising temperature.

Minnesota—Increasing cloudiness tonight and Tuesday, becoming unsettled Tuesday; rising temperature.

Iowa — Increasing cloudiness with snow tonight or Tuesday; rising temperature.

North Dakota—Generally fair tonight and Tuesday; warmer tonight and in east portion Tuesday.

South Dakota—Generally fair tonight and Tuesday, except threatening in east portion; warmer tonight and in east portion Tuesday.

Montana—Generally fair tonight and Tuesday; warmer tonight.

Shippers' forecast—Protect shipments against temperatures of about zero tonight in Minnesota and Wisconsin.

The Temperatures.

Following were the highest temperatures for twenty-four hours and the lowest for twelve, ending at 7 a. m. today:

	High.	Low.		High.	Low.
Abilene	68	42	Miles City	12	4
Alpena	28	20	Milwaukee	16	8
Atlantic City	30	14	Minnedosa	8	—20
Battleford	6	0	Modena	48	30
Bismarck	10	—4	Montgomery	58	44
Boise	42	32	Montreal	8	4
Boston	24	18	Moorhead	2	—16
Buffalo	24	14	New Orleans	64	56
Calgary		30	New York	22	16
Charleston	60	42	North Platte	32	22
Chicago	20	8	Oklahoma	54	44
Corpus Christi	78	64	Parry Sound	18	4
Denver	40	32	Phoenix	74	42
Des Moines	28	6	Pittsburg	30	22
Devils Lake	0	—16	Port Arthur	14	0
Dodge	42	34	Portland, Or	44	40
Dubuque	18	4	Prince Albert		2
DULUTH	8	—8	Qu'Appelle	4	—4
Durango	50	32	Raleigh	32	28
Eastport	28	24	Rapid City	24	18
Edmonton	14	—8	Roseburg	50	46
Escanaba	22	16	Roswell	60	32
Galveston	72	64	St. Louis	36	18
Grand Haven	30	22	St. Paul	16	—2
Green Bay	18	8	Salt Lake City	50	40
Hatteras	50	36	San Diego	64	54
Havre	10	4	San Francisco	60	43
Helena	20	12	Sault Ste. Marie	22	16
Houghton		16	Sheridan	30	10
Huron	18	..	Shreveport	62	46
Jacksonville	66	42	Spokane	38	34
Kamloops		32	Swift Current	16	14
Kansas City	30	22	Tampa	70	52
Knoxville	44	28	Toledo	30	20
La Crosse		2	Washington	36	30
Louisville	40	16	Williston	10	6
Madison	14	2	Winnemucca	66	32
Marquette	22	20	Winnipeg	—8	—20
Memphis	48	40	Yellowstone	38	..

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TAFT NAMES SOUTHERN DEMOCRAT CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT

(Continued from page 1.)

States supreme court—Judge Willis Van Devanter of Wyoming and Judge Joseph Rucker Lamar of Georgia.

To be judges of the new court of commerce—Martin A. Knapp, now chairman of the interstate commerce commission, for a term of five years.

Robert W. Archbald of Scranton, Pa., now United States district judge for the Middle district of Pennsylvania, term of four years.

William H. Hunt, now a judge of the court of customs appeals, formerly United States district judge of the district of Montana, term of three years.

South Dakotan Named.

Judge Emmett Carland of South Dakota to be judge of the new court of commerce for a term of two years. This is a change from the original slate, Arthur C. Denison, United States district judge for the Western district of Michigan, having first been selected for this place.

Julian W. Mack, now judge in the appellate circuit court of the First Illinois district, term of one year.

To be members of the interstate commerce commission:

B. H. Meyer of Wisconsin and C. C. McChord of Kentucky.

The appointments to the interstate commerce commission are to be made to fill the vacancies caused by the elevation of Mr. Knapp to the commerce court and the forthcoming retirement of Former Senator Francis M. Cockrell of Missouri. The commission will elect its new chairman. The members of the commission who remain are Messrs. Clark, Harlan, Clements, Lane and Prouty.

New Commerce Court.

The commerce court is a court created in the amendment in the interstate commerce act passed in June last by this congress. The law provides for the appointment of five additional circuit judges by the president who are to constitute the court, and no two of whom shall be appointed from the same judicial circuit. The judges so appointed are to serve on the commerce court, and after being relieved from that service are to be assigned to work on the circuits as circuit judges.

The law requires the president to designate in the first appointments the term of years during which the judge appointed shall serve on the commerce court, and the judge designated to sit for five years on this court is to act as the presiding judge. Thereafter the court is to be composed of five judges to be designated by the supreme court from the circuit judges of the United States.

This court is thus composed of the present chairman of the interstate commerce commission, two United States district judges, one judge of the United States court of customs appeals who was formerly a United States district judge, and one judge from the appellate court of Illinois.

Disposition Among Circuits.

In the official nominations sent to the senate today the members of the new commerce court are designated as additional circuit judges. In carrying this out, Mr. Knapp is named as a judge for the Second, Mr. Archbald for the Third, Mr. Hunt for the Ninth, Mr. Carland for the Eighth and Mr. Mack for the Seventh judicial circuits.

Judge Carland of South Dakota, named as one of the new judges of the court of commerce, is a Democrat, having been appointed to the bench by President Cleveland. His appointment makes the complexion of the commerce court three Republicans and two Democrats.

Carland a Democrat.

President Taft hesitated between the appointment of Judge Carland and Judge Arthur Denison of Michigan. Last night the latter was thought to have been his final selection. To have appointed Judge Denison, however, would have resulted in making three circuit judges from Michigan, whereas the president was anxious for a more equitable distribution.

Judge Willis Van Devanter was born in Indiana and is 51 years old. He was a graduate of Asbury, now Depauw, university, and a graduate from the Cincinnati Law school of 1881. After three years of practice in Indiana he moved to Cheyenne, Wyo., where he was commissioned to revise the Wyoming statutes in 1886; city attorney 1887-1888; member territorial legislature and chairman of its judiciary committee, 1888; chief justice of the supreme court of Wyoming from 1889 by appointment while it was a territory, and by election after it became a state.

Resigned Wyoming Office.

He resigned from the Supreme court to resume the practice of law. In 1897 he was appointed assistant attorney general of the United States and assigned to the department of the interior. In February, 1903, he was appointed United States circuit judge of the Eighth judicial circuit. He was a professor of equity pleading and practice, and equity jurisprudence in Columbia university.

Judge Joseph Rucker Lamor is 53 years old, was born in Georgia, educated at the University of Georgia, the Washington and Lee university and at Bethany college. He was admitted to the bar in 1879 and practiced at Augusta. He was a member of the Georgia legislature for three years. He was a commissioner to codify the laws of Georgia in 1895. In 1903 he became an associate justice of the supreme ciurt of Georgia, where he served two and one-half years and then resigned. He is one of the leaders of the Southern bar.

No Sign of Opposition.

There was no evidence in the senate today that the nominations would meet with opposition. Members of the senate judiciary committee had received notice that the appointments were to be made and at the regular meeting of the committee no objections were raised in conversation by the members, which of course was purely informal. All of the court nominations were referred to the judiciary committee.

Advised Against Hughes.

The announcement that Justice White was to be the new chief justice caused some surprise because it had been generally understood for somtime that Justice Charles F. Hughes was slated for that high honor. In the last two or three days, however, it became known that a change in the head of the supreme court slate might be made.

Some of the president's closest advisors argued with him that Justice Hughes' experience at the bar had not been sufficient to warrant his promotion at this time to the highest judicial position in the country. They claim that Mr. Hughes' reputation as a lawyer had been gained principally in his conduct of two legislative investigations.

They agreed with the president that everything pointed to a most brilliant career on the bench for the former governor. At the same time they offered the argument that Justice Hughes was the youngest man on the bench and that his opportunity for promotion would come later when he would have had the advantage of the maturing experience of having served several years on the bench.

Hughes Taft's Favorite.

It is said the president sees in Mr. Hughes most of the qualities that he believes essential in a chief justice. Young, vigorous, possessing great executive ability and with progressive ideas, Mr. Hughes was looked upon as the man who could do much to bring about the reform in judicial proceedings in this country. Mr. Taft regards court reforms as the crying need of the United States. He had made strong representations on the subject in his message to congress and is hopeful that something substantial can be accomplished in the course of his administration.

The president has been careful in making his selections of judges, and he finally was impressed by the objection of inexperience of Justice Hughes, especially on the bench. Always coupled with the criticism of Mr. Hughes as a chief justice was the highest praise for the former governor as a man and as an associate justice. No appointment the president has made has caused more favorable comment.

Opposition Was Widespread.

The opposition to Mr. Hughes at this time on the ground of inexperience came not only from the president's advisers in Washington, but came from the bar and from the judges of the various courts. Justice Hughes already is very popular among the judges of the supreme court, and it is not believed they took any part in the arguments placed before the president.

Eliminating Justice Hughes and all suggestions made from outside the court, President Taft, it is said, turned naturally to Justice White. In doing so he disregarded all political considerations. Justice White is a Democrat and was born in Louisiana. He was appointed to the supreme court by Grover Cleveland and is 65 years old.

So far as Washington can recall, this is the first time that a chief justice of a political faith opposite to that of the administration has ever been appointed.

White Former Confederate.

The president has the highest regard for Justice White both as a man and as a jurist. As a member of the supreme court it has fallen to his lot to participate in some of the most famous cases in the history of the tribunal. Although a Confederate soldier and a Democrat, Justice White is said to hold probably the most clearly marked ideas of federalism of any of the supreme court justices. He was with the government in all of the so-called insular cases, involving the Philippines and other island possessions.

He rendered a minority opinion against the government contentions in the Northern Securities case and also was with the minority of the court in voting to sustain the constitutionality of the income tax law.

Justice White has been on the supreme court for sixteen years and is now the oldest justice in commission whose age is less than 70 years. He graduated from Georgetown university. In addition to practicing law in Louisiana, he was a sugar planter. He served in the Louisiana legislature as a senator, served for a number of years on the state supreme court and subsequently was elected to the United States senate. He was serving his first term in that body when President Cleveland appointed him to the supreme court.

Van Devanter and Oil Cases.

Judge Van Devanter participated in the now famous Standard Oil decision rendered in the Eighth circuit. Mr. Taft debated for some time as to the propriety of taking a judge from this circuit and elevating him to the supreme bench, where he must pass again upon the evidence in the Standard Oil cases.

Judge Van Devanter is regarded as a high authority in land cases. He served on the Wyoming supreme court for several years and for seven years was an assistant attorney general.

Judge Lamar of Georgia has personally been known to the president for several years. Mr. Taft early decided that one of the new associate justices should be a Democrat. Judge Lamar served two and a half years on the supreme court of Georgia and is now one of the leading members of the Southern bar. His appointment will bring the Democratic representation on the supreme court up to three members, the others being the new chief justice, Mr. White, and Justice Lurton of Tennessee.

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SPORTING NEWS OF THE DAY

THREE FROM THE WEST

Walker, Benbrook and Wells on Camp's All-American Team.

Expert Says New Rules Have Eliminated Many Undesirable Features.

CAMP'S ALL-AMERICAN ELEVEN

Ends—Kilpatrick, Yale; Wells, Michigan.
Tackles—McKay, Harvard; Walker, Minnesota.
Guards — Benbrook, Michigan; Fisher, Harvard.
Center—Cozens, Pennsylvania.
Quarterback — Sprackling, Brown.
Halfbacks — Wendell, Harvard; Pendleton, Princeton.
Fullback—Mercer, Pennsylvania.

Three Westerners won places on Walter Camp's All-American eleven, which appears in the current issue of Collier's Weekly, while several other members of Western teams won honorable mention, and the style of play of the leading Western elevens met with a deal of favorable comment. Benbrook of Michigan is placed at guard for the second time, Wells of Michigan awarded one of the end positions, while Walker of Minnesota is given one of the tackles.

Besides selecting his all-star eleven, Camp also comments on the season's play, the big games and the small number of injuries which resulted from the modifications made by the rules committee last year. Camp asserts that the elimination of the push and pull of the man with the ball did a lot toward lessening fatalities, and it also tended to open up the attack more by removing the assaults from the tackles

Weird Season.

Mr. Camp writes on the new rules: "A strange season indeed, and one of weird happenings. But in spite of all this, the play was consistently interesting and brought out at times some very good quality of work both in individual prowess and team tactics. Best of all, the pounding on the tackle, which had been the most serious feature of the season of 1909 was practically eliminated by the new rule forbidding pushing and pulling, and locked interference. This gave the man playing this formed star position a chance once more to bring out infinite possibilities of the place instead of merely standing up to be pounded to a jelly or made a chopping block of.

"I regard this as, by all means, the best feature introduced into the rules and I believe that all those who care for the eventual welfare of the sport will agree on this point. The difficulty surrounding it was that the officials urged (I have it from the board of officials) by coaches not to rule too harshly on this point, allowed a certain amount of pushing and pulling and holding to creep into the play, and hence gave an undue and unusual inducement to the infringement of the rules.

Officials Given Leeway.

"This brought about an anomaly in that the officials who were supposed to enforce the rules found every pressure exerted upon them to overlook occasional lapses. Such a state of affairs is the worst possible thing for any sport, because if the rules are not made to be enforced the rules must be wrong, and if the officials find that they are not backed up in strict rulings their authority will speedily cease and the game revert to a lower standard.

"Not only have these rules eliminating pushing and pulling been thoroughly successful whenever enforced and reduced to a minimum last year assaults on the tackles, thus going far toward lessening the danger of accident, but they have saved the rest of the team from that stupid, dazed condition that arose from this style of play. At the same time these rules have rendered the game far more a square sport in the sense that one man was made a target for the united assault of five men massed and going with such a cruel force as to make the play a really unfair factor. The feature of the rules should be preserved at all hazards, as well as the kindred one for bidding interlocking interference.

Cites Salvation of Game.

"Upon these rules depends the real salvation of the game from the two great objections of unfair and brutal play. Something more should be done, however, to render the task of officials less onerous and the comprehension of the average spectator more effective.

"It is rather a strange commentary upon the use of the forward pass that Yale and Michigan should each have won one of their most important contests of the year by means of this play, just as Yale won its main contest with one of these plays in the initial year of its introduction, while others, though using this play more frequently, usually lost rather than gained through the employment of the forward pass, just as Harvard did in its chief contest in 1909.

"The play is a treacherous one, and the occasions for its use are so dependent upon the immediate conditions surrounding it at the moment that it should be placed in a special category by every quarterback and captain.

"Chicago, probably its strongest advocate, has fared badly this season, although this may be traceable to lack of material. Pennsylvania, another of those who were credited with especially desiring its retention, has perfected a far more effective play against her opponents in the shape of a running onside kick. And Pennsylvania should have especial credit for this achievement in view of the fact that it takes harder and more conscientious work to perfect this play."

Michigan Surpassed Gophers.

In regard to the Gophers, Mr. Camp writes:

"In the Middle West Minnesota came from the first with a great rush. The shift plays of Dr. Williams, former Yale back, later used at New Haven, proved too much for Minnesota's opponents up to the time of the great game. In fact, it is probable that the early promise of the team, coupled with the unexpected weakness of the opponents on its schedule, cost Minnesota her important match with Michigan, for her team had never before been even headed.

"When Michigan checked her it was too new an experience, and Yost's men won with the forward passes at the end. Outside of Michigan and Minnesota, Illinois should have the credit for developing an exceedingly good team. Chicago dropped still further down, as must any team that has no backbone of attack outside the forward passes and tricks."

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TOM MADDEN WILL REFEREE

Veteran Will Be Third Man at Hackenschmidt-Lehto Match.

Tom Madden, the veteran referee and one of the best posted men on ahtletics in general at the Head of the Lakes, will referee the Hackenschmidt-Lehto finsh match tomorrow evening. Tom Madden has been the third man on the canvas at some of the biggest and best matches ever held in this city.

Hackenschmidt will, if he arrives on schedule, reach Duluth early tomorrow morning. With his two trainers, who work with the Russian Lion on the road and in the training room, and his manager, Hack, will be quartered at the St. Louis hotel.

Letters from the Copper country, received at the Lyceum theater box office, state that a large number of wrestling followers are coming down from the district to see the big match. So intense is the interest in the Copper country, that four papers have subscribed to a wire service. A wire will be run into the Lyceum and bulletin service given of the match.

Before the main event of tomorrow evening, Mauritz Harris, the crack lightweight of Superior, and Joe Fish, one of the cleverest little wrestlers ever appearing at the Head of the Lakes, will wrestle. The semi-windup will be between Chris Person and Ole Johnson, the latter being the big man from across the bay.

This is one of the best cards ever arranged for a wrestling show in this city. The first preliminary will go on at 8:30. The first and second teams of the Central high school football squad will occupy the upper boxes as the guests of the management.

GOPHERS WANT TRAINING TABLE RE-ESTABLISHED.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 12.—Unless the Western conference accedes to certain demands of the University of Minnesota the Gophers may pull out of the "Big Eight." That is the ultimatum as sounded by Minnesota students.

The big thing on which the Minnesota people are kicking is the abolition of the training table in the conference schools. A movement is on foot among the students of the Maroon and Gold institution whereby they hope they can secure not only a training table but a trainer as well. The student body believes it has been slighted in the rulings prepared and passed by the conference, feeling that they have had no voice in the matter at all.

The students plan to hold several mass meetings in the near future at which their grievances will be voiced and plans formulated to be presented to the athletic board and the board of regents. The movement has reached such a stage at the university that already there is talk of dropping out of the conference unless the training table is granted.

It is pointed out that Michigan has the training table and has done well with it and the student body and its supporters can see no reason why the members of the conference should not be granted the same privilege. The Gophers plan to present their plea in the strongest sort of a way when the conference representatives meet in Minneapolis next June.

POWERS MAY BE OUSTED FROM EASTERN LEAGUE.

New York, Dec. 12.—Whether P. T. Powers, president of the Eastern league, will be re-elected to the chieftaincy of that organization, was the main question for decision by the Eastern league magnates at their annual meeting here today. The opposition to President Powers is said to have the support of five clubs—Toronto, Montreal, Buffalo, Baltimore and Newark. The candidate believed to have the backing of the organization is named Edward G. Barrow of Toronto, who managed the Montreal team last year.

Today's Eastern league meeting starts a series of important baseball gatherings in this city which will continue throughout the better part of the week. Magnates of the big leagues are already gathering for the annual meeting of the National league, which convenes tomorrow, while the American league's annual gathering will take place on Wednesday. No meeting of the national commission has been called, but its members may take advantage of their simultaneous presence here to hold a session.

PARRES SIGNS FOR BATTLE IN WISCONSIN.

Jack Parres, middleweight fighter, who has engaged in a number of hard fights in this section of the country, has signed articles to fight Bill Summers, a Wisconsin middleweight, ten rounds before one of the Wisconsin fight clubs.

Parres has been training for several weeks and states that he is in the best condition. He will fight Dec. 27.

FIRST GAMES FOR THE HERALD TROPHY.

Regular curling play for The Herald trophy will begin this evening. Rinks will be registered at the clubhouse. The season will be formally opened this evening by the play for the first trophy event, and from now until the big spiel there will be an immense amount of interest in the game.

Ski Riders Out.

Ski riders were out on the hill yesterday getting in shape for the meet here next month. There will be a meet in Minneapolis before the one here, and some of the crack riders will enter. The definite date of the national meet at Chippewa Falls has not been set. It is expected that a meeting of the directors of the association will be held in the near future and a series of dates arranged.

FOWNES AT HEAD OF LIST

Holder of Three Championships Leads Sixteen Best Golfers in Country.

W. J. Travis in Second Place—Harry G. Legg Is Tenth.

New York, Dec. 12.—W. C. Fownes, Jr., of Pittsburg, holder of the national Pennsylvania and Western Pennsylvania championships, heads the list of the best sixteen golfers prepared by H. L. Fitzpatrick, who has made a similar estimate annually since 1901. Fownes has not been beaten in a match except on his appearance at Pinehurst in April, when he lost to W. J. Travis and W. R. Tuckerman.

The former British-American champion W. J. Travis is in second place. As the winner of the North and South title and of many tournaments, he has played up to his best form. Those beaten in matches by Travis include Fownes, Evans, Herreshoff and Travers. The Western open champion, Charles Evans, Jr., runner-up in the Western and nationa lsemi-finals, is placed third and leads Fred Herreshoff, medalist in the national and Metropolitan amateur championship. Two Westerners get fifth and sixth places, Mason Phelps, Western amateur champion and Robert F. Hunter, inter-collegiate champion.

Byers Is Reinstated.

E. M. Byers, omitted last year for the only time, because he had withdrawn from the game on account of his brother's death, is again rated in view of his medal play in tournaments at Pittsburg and as a former amateur champion. H. Chandler Egan has played only in the national, for which, on account of the congested course, he did not qualify. The next day Egan did 73 at Braeburn on his first sight of the course.

Active players have been rated above him, but Egan is fourteenth and over T. M. Sherman, son of the vice president, who won three tournaments and was put out in the first round of the national, and Jerome D. Travis, former champion, who was strong in the early months of the season.

There are nine on the list who belong to clubs that are members of the Western as well as the United States Golf association. The other seven are Easterners. Albert Seckel, Chicago, is the most prominent of the players dropped from last year's list. To have rated him would have been a chronicle of defeats, and this is also true of D. F. Sawyer of Chicago. A junior of local fame, Gardner W. Whites, New York, just misses a rating, and will get in next year if his game keeps up.

The national sixteen follow:

1—W. C. Fownes, Jr., Pittsburg; 2—W. J. Travis, New York; 3—Charles Evans, Jr., Chicago; 4—Fred Herresnoff, New York; 5—Mason Phelps, Chicago; 6—R. F. Hunter, Chicago; 7—W. K. Wood, Chicago; 8—W. R. Tuckerman, Stockbridge, Mass., and Washington; 9—R. Gardner, Chicago; 10—Harry C. Legg, Minneapolis; 11—E. M. Byers, Pittsburg; 12—P. W. Whittemore, Boston; 13—F. S. Douglas, New York; 14—H. Chandler Egan, Chicago; 15—T. M. Sherman, Utica; 16—J. D. Travers, New York.

BASEBALL WEEK IN NEW YORK

National, American and Eastern Leagues to Hold Annual Meeting.

New York, Dec. 12.—This will be baseball week in New York. Within the next four days the club owners of three leagues, two of them major, will meet here in annual convention, elect officers, discuss amendments to the rules and map out their plans for 1911.

Two of the leagues—the National and the Eastern—will elect presidents. In the American Ban Johnson still has nineteen years to serve of a twenty-year term at $25,000 a year. Thus far there has been little talk of any opposition to "Tom" Lynch, president of the Nationals, but the friends of Edward G. Barrow of Toronto, who managed the Montreal team last year, will put him forward against "Pat" Powers for the leadership of the Eastern league.

DAVIDSON TAKES LAST RACE FROM BRYANT.

Harley Davidson, champion roller skater of the world, and perhaps the fastest and cleverest performer on the rollers that the country has yet produced, concluded his engagement in this city Saturday evening, winning his race with Frank Bryant, the Duluth youngster who has made such a good showing on the rollers. The race was skated in 2:32 3-5, and was very exciting all the way through.

Davidson possesses more speed than Bryant, but the little fellow has nothing to be ashamed of. He made a better showing than some of the flyers who have gained greater reputations the little Duluth kid.

While here Davidson showed that he is a master of both speed and fancy skating. There is probably no man in the country today whom this veteran of the ice blade, bicycle and rollers cannot defeat handily. His skating was a revelation to the followers of the game here.

Catholic Club Meeting.

A meeting of those interested in the completion of the organization of the Catholic club of the parochial school will be held this evening at Fourth street and Second avenue. The specifications for outfitting have been completed and it is expected that the contract for the work will be let this evening. The gymnasium will be modern in every detail.

Athletics Lose.

Havana, Dec. 12.—The Almendares nine defeated the Philadelphia Americans by a score of 2 to 1 yesterday.

Purdue Captain.

Lafayette, Ind., Dec. 12.—Roy W. Tavey, left halfback on the 1910 'Varsity football team at Purdue, was elected captain of the 1911 eleven Sturday. Tavey is a junior. His home is in Ogden, Utah.

GOSSIP PICKED UP ALONG THE SPORTING HIGHWAY

Three Western Men on All-American Team — The Curling Season Opens With a Dash—The Training Table Wanted — Ball Players and the Footlights

(BY BRUCE.)

WALTER CAMP'S CHOOSING OF THREE WESTERN PLAYERS FOR his mythical All-American team, which, by the way, has come to be looked upon as the only true representative All-American team in as much as Mr. Camp is the only Eastern critic who comes West to see the teams in this section of the country perform, means more than ever that the Western teams are at last being recognized by the dean of the game and its most observing and discerning critic.

Followers of Minnesota football will be sorely disappointed over the fact that Johnny McGovern failed to get on the team. Sprackling of Brown may have outclassed the Minnesota wonder at that, as he was picked by practically every one of the Eastern critics who picked an All-Eastern eleven. McGovern's showing the present season has been sensational many times and consistent all of the time.

In the Michigan game the Yost cohorts were insturcted, it seems, to watch the stocky Irishman as the hungry hawk keeps an experienced weather eye on the ramblings of the fledgling. Likewise the Minnesota players were told to bear in mind the prowess of Magidsohn and you may remember that this backfield star of the Wolverines was not the player on the Yost brigade who did the most ground gaining. The failure of McGovern to gain may be answered in the failure of Magidsohn to penetrate the Minnesota line or skirt the ends.

Walker's recognition will prove somewhat of a balm to the wounded spirits of the Minnesota faithful. James has long been looked upon as the best tackle in the West. Both the present year and last season he outplayed his man in the Michigan game. The tackles of the other Western teams were not even able to give the Gopher giant a run for his money.

Not so much is known in these parts regarding the ability of Wells. He played a corking game against Pennsylvania and was one of the scintillating heroes in the Minnesota contest. When a player can show class in two such hard fought games as they were, he must have the goods on the shelf.

But behind the selection of the three Western players lies the bigger and broader fact that at last one Eastern critic has readjusted his glasses and can see beyond the reaches of the East. Mr. Camp has visited the West before, in fact he was an interested spectator at the Minnesota-Michigan game of 1902, but never has he become so well acquainted with our methods as he is at the present time.

Last season and the season before that, Mr. Camp made a trip over the West, became better informed upon the conditions of inter-university play, the methods of Western coaches and also obtained a personal line on some of the strongest players. Later he was afforded the opportunity of getting a true line on the ability of these players.

Sooner or later, if the play of the Western teams progress, the Eastern critic, no matter how narrow or prejudiced, will be forced to give the West the credit it has long been denied.

The fact that Camp has at last awakened to the patent fact that there are football players west of the Alleghenies, is encouraging, for it means that some of the smaller and more pompous writers on the game will rush to follow the lead of the oracle of the sport.

Never before in the history of football have three Western men been on the honor roll on any All-American team, especially upon Camp's, which has come to be loked upon as the real representative team of the whole country, doubly so when Camp is the only Eastern critic who pretends to look over the material outside of the Eastern territory.

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Curling Starts With Great Enthusiasm.

NEVER BEFORE HAS THERE BEEN so much enthusiasm in this city regarding curling. The present season promises to be the best year that the ancient Scotch game has enjoyed at the Head of the Lakes. The reasons are manifold.

For one thing, the curling club is one of the liveliest organizations this city possesses, and has the right spirit of royal good fellowship, congeniality and progressiveness. Its members are men with broad ideas, and already the club is looking ahead with an eye on a larger opening for winter sports in this city, which will demand a larger club and even a broader program than the curling club has at the present time.

The organizing of a hockey team is the first move in the experiment of trying a grand winter sport in this city. Hockey in the past has not paid simply because Duluth has been hampered in the way of a rink. The members of the skating committee of the club propose to ascertain whether the people of Duluth want hockey, and if they do, the future may be expected to witness some great exhibitions of the great old game.

As for curling—well, there was never so much interest in the game as there is right at the present time. They are live men on that committee, and every one is working to make the spiel the present winter better in every detail than the bonspiel held in other seasons. From correspondence received from Winnipeg, some of the smaller Canadian cities, from St. Paul, Minneapolis and some of the other smaller American cities, there will be a larger number of curlers here the present winter than ever in the history of the game.

With the expectation of the large number of players, the local committeemen are going ahead with arrangements which will give the people of Duluth an opportunity to witness one of the greatest, largest and best bonspiels that have ever been held in the Northwest.

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Sure, Let's Have the Training Table Back.

A MORNING TELEGRAPH STORY tells as how the walked-on and Williamized sad-eyed representatives of the University of Minnesota are asking that the training table be reinstalled. The appeal is made to the conference body, and the answer or subsequent action will be interesting.

This was one of the most highly illogical acts the conference ever performed. The dear professors, fresh from the botany room, their faces all aglow from the entrancing study of the Greek root, came to a meeting one day and declared with clappings of hands against the training table. Why? No one has ever been able to discover.

Perhaps they thought it was too professional, or that the boys ate too much for their little "Tummies." Most any one well informed on athletics will tell you that a man's diet is an elemental part of his success. Some able scientist with an eye to the epigram has stated that we are what we eat.

Now, this eating around the college restaurant is not always what it is painted in the school prospectus. Somewhat the food is constructed on the plan that a cheap article will go a long ways. It is, again, sometimes long on size but short on nutriment.

It is logical to suppose that a man eating a rational and scientific training diet would be more immune from injury than the man who is eating his meals at irregular hours and is eating food that may be just what he should not eat. The profs overlooked this bit of logic, for, my dear, despite a popular theory, professors are not always the most logical people in the world.

It was because of the ridiculous idea regarding the training table that the University of Michigan walked out of the conference. It was an insane, namby-pamby, foolish little whim, this abolishing of the college training table.

Now Minnesota is out for the re-establishment of the sane system of giving athletes nourishing diet. It is to be hoped that Minnesota will push this point through, insisting that the wishes of a great school like the university be granted in some small detail. The Gophers have been somewhat sat upon by the conference, and it is really time, Imogene, that their voice was raised to a higher and somewhat firmer pitch.

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May Be Compelled to Shift the Seasons.

IF THIS MANIA AMONG BALL players for the stage continues, Bill, the season may have to be shifted. The season before last the Cubs were put out of the running because Joe Tinker did not report from theatrical work early enough to get into condition before the first quarter of the season. Already we hear of the statements of players who claim they will have to cut the training season to fill theatrical dates.

It is to laugh with a somewhat raucous guffaw. These ball players are allowed on the stage not because of inherent ability, but because they have hung their names in large letters in the glowing light of diamond doings. Therefore, when they talk of not reporting until late in the sprnig, until after the training trip, they heave a brick at the wall of logic. If they don't play, they can't get on the stage, and if they don't train properly early in the spring, they can't play their best game.

Let the dear boys pick up all the money that they can in the winter tim—but, boys, don't get crazy in the bean.

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Lehto Is Breaking Into The White Spotlight.

ASIDE FROM THE NOTORIETY that Karl Lehto is achieving here at home, he is also getting the notices away from home. The Minneapolis Journal of yesterday, a paper, by the way, that is generally pretty well informed and also conservative, runs a large picture of the young Finn, and further states that he is considered a good opponent for Henry Ordemann.

It is only necessary to say at this time that the game has been kept clean in this city, that betting has not been allowed, that every wrestler entering a match here has been warned against faking, and that every effort has been made to give the public a run for its money. That says about all that is necessary.

PARK RIVER STUDENT WINNER IN ATHLETICS.

Grand Forks, N. D., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—Oscar Gullickson of Park River, N. D., star quarter of the University of North Dakota football team this year, has established an enviable record in North Dakota athletic circles by winning a letter on four teams, basketball, baseball, track and football, all in one season. Gullickson's work in all departments has been the very best, as may may be judged by the record that he has established.

Arrangements are being made at the university for holding the annual jubilee at which the formal presentation of the letters to the winning men will be made.

BRAZIL PUTS AN END TO MUTINY

Four Hundred Fighters and Spectators Are Killed or Wounded.

Rio Janeiro, Dec. 12.——The government troops are again in control of the garrison on Cobra island and the second mutiny of the naval forces has ended with a heavy casualty list, but in a way that probably will prevent further uprisings for some time to come.

The mutineers in the garrison, who composed a battalion of the marine corps, numbered about 600 men. Of these 200 were either killed or wounded. The others were taken prisoners by the destroyers while attempting to escape from the island during the night.

Two hundred citizens were either killed or wounded while watching the bombardment from the streets of the city or along the water front. Many government buildings were damaged, including the treasury, the foreign office and the departments of public works and telegraphs, all handsome structures.

Bombarded the Island.

The land batteries, two warships and several destroyers took part in the bombardment of the island, and twice during the engagement an armistice was allowed for the removal of the dead and wounded. Firing ceased entirely late in the evening, but no actual surrender of the rebels occurred, the commanders of the government forces deeming it the wiser course to await the coming of day.

The destroyers, however, were stationed within easy range of the island so as to prevent any attempt by the mutineers to escape. Toward midnight several boats put out and men could be seen swimming, evidently with the intention of reaching the main land. The destroyers bore down on them and made them prisoners.

HUNTING BEATS FOOTBALL.

Has Cost Thirteen Lives in Pennsylvania Alone.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 12.—Fatal hunting accidents in the state of Pennsylvania, with the season not yet ended, already equal the number of deaths in football in all forty-six states of the country this fall. The serious gunning accidents in Pennsylvania alone number nearly twice as many as all the football accidents in the United States.

This comparison of "sports that kill" is obtained from a careful compilation of all gunning accidents reported in Pennsylvania this fall and from a summary of football accidents widely published at the conclusion of the gridiron season. The record as obtainable, is:

Football in the United States, 1910, deaths 13; serious injuries 17.

Hunting in Pennslvania, 1910, deaths 13; serious injuries 31.

The list of gunning casualties shows a death or injury for almost every day in the season thus far. The victims are mainly boys under 21 years of age.

One peculiar accident was the death of a hunter by heart disease when a rabbit, which he thought he had shot dead, jumped just as he was about to pick it up. This victim was Albert Henne, aged 42, a school director of Dickson City, Pa.

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SOLOIST MAKES GOOD IMPRESSION

Miss Marie Clark Is Favorably Received By Masonic Temple Audience.

The concert at the auditorium, Masonic temple, yesterday afternoon, was a perfectly enjoyable one throughout, the program well balanced and the music of a high order while simple and tuneful. The audience was very appreciative and generous with applause which stirred the performers up to the proper artistic pitch.

Miss Marie Clark, the soloist, made a very good impression and earned it by her talented rendition of the selections. The order of her pieces was reversed, so that Saint-Saens beautiful aria "My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice," from the opera of "Samson and Delilah," introduced her to the audience which at once adopted her and insisted on an encore, to which she responded with Mrs. Beach's "The Year's at the Spring," which though short was excellently rendered and greatly appreciated. Her second number, also by Mrs. Beach, "Ah, Love, But a Day," brought out a call for an encore in C. B. Hawley's "In a Garden." Miss Clark's voice is a round, rich and full high mezzo-soprano, with good volume and well trained. All her pieces showed much care in rehearsals and an artistic conception with real feeling. She is a graduate of the Chicago Musical college, gained a gold medal for proficiency in her first year and the diamond medal at her graduation. Miss Clark had the benefit of the artistic and sympathetic accompaniment of Mrs. F. G. Bradbury, who added much to the general acceptability of the whole program. The explanations given by Mr. Custance made the program more interesting and understandable and were very much appreciated.

The organ selections gave many of the beautiful numbers from the opera of William Tell not heard in the well known Overture and Haydn's celebrated Surprise Symphony, No. 6, with its beautiful, simple, melodious themes and delightful arrangement pleased the entire audience, notwithstanding it was called a Symphony. Temple audiences do not shy any more at the word symphony or rhapsody, having learned that the most satisfying music is found under such names. The crash in the second movement was a real surprise although Mr. Custance called attention to it before the piece began.

The program was concluded with Godfrey's arrangement of old Irish melodies which struck a responsive chord in the music sense of the listeners and was very much enjoyed. There will be no concert on Christmas day, but the peculiar Christmas music will be given on New Year's day.

LET SHAREHOLDERS KNOW.

MacVeagh Says the Corporations Should Publish Condition.

Washington, Dec. 12.—The time has arrived, in the opinion of Secretary of the Treasury MacVeagh, when all concerns engaged in public business should take the public into their confidence to the extent of dealing frankly and fairly with their stockholders by revealing their true financial and physical conditions.

The secretary, discussing that feature of the president's annual message to congress regarding the necessity of reassuring the public as to the financial soundness of the country, said:

"Anything that will promote the confidence of the investigating public is a good thing for business institutions, I know of no other one thing which would tend more in this direction than for the corporations to deal frankly and fairly with their stockholders by revealing their actual financial and physical conditions.

New Business Methods.

"Shareholders have an unquestioned right to know how the company in which their money is invested is being conducted and how the business stands. There was a time, not long ago, when officers and directors of a corporation treated such organizations almost as their personal property. That day has passed. Now the demand is for fair dealing and open books. Legitimate corporations could have nothing to lose and probably much to gain, by following this policy and the public would soon become weary of investing their money in enterprises which were afraid or unwilling to do the same thing."

UNCLE SAM IN SECOND PLACE

England Alone Leads United States as a Naval Power.

Washington, Dec. 12.—The United States closes another year in second place among the world's naval powers. The great navy building race between Germany and Great Britain has not yet brought the former country up to the United States in the number of battleships afloat, but in ships projected and in the total number of war vessels of all kinds, Germany will crowd the United States to third place.

In armored cruisers, although the technical division made in the United States indicates Germany to have more than this country, the actual strength of the United States exceeds that of its European rival.

"Notwithstanding the continued hustling of Germany to overcome Great Britain's plan of a two-power navy, the United States is nearly abreast of Germany," says the report.

"In completed tonnage the United States is ahead of Germany. In battleships completed, both in number and displacement, the United States leads Germany. Including battleships completed, under construction and provided for, the number of each country is identical, while the United States exceeds Germany in total battleship tonnage.

CHANCE FOR COLLEGE MEN.

Nominations to Consular Jobs Soon to Be Made.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Another opportunity for college graduates to enter the consular service will be afforded on Jan. 30 and 31, and Feb. 1 next, when a nomination will be held at the state department of candidates for appointment as consular assistants or student interpreters. The consular assistants receive a salary of $1,000 per annum for the first three years, and thereafter $200 a year more until a maximum of $1,800 is reached. The student interpreters assigned to duty in China, Japan and Turkey receive a salary of $1,000 per annum with an allowance of $125 for tuition.

RECOVER $7,000 WORTH OF GOLD; ARREST SEVEN.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 12.—With the recovery of $7,000 worth of gold bars and the arrest of six men and one woman, United States secret service officials here think they have solved the mystery of the theft of $59,000 in gold bullion of the Humboldt in Alaskan waters on Sept. 11.

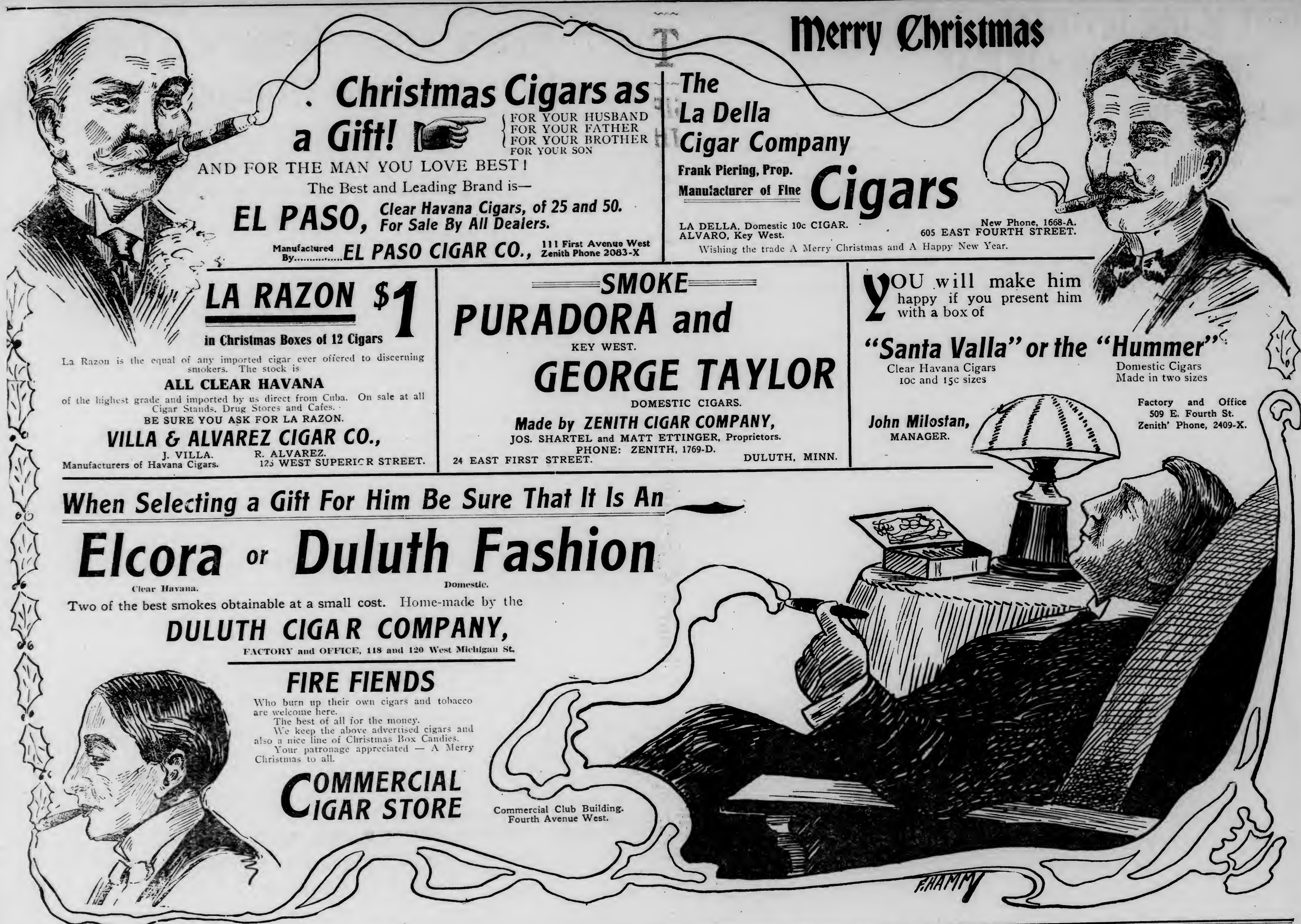
Those under arest are E. C. Smith and his wife, J. T. Woodson and his brother, G. M. Woodson, and three men whose names the police have not divulged.

Saws, files, rasps and other istruments used in preparing the gold for sale were found in the Smith's room and similar instruments with crucibles were found among the possessions of the Woodsons.

MILWAUKEE CANNOT COLLECT LICENSE FEE.

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 12.—The city of Milwaukee cannot recover the $187,500 claimed to be due as license fees from tht Milwaukee Electric Railway & Light company.

Circuit Judge W. J. Turner so decided in sustaining the demurrer brought by the defendant company to all the causes of action set up by the city. The court cited three points of law in rendering his decision. The case will be appealed to the supreme court.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HOSPITAL IS PLACED UNDER QUARANTINE

St. Mary's hospital has been quarantined by the city health department.

It has been expected for several days that this step would be taken. Diphtheria has been prevalent in St. Mary's for two or three weeks, and it has been claimed that patients taken to the hospital for treatment for other diseases, have contracted diphtheria after entering the institution.

The health department decided to take no more chances of other patients contracting the disease, and this morning ordered that no new patients be received.

The patients now undergoing treatment there will be discharged as soon as they become convalescent and after cultures have been taken by the department. Every trace of the scourge will be eradicated as soon as possible. The sisters are doing everything in their power to assist in the work.

A RAPID SALE OF TICKETS

About the quickest sale of tickets on record was made today at the office of the Great Northern railroad.

A foreigner came in and asked the price of tickets to Spokane, Wash. He was told that the fare was a few cents over $38.

"Be bee," came the short answer of the man, as he bolted for the door.

The officials called to him, as they did not care to see this business getting away.

In something like five minutes he was back and poured over $387 of real money on the ticket counter. "Ten tie for Spokane," he said and the tickets were sold without further comment.

Ticket men say that it is an extreme pleasure to do business with this expediency.

COMMERCE OF THE CHINESE EMPIRE

Will Be Subject of Free Lecture By Shanghai Resident.

Considerable interest is being taken in the approaching appearance in Duluth of Rev. Dr. Gilbert Reid, president of the International Institute of China, who will deliver a free lecture at the Commercial club Thursday night.

Dr. Reid was formerly a Presbyterian missionary in China. Realizing the great amount of good that could be accomplished by reaching the upper classes of the Chinese, he turned his attention to ways and means of interesting them in Christianity, with the result that he founded the institute of which he is now the head.

Dr. Reid is a friend of C. E. De Witt of Duluth. They were college classmates and since their early days have maintained their friendship, being frequently in touch with one another. Mr. De Witt naturally takes a lively interest in Dr. Reid's visit to Duluth and was more or less instrumental in causing the arrangements to be made for the lecture Thursday night. The public generally is invited to hear Dr. Reid, who will talk about the commercial possibilities of China, a subject on which he is particularly well qualified to speak.

Shanghai is the commercial capital of China and it is there that Dr. Reid is stationed. At the time of the anti-American boycott, Dr. Reid took a leading part in the protection of American interests, and he is well remembered by American business men having business there.

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ADDITIONAL SPORTS

NEW CLUB HOLDS SKI TOURNAMENT

Nels Floan Wins First Prize With Jump of 85 Feet.

The first ski tournament of the current season was held yesterday afternoon under the auspices of the recently organized Lincoln Park Ski club, the meeting taking place on the boulevard hill and being witnessed by a large crowd of people.

The first prize was won by Nels Floan with a jump of 85 feet, Olaf Vick jumping 83 feet and Harold Hanson making a mark of 80 feet. Had the hill been in better condition it is believed that even better records would have been hung up.

Now that the first meet of the club has been a success it is very probable that other meets will be pulled off by the club in the near future.

NORTHERNS WIN FROM DETROIT

Duluth Hockey Team Takes First Game In Michigan Metropolis.

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Northern Hockey team of Duluth last night defeated the Detroit team by the score of 1 to 0. The play of the visitors was superior to that of the home team, being more aggressive and faster. The game was the first of the local season.

Lose at Cleveland.

Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Northern Hockey team of Duluth lost the second game at the Elysium to Cleveland Saturday night by a score of 8 to 3. The Duluth boys were outclassed and never headed the home seven.

BARROW HEADS THE EASTERN LEAGUE.

New York, Dec. 12.—Edward G. Barrow of Toronto, was elected president of the Eastern League of Baseball clubs at the annual meeting of the league held here today. Five votes were cast for Barrow by the representatives of that number of clubs who attended the meeting. Three clubs were not represented, nor did President P. T. Powers enter the meeting, and it is understood he will protest the election.

MORE THAN 100 DIETZ WITNESSES

State's Attorneys Think the Defense Will Get Continuance.

Hayward, Wis., Dec. 12.—The trial of John F. Dietz and Hattie and Leslie Dietz, on the charge of murdering Deputy Sheriff Oscar Harp on Oct. 8, last, which begins this afternoon, will revive the entire history of the six years conflict between Dietz and the authorities of Sawyer county.

This statement was made today by Frank B. Lamoreaux, assistant to the state's attorney, who is with County Attorney J. C. Davis in the prosecution. The states, say Mr. Lamoreaux, will have at least 125 witnesses, with a probability of not being able to dispose of more than four or five in a day.

All four attorneys are now in town. W. B. Rubin and Moritz Wittig, for Dietz, arrived this morning and immediately saw their client in the jail.

The opinion of a member of the prosecuton is that the defense will probably be able to obtain a further continuance to prepare their case. If not the examination of talesmen will commence at once.

Advertise in The Herald.

Sweden's Crown Princess Popular With the People

CROWN PRINCESS OF SWEDEN AND CHILD.

This picture of the crown princess of Sweden and her daughter, Ingrid, was made on their recent visit to England. The Princess Margaret Victoria is the daughter of the duke of Connaught. Like all of her family she is very domestic and she is popular with the Swedish people for that reason. She gave Sweden a secondary heir to the throne ten months after her marriage.' He is Prince Gustaf Adolf and he is more than 4½ years old.

OIL TRUST MUST PAY

Supreme Court Refuses to Review Case of $20,000 Fine.

Suit Under the Elkins Act Is Won By Government.

Washington, Dec. 12.—The Standard Oil Company of New York must pay the $20,000 fine imposed upon it by the district court for the Western district of New York, for the acceptance of alleged concessions in the transportation of petroleum, as the result of the refusal today of the supreme court of the United States to review the case.

The alleged concessions occurred in the transportation of oil from Olean, N. Y., to Rutland, Vt. It was alleged the company paid less than the lawful freight rate. The action was brought under the Elkins act.

Bath Tub Trust Suit.

The government will close its side of the civil suit against the so-called "bath tub" trust at a hearing in Chicago tomorrow. The defendants will begin the presentation of their testimony at a hearing in New York, the date of which has not been announced.

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TOMORROW NIGHT, DEC. 13th.
Odd Fellows' Hall, Lake Avenue.

MIDDLE RIVER CHILD IS DROWNED IN PAIL.

Middle River, Minn., Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—Falling head foremost into a candy pail containing about four inches of water, the 1-year-old son of J. S. Sorenson was drowned.

PREPARING REPORT ON LORIMER'S ELECTION.

Washington, Dec. 12.—The senate subcommittee, which has been conducting the investigation into the charges of alleged bribery in connection with the election of Senator William Lorimer of Illinois, held a session today to take up the preparation of its report. The meeting was held behind closed doors.

KILLED AMERICAN; GETS FIFTEEN MONTHS.

Munich, Bavaria, Dec. 12.—The chauffeur who accidentally drove his car into a crowd of Americans as they were leaving the Prince Regent theater on the evening of Aug. 30, killing one and severely injuring three others, was sentenced today to fifteen months imprisonment. The woman killed was Mrs. Alvina Goodrich of San Francisco. A sister, Mrs. Aurelius E. Buckingham of the same city, was one of those injured.

SENATOR THORNTON TAKES SENATE OATH.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Under the escort of his colleague, Senator Foster, John R. Thornton, successor to Senator McEnery of Louisiana, was today inducted into office in the senate. The oath was administered by President Pro Tem Frye. Mr. Thornton was appointed to the committees on census, fisheries, Mississippi river, naval affairs, private land claims, public health and public lands.

NO SEATS.

Los Angeles Times: Col. John Jacob Astor has invented a steamer chair with vacuum cups at the end of the legs. Thus, without being screwed down, the new chair will keep its position in the wildest sea.

"There is a need for my invention," Said Col. Astor at Newport, "for a screwed-down chair is an unhandy contrivance, while a free chair, in rough weather, is so dangerous that it puts you rather in the position of the Norristown lunatic.

"A man was smoking and reading in the shade of the Norristown asylum when a lunatic looked over the wall and said:

"'Do you happen to have a piece of toast, sir?'

"'No,' the man answered.

"'What a pity!' The lunatic sighed and shook his head. 'What a great pity! And I'm so tired!'

"'Look here,' said the man impatiently, 'what the deuce do you want a piece of toast for?'

"'Why,' replied the lunatic, 'I'm a poached egg, you know, and I do so want to sit down.'"

A HAGLER.

Los Angeles Times: Edward W. Redfield, the noted painter, said at the Art club in Philadelphia, apropos of picture prices:

"I am glad there are not many buyers like an old farmer in Center Bridge.

"A very distinguished etcher, sketching in Center Bridge, made a study of the farmer's barn. The farmer happened to appear, and said he'd like to have the sketch.

"'Ef 'taint too dear,' he added cautiously.

"'Oh,' said the etcher, who makes $12,000 a year, 'I won't charge you anything for the sketch, but——'

"His eye lighted on the pig pen.

"'But I'll tell you what. You can give me one of those nice little pink sucking pigs there.'

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HERE IS ONE OPPONENT OF THE COMMISSION PLAN

Fort Dodge Mayor Dislikes It But May Be Prejudiced.

Duluth Visitor Says Wasted Energy Is Feature of Old Plan.

The present mayor of Fort Dodge, Iowa, who was elected under the old system, is not an advocate of the commission form of government. Fort Dodge adopted the new plan Aug. 15 of this year and the first election will be held under it next April. The charter is drawn under the state law of Iowa. Fort Dodge is a city of 18,000 people.

The present mayor, S. J. Bammecatt, writes that there was no reason for a change to the commission form of government and the new system hasn't any merits, "beyond facilitating the keeping in office of a lot of political hacks that ought to be thrown out of office."

Continuing, the mayor writes: "It is an experiment. It facilitates graft. By manipulation, the 'ins' can stay in to the detriment of the people."

The mayor of Fort Dodge doesn't say whether he is 'one of the "ins" who expect to be out after the first election under the new system.

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E. H. Lindrow of Raton, N. M., said today that he has been reading The Herald for the last few days and has taken the liveliest interest in the discussion of the commission form of government that is occupying the attention of the Zenith City. Mr. Lindrow reached the city today from St. Paul, which city, he said, is one that needs the commission form of government more than does any other city he has visited in the course of his rather extensive travels. The particular reason for this observation, he said, was the administration of the affairs of the board of public works in St. Paul. Mr. Lindrow gave it as his opinion that, while St. Paul's board of public works is manned by as efficient a corps as can be expected to land in such jobs under the beneficent dispensation of the political powers that be, the fact remains that wasted energy is more characteristic of the work of that department than results accomplished.

"It is just the same, in varying degrees, where ever one goes," said Mr. Lindrow. "I cite the case of St. Paul probably because that is the latest city I have visited. But conditions there impunged so distinctly upon my perception that I was particularly impressed. Waste energy is the distinctive quality of municipal government as we see it in America. Under the old system the aim seems to be to provide unprofitable outlet for effort, and under the commission form of government for cities the aim is to conserve and to use all the effort that is devoted to the administration of public affairs. It seems to me that this difference is enough to decide public opinion in favor of the commission plan.

"I have been in a number of cities where the commission system is in operation, and while it is true that I have not been convinced that the ideal system has been evolved, I do unhesitatingly say that the standard set by the commission form is one that has never been reached by even the best of municipal administrations in any city of which I have knowledge.

"There are features of the commission form that I personally do not like, but I realize arguments against my point of view are stronger than my prejudices. I believe in party organizations. It is my idea that you can't get the best results in our national government unless you have partisanship from stem to stern of the ship of state. Therefore, from the partisan point of view, I am convinced that the commission form of government is bad. But from the point of view of that imaginary individual, the patriot, the commission fom is all right.

"It seems to me that the question before Duluth is not whether the commission form of government is a good thing, but whether Duluth's population contains a majority of patriots.

"Of course, that may sound like sarcasm, but it isn't."

CITY BRIEFS

Runs Amuck in Saloon.

Frank Bartel ran amuck in a bowery saloon this morning and was arrested on a charge of being drunk and disorderly. He took off most of his clothes and announced that he was going to clean out the place. He was brought to the police station half nude and wanted to use his energies on the officers. He will probably be arraigned in police court this afternoon.

Paying Wheelage Tax.

The action of the authorities in making arrests for the violation of the wheelage tax ordinance has been beneficial. More licenses have been taken out thus far this month than all of last month, when but $444 was paid into the treasury. Other warrants are being prepared and they will be served at the earliest moment.

Viovi-Co.

Viavi—Old Masonic Temple.

Want Subway Under Tracks.

New Duluth property owners will meet this afternoon with the council committee on streets, alleys and sidewalks relative to the Clyde avenue crossing of the Canadian Northern. The property owners want a subway under the tracks to eliminate all possibility of danger.

CHRISTMAS PHOTOGRAPHS

All patrons posing for Camera Portraits during this week have my personal guarantee that the entire order will be completed in an artistic manner before Christmas. Reserve your hour—we will do the rest. We especially want to thank those who came early.

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"QUALITY PHOTOGRAPHER."

Christmas Sale

Of fancy articles and home cooking by the ladies of the First Christian church, Wednesday, Dec. 14, at 329 West Superior street.

Woman Has Smallpox.

The health department sent another case of smallpox to the detention hospital Saturday evening. The patient was Mrs. J. Oliver, who has been residing at 313 East Superior street. She refused to tell the inspectors where she had been the day before, but it is said that she has been going about the city.

Sue for Value of Timber.

George H. Crosby and E. B. Peirce, trustees for the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway company, filed suit in United States court today against Joseph W. Reynolds, asking $2,425.77, treble damages for timber removed from certain land in Itasca county. Mr. Crosby, acting for the trustees, sold the land to Mr. Reynolds with the mineral and timber rights reserved, according to the complaint. Mr. Reynolds defaulted in the payments and the land title reverted to the plaintiffs, it is alleged, but Mr. Reynolds had cut off timber valued at $808.59.

Judge Morris Returns.

Judge Page Morris of the United States district court returned yesterday from St. Paul, where he conducted the December term of court. He will remain in Duluth until after the January term.

Stripping On the Range.

The Interstate Mining company will strip 4,000,000 cubic yards from the Longyear mine, one mile east of Hibbing, the coming season, it is announced. Stripping operations are on the increase on the range it is stated, as it is found that large quantities of overburden can be removed to advantage, contrary to the early belief that underground mining would be more profitable. Overburden from 80 to 150 feet deep is being taken from some mines.

Killed By Falling Tree.

The body of Ole Nelson, a woodsman, who was killed Saturday by being struck by a falling tree, will be sent to Minneapolis for interment late today. He was employed in Colbrath's camp, about twelve miles from Mesaba Junction. He died while being brought to the city. He was 20 years old and has a sister who arrived in the city yesterday from Minneapolis. The body was taken to Flood & Horgan's undertaking rooms.

"Lanse" Robinson Here.

Lansing R. Robinson, formerly of Duluth and now of Boston, is renewing old acquaintances in the city. He is assistant general manager of the Canadian Pacific Despatch. While in Duluth he was general agent of the Northern Steamship company and the Union Transit line. He says that he frequently meets Duluth people in Boston.

Visit the Fire District.

Chairman W. A. McGonagle, Secretary H. V. Eva and Messrs. Beck and Lies of the state relief committee are at Baudette, where they went Saturday night. They have not been at the scene of the recent disastrous forest fire for three weeks and considerable business awaited their attention. Nothing of particular importance is to be disposed of by them, except that the routine detail work is of importance.

Non-Support of Child Charged.

William Houghton, a switchman, was arrested last night on a warrant sworn out by his former wife, charging him with failing to support their minor child. Houghton has been in trouble before on similar grounds. It is said that Houghton was divorced from his wife in Michigan and that she has since married. She has the custody of the child. The claim she makes is that Houghton is displeased with her second husband and for that reason will not contribute to the child's support. He pleaded not guilty in police court this morning and will be tried Dec. 20.

Not Guilty of Larceny.

Joe Barty, a negro arrested Saturday night on a charge of stealing a package of meat from the butcher shop of Nick Witt was found not guilty after a trial in police court this morning. The police claimed that they found the meat in the ice box of the saloon in which he was working. He claimed that he ordered a soup bone and that he thought he was taking it.

Will Elect Officers.

The regular meeting of Maj. F. A. Diggles' camp, No 13, United Spanish War veterans will occur at Memorial hall, tomorrow evening. Election of officers for the coming year.

Duluth-Made Books.

Thwing-Stewart Co., Phone 114.

"I'm Just Crazy About You."

Latest song hit by Duluth composer, for sale at Ingvald Westgaard's. Hear it played and get a copy.

PERSONAL

W. G. Joerns is in New York City on business.

Walter J. Smith of Eveleth, state treasurer-elect, and Mrs. Smith went to St. Paul today. They will select their home in the capital while in St. Paul.

Robert Strattton of Hibbing is a visitor in the city today.

Mrs. W. E. Harwood of Eveleth came to Duluth this morning.

Nels P. Flodin of Marquette is at the Spalding. Mr. Flodin will be in the city for about a week.

Samuel Sutor of Cass Lake is in the city.

E. J. Hoy of Milwaukee is a guest at the St. Louis.

Max Long of Cloquet is in the city on a brief business visit.

A. F. Sullivan, traveling passenger agent of the Minneapolis & St. Louis, is in the city today.

GREAT $15 OVERCOAT SALE

Begins Today at the Big Duluth.

The Big Duluth places their entire stock of $30, $28, $25, $22.50 and $20 overcoats on sale today at your choice for only $15. The 52-inch length new convertible collar overcoats in the handsome Scotchy cheviots and cassimeres, the beautiful gray and brown Tivolies, the rich gray velours, the finest black and Oxford kerseys and meltons will all be sold at $15. For those who like the shorter 46-inch length dress overcoats, the Big Duluth will sell Hirsh, Wickwire & Co. finest $30 and $25 dress overcoats in black and Oxford meltons and kerseys at your choice for only $15. This sale is for cash only and early customers will get best selection.

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Christmas Furs

If you are figuring on making a present of a **Set of Furs, Fur Coat, Sealskin Cap, or** anything in the fur line, you should not fail to puy us a visit.

We can save you money, either on the ready-to-wear, or the made-to-order furs, and you can feel satisfied that you are getting the best **quality, workmanship** and **style.**

We carry a choice line of skins, from which you can place your order.

We are offering a **discount of 20 per cent,** on all our ready-to-wear furs. Beautiful Mink, Jap Mink, Lynx, Fox and Wolf Sets, together with a fine line of Hudson Seal, Near-Seal, Pony and Caracul Coats, all well made up, and in the latest ideas of the season.

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You may wonder how we do it, but we do.

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15 East Superior St. **15 East Superior St.**

OUT OF THE HIGH-RENT DISTRICT.

Gentlemen's Holiday Gifts

LADIES—

When you see the variety that is offered, the quality and beauty in color schemes, you will surely say: "There is nothing better or more desirable in **Cravats** to be found anywhere." **Keiser's** famous New York Cravats; Welch, Margetson's, London; Lyford's Swiss, French and English Novelties. All pure silk—50c up.

We call special attention to the beautiful knitted Four-in-Hands—**Scarfs and Evening Dress Mufflers.**

PURE LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS, 25c up.

SILK HOSIERY and SILK UMBRELLAS for both ladies and gentlemen—**50c up, and $3.50 up.**

Bath Robes, Jackets and Gowns—$5.00 up.

Traveling Bags and Suit Cases—$6.00 up. Dunlap and Stetson Hats—$4.00 up. Fownes' London Gloves—$1.50 upward.

Interwoven Hosiery—The heel and toe that don't wear out—25c and 50c.

Seal Caps. Steamer Rugs. Pajamas. Night Shirts.

A. B. Siewert & Co.

304 WEST SUPERIOR STREET.

NOTICE

On account of fire, Lundmark-Franson Co. will be in the Pure Food Show building until their own building is ready for use.

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We call your attention to a few of our Latest Styles and very moderate prices.

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210	Mrs. George Logan
211	MR. GILBERT HENRY McCARTHY
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201 and 204—Plate and 100 cards	$1.40
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209 and 210—Plate and 100 Cards	2.75
Same with address	3.75
211 and 212—Plate and 100 Cards	2.20
Same with address	2.70
216—Plate and 100 Cards	2.75
Same with address	3.75
217—Plate and 100 Cards	2.30
Same with address	2.90
100 Cards from old plate or additional 100 from new plate	.75
100 Printed Cards with any Style of lettering shown in sample list	.75

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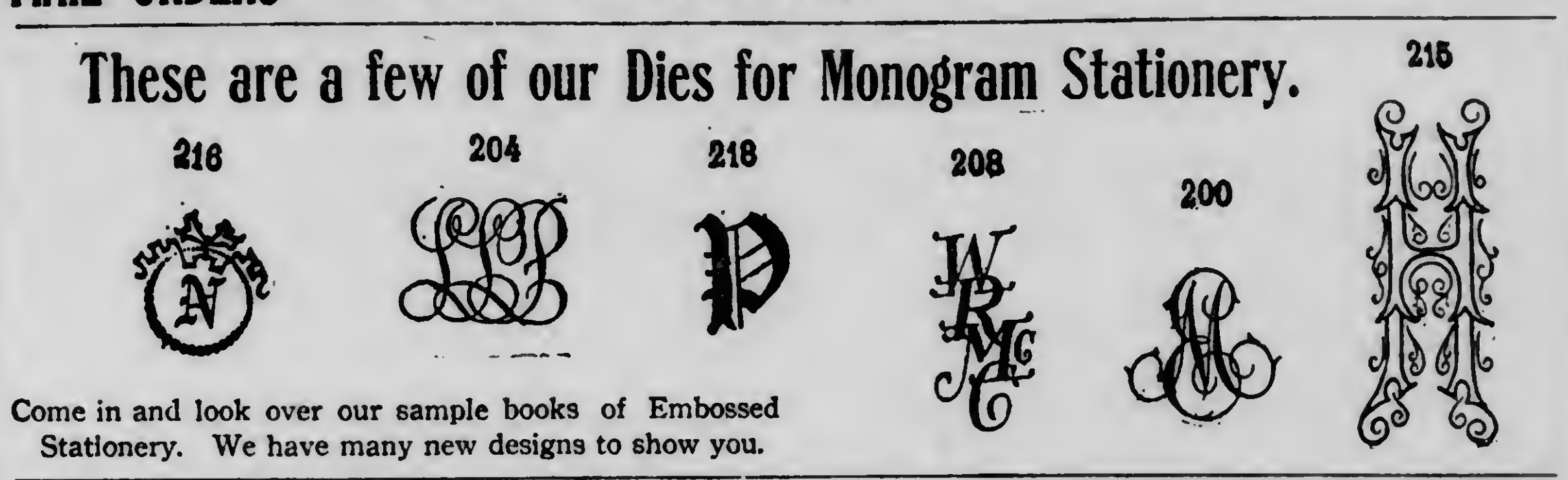

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A Wealth of Holiday Suggestions Conveniently Arranged for Your Inspection. The Prices Come Within the Reach of All and Are Sure of Pleasing All Concerned.

Appropriate and useful Christmas gifts at great price advantages.

Eastern Mink Fur Sets—Latest styles; carefully selected skins, at the very modest price, per set, of **$142.00** and

$117

A positive saving of $25.00 to $50.00 on each.

Jap Mink Fur Sets—Latest styles; best quality; very choice for, per set **$32.00, $27.50** and

$22.50

Black Sable and Isabella Fox Fur Sets—Beautiful soft silky furs; latest styles; extra special value at **$35.00, $29.50, $22.50** and

$19.50

Sable Opossum Fur Sets—Very popular and specially good to wear; exceptional values at **$19.50, $17.50** and

$15

Christmas Aprons—In very large assortment; beautiful, smart, neat aprons; trimmed with lace embroidery and ribbons; the greatest values and the best assortment we ever offered; prices, each, from **$1.10** to

25c

A Wealth of Christmas Suggest'ns

in Ladies' Hand Bags, Silver Mesh Bags, Silver Mounted Military Sets, Hair Receivers, Jewel Cases, Fancy Combs, beautiful Hat Pins, Toilet Sets, Cigar Cases, Traveling Cases, fancy Hose Supporters, and a bewildering and beautiful line of stationery.

Also a Beautiful Selection of Christmas

Handkerchiefs, Mufflers, Leather Goods, Art Needle Work, Fancy Pillow Tops, Battenberg and drawn Linen Pieces of exquisite designs, and Ladies' Neckwear and Jewelry, in a great wealth of assortment.

Some timely suggestions for Christmas shopping:

Men's Pure Silk Ties, packed in Christmas boxes, at **50c** and

25c

Men's Suspenders—gift combination sets, at **$2, $1.50, $1** and......

25c

Women's Silk Hose, black and colors, at **$1.75, $1.59,** down to

50c

Women's Embroidery Ribbed Hose, 75c values, at —

50c

Corset Covers—patterns packed in gift boxes, **$1.25, $1** and

75c

Lace Collars, in dainty patterns, some special values for **$2.50** down to

25c

Dainty Embroidery and Lace Jabots, at **$1.19** and

25c

Men's and Women's Mufflers, in silk and knit, from **$1.75** to

25c

Kid Gloves, the popular P. & L. Brand, all shades, at—

$1.00

Women's Fascinators, in scarf and squares, **$2** down to

25c

A BREEDER OF CONTESTS

Double-Barrelled System of Filing on Land Makes Trouble.

After Waiting for Weeks in Line, Settlers Have Legal Fight.

Proof that the filing and settlement plan of land openings is a breeder of contests, is being given again at the United States land office here.

After waiting for five or six weeks last spring for the opening of June 20, Miss Margaret Ryan and Albert Knuelius have had the priority of their rights questioned by William H. Smallwood, Jr., who claims settlement on 120 acres of land filed upon by Miss Ryan, and forty acres of the tract filed upon by Mr. Knuelius.

A hearing to determine the priority of rights opened this morning and the matter promises to be warmly contested by all parties concerned. Miss Ryan is represented by J. C. Herman Engel, former register of the land office. O. J. Larson and John Saari appear for Knuelius, and Mrs. Smallwood is represented by N. B. Thayer and W. E. Culkin.

Miss Ryan was third in line at the land office door when the land was opened for entry June 20. She filed on certain land in section 12, 50-19, her entry being timed at 9:04 a. m. Mr. Knuelius followed shortly after her and filed on land in section 14, 40-19, his filing being timed 9:08 a. m. Aug. 15, William H. Smallwood, Jr., offered an entry on portions of the same sections, alleging settlement June 20 at 9 a. m.

The hearing which began today was ordered to determine the priority of right to entry and a decision in the case will determine whether settlement takes precedence over filing in the matter of minutes at such land openings, where either filing or settlement is allowed.

LIQUIDATION IN COPPERS AT CLOSE

Values Weaken When Decision in Standard Oil Case Is Announced.

Coppers opened higher today and values advanced until the decision of the supreme court adversely to the Standard Oil company was announced. The decision was unexpected as the market had believed the case would be reargued. Selling became heavy, but support appeared and the market rallied for an instant. The market then slumped on continued liquidation.

The leading copper affected was Amalgamated as this stock would figure largely in any combination of copper companies. North Butte also eased off at the close, but some of the specialties retained their strength. The losses were not severe as the announcement of the decision came too late to prepare the way for much liquidation and traders generally were caught napping.

Rails were not strong, although some of the leaders closed higher. The weakness in Southern Pacific was due to a suit by the government against that road to recover oil lands in Southern California.

London ignored the strength of stocks on this side Saturday and today's quotations came over the pond lower. The announcement of the lowest unfilled orders in the history of the United States Steel corporation Saturday, the apparent contraction in nearly every line of business, the weak bank statement on Saturday and the several pending decisions in cases in which the Sherman anti-trust act is invoked apparently did not have any effect on today's market at the opening. A pronounced development was needed to bring the market to a realization of existing conditions and the market got it when the decision against the Standard Oil company was announced.

There is little change in the general market situation. It appears to be a between epochs stage a time of waiting for definition of economic affairs. The bulls think of the big crops, the great consuming power of the country, the world-wide ease in money and the desire for profitable trade and investment and hope that the United States will ride out the gale and solve its problems of 1910 as it has solved many in former years. Stocks certainly have had a thorough liquidation. There is no inverted pyramid in speculation and current prices make large and inviting yields if the railroads and industrial corporations can be relieved from drastic federal surgery applied at once.

The local market was dull in the forenoon, but in the afternoon it suddenly strengthened and many bids came into the market. Trading in the second session was active and increasing bids failed to bring out stocks, showing that the technical position of the market was stronger than appeared on the surface and that holders are dissatisfied with present prices, believing them to low. On this feature of the market there is no diversity of opinion among the public.

In this market Butte Ballaklava sold at $7.37½, Denn at $3.81¼, $3.87½ and then at $3.93¾, Red Warrior was stronger on favorable news from the mine and sold at $1.68¾ to $1.75 and then to $1.93¾, Shattuck sold at $23.50, $24., $24.25 and $24.62½, Butte & Superior at $7.37½, Butte & Superior, old, at 79c, 76c and 77c, Cliff advanced from $1.37½ bid to $1.87½ bid without attracting any stock.

Amalgamated sold at $64 to $63.50, $64.62½ to $63.62½. Butte Ballaklava in the East at $7.37½ to $7.50 to $7. Butte Coalition at $18 to $18.62½, Calumet & Arizona at $49.75 to $52 to $51.50, Greene at $7.12½ to $7.25, North Butte at $29.75 to $30 to $29.50, Superior & Pittsburg at $14 to $14.62½ to $14.37½.

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Thompson, Toule & Co. say: The president of one of the leading producers tells us:

"I feel very optimistic on copper. The situation is certainly now at the best it has been for two years, for instead of having copper on hand we have in the place of copper only cash and bills receivable and we are all sold several months ahead. This is an ideal situation from the standpoint of the producer, even though the price is not as some would like.

"I fail to see any reason to anticipate any falling off in consumption, and as to the future price of the metal I prefer to rely upon the opinion of my selling agents, who have the handling of 500,000,000 pounds of copper per annum. They look for higher prices for the metal in the early part of the year. I believe there are good things being worked out in the copper trade, which will work for stability and better prices. This may not be in immediate line of consolidation, but more in the line of a community of interests in the selling of copper."

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It has taken five years for the Old Dominion company to attain the prediction of President Douglas that the company would eventually secure a 9c cost. This was practically accomplished in September, however, when the cost of Old Dominion copper laid down in New York, including every charge, was 9.03c and October is expected to make as good a showing.

Even this 9c cost includes substantial "construction" charges and means that the Old Dominion company earned between $50,000 and $60,000 net for the month, which would indicate earnings of about $2 per share per annum, although it only received about 12½c for its copper for September upon a production from its own mines of less than 2,000,000 pounds.

These low costs and large earnings do not mean that Old Dominion stockholders will receive larger dividends immediately, but they do mean that by Jan. 1 the Old Dominion company will have no floating debt left, and will have in the neighborhod of $750,000 working capital. Old Dominion is about as closely held as any "copper" on the board, for about 170,000 shares are held by the Phelps-Dodge interests out of 300,000 shares, and the remaining stock is not in brokerage offices.

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Walkers' copper letter in Saturday's Boston Commercial said:

"Copper is firmer. Lake is 13 to 13⅓ cents and electrolytic is 12⅞ to 13 cents a pound. The price of the metal has held very strong throughout the recent period of declining copper share values.

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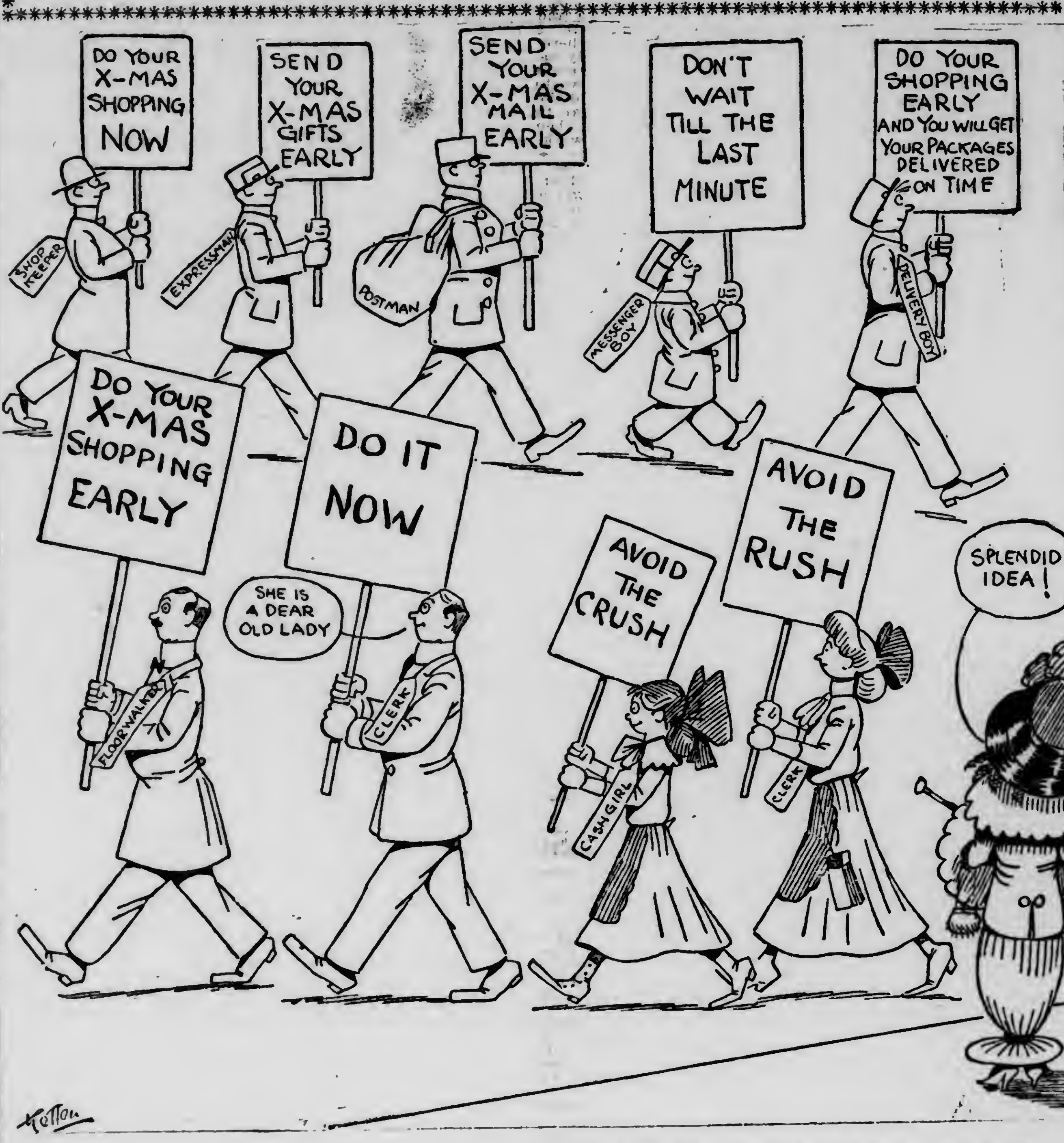
DO YOUR X-MAS SHOPPING NOW
SHOP KEEPER
SEND YOUR X-MAS GIFTS EARLY
EXPRESSMAN
SEND YOUR X-MAS MAIL EARLY
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DON'T WAIT TILL THE LAST MINUTE
MESSENGER BOY
DO YOUR SHOPPING EARLY AND YOU WILL GET YOUR PACKAGES DELIVERED ON TIME
DELIVERY BOY
DO YOUR X-MAS SHOPPING EARLY
FLOORWALKER
DO IT NOW
SHE IS A DEAR OLD LADY
CLERK
AVOID THE CRUSH
CASH GIRL
AVOID THE RUSH
CLERK
SPLENDID IDEA!
Ketten

—Maurice Ketten in New York Evening World

This fact is mentioned because it is unusual. Heretofore every bad break in the coppers has been reflected sympathetically in the metal market. Just at present consumers both at home and abroad seem to feel that metal prices are more likely to advance than to decline, and they are buying to cover February and March requirements. The foreign demand for copper continues strong.

"The Copper Producers' statement issued yesterday, covering the month of November, showed a further decrease of 8,872,845 pounds in the American surplus. This, together with the decrease of 4,910,140 pounds in the foreign visible supply, makes the total reduction in the world's surplus during November 13,782,985 pounds. This is only slightly below the average decrease, about 15,000,000 pounds monthly, which has been going on since July 1.

"The November production and imports showed a considerable decrease as expected; but this was slightly more than balanced by a falling off of 7,012,180 pounds in domestic deliveries, and 762,596 pounds in exports. November was a thirty-day month, comparing with October's thirty-one days, this explaining in part the reduced figures all around.

"The continued decrease in the world's accumulated copper means higher metal prices in the not very distant future The surplus, which stood at over 401,000,000 pounds July 1 this year, had declined to 323,589,069 pounds Dec. 1. During the coming six months the shrinkage should be much more pronounced even than in the immediate past. The metal situation is improving as rapidly as could reasonably be expected."

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Application will be made to the governing board of the New York Stock exchange in the near future for permission to list the stocks of the Ray Consolidated Copper company and the Chino Copper company, which are now traded in on the curb.

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Closing quotations on the Duluth Stock exchange, today follow:

Listed Stocks—	Bid.	Asked.
American Saginaw	1¼	1¾
Butte Coalition	18½	18¾
Butte-Alex Scott, pt. pd.	.....	2
Butte-Alex-Scott, fl. pd.	3¾	4½
Butte-Ballaklava	7¼	7¾
Calumet & Arizona	51½	51¾
Cactus Development	.....	26c
Copper Queen	.....	20c
Cordova, pt. pd.	.....	40c
Cordova, fl. pd.	.....	50c
Denn-Arizona	3 15-16	4
Giroux Consolidated	6⅞	7
Greene-Cananea	6¾	7¼
Keweenaw	3	3¼
Live Oak Dev.	23	.....
North Butte	30	30¼
Ojibway	6½	7
Red Warrior	1⅞	1 15-16
Savanna, pt. pd.	.....	1½
Savanna, fl. pt.	4	4½
Shattuck-Arizona	24⅝	.....
Superior & Pittsburg	14¼	14½
Warren Development	.....	1¾
Warrior Development	.....	5½
Unlisted Stocks—		
Amazon Montana	1⅜	1¾
Black Mountain	....	15c
Butte & Ely	....	85c
Butte & Superior	7¼	7⅝
Butte & Superior, old	75c	78c
Calumet & Montana	84c	....
Calumet & Corbin	22c	....
Calumet & Sonora	8¼	9¼
Carman Consolidated	....	80c
Chief Consolidated	1¼	....
Cliff	1⅞	....
Duluth Toroda	....	75c
Elenita Development	....	5
Keating Gold	....	90c
Mowitza	....	65c
North American	2 5-16	....
Summit	62c	70c
San Antonio	....	56
St. Mary	....	18c
Tuolumne	4¾	4⅞
Vermilion Steel & Iron	2	3

Total sales, 2,615.

A FORMOSAN WEDDING.

London Daily Graphic: "With full Formosan rites, including the public sacrifice of a pig, two inhabitants of the Formosa village at the White City were married on Saturday. The bridegroom was Sarongai Busabiree, a young man of 24, with the reputation of a mighty hunter among his fellow tribesmen, and the bride was Rugigasela, a maiden of 21.

At an early hour the village was garlanded with corn and leaves and the native occupants bedecked themselves with finery. In the afternoon the bride and bridegroom were temperarily separated from the other natives, who occupied the time in making a procession round the exhibition, carrying instruments of war and chanting weird songs. After this they assembled in an open hut in the center of the village and two sturdy men appeared carrying the pig, which was screaming lustily. It was killed instantly with a spear thrust through the heart and the carcass was singed over a fire of rushes, skinned and cut into small pieces. The pieces were placed in pots and set to boil over charcoal fires. Before this had happened the bridegroom had to fetch the bride. She offered resistance and wept a great deal, but seizing hold of her the lover placed her upon his back and carried her to the open hut, where all the company squatted round a table raised but two or three inches from the ground. Then the food was fetched, the pieces of semi-cooked food being handed round with chopsticks. The feast was interspersed with weird chanting. The chief theme was supplied by the words:

"We are now one; we love each other."

The proceedings lasted well into the evening. The bride preserved a most stolid demanor throughout, but the crowd of Europeans were hugely delighted and cheered and clapped enthusiastically.

Announcement

If you pose within the week we will get your Christmas Portrait out on time, and assure you of quality workmanship.

Zweifel Studio
PHOENIX BLOCK

PICTORIAL STAMPS.

A Collection Limited to Them Would Be Interesting.

A stamp dealer of long experience recently said to a young collector: "General collections and specialized ones are all very well in their way, but it takes a fortune to make either kind complete. If I were starting to collect now I should confine myself to pictorial and commemorative stamps.

"They are more attractive to look at, more interesting than the ordinary stamps to the average collector; they are comparatively cheap now, but the demand for many varieties indicates that they are going to be worth a good deal more."

Previous to 1892 there were few departures from the conventional types; portrait heads, coats of arms and symbolic figures furnished most of the designs. Two exceptions were the so-called "Sydney views" issued by New South Wales in 1850 and our own series of 1869.

These appear to be the direct forerunners of the pictoral stamps, says the Youth's Companion. Others were the famous Mulready envelopes of Great Britain bearing an allegorical design and the fish, animal and marine varieties of Newfoundland.

The 400th anniversary of the discovery of the New World by Columbus was observed by Nicaragua and San Salvador in 1892, by the United States and Porto Rico in 1893, by Trinidad in 1898 and by the Dominican republic in 1889.

Since then almost every country has commemorated some event of national importance or made familiar to the world some characteristic bit of scenery or illustrations of its industries and progress or of its flora and fauna by means of postage stamps. Hundreds of pictorial stamps have already been issued, and there will be many more. To secure them and to arrange them in some systematic order according to subjects rather than to countries offers a fascinating problem.

For example the historical stamps might form a group by themselves. The collector may follow the voyagings of Columbus in considerable detail. Scenes are depicted from the lives of Vasco da Gama in the Portuguese issue of 1898, of Cabot in the Newfoundland set of 1897, of Champlain and Cartier on the Quebec tercentennial stamps of 1908.

The United States has contributed, in addition to the Columbian pictures and other commemorative issues, the founding of Jamestown, portraits of Capt. John Smith and Pocahontas, the signing of the Declaration of Independence, Marquette on the Mississippi and Fremont on the Rocky mountains.

Commerce and industry might be the title of one group, anthropology and ethnology of another; natural history, with its numerous subdivisions, would occupy an important place, and sections might be devoted to architecture, geography and sport.

As illustrating the method of selection, take the 1902 pictorial issue of Guatemala: The 1c would be put under natural history, the 2c, and the 1 p. under history, the 5c, 6c, 20c, 50c 75c and 2 p. under architecture, and the 10c under geography.

This classification is offered merely as a suggestion, however. Every boy should work out his own scheme. He ought to have a blank album with interchangeable leaves of quadrille paper, and should rule spaces for the stamp. To make the collection effective he will find it necessary to familiarize himself with the contents of the regular stamp album and to keep himself informed of new issues.

Explanatory notes made from time to time with reference to the stamps would prove of interest and it would be a good plan to space the specimens far enough apart to allow room for writing under them.

In the course of time if a boy goes at the thing intelligently and systematically it is safe to say that he will have a collection that is not only a delight to the eye, but that is worth more and of greater satisfaction than any other form of stamp collection which he could have made with the same outlay of money.

A WANING SUGAR INDUSTRY.

New Orleans Times-Democrat: Any fear of competition with the sugar growers of British Guinana and the West Indies may be dismissed by the planters of Louisiana. So said Ernest W. Ludwig, an expert sugar chemist of Wellington, New Zealand, but more recently of Demerara.

Mr. Ludwig has just arrived, after a tour of the West Indies, where he looked over the sugar situation thoroughly, investigating sugar conditions, methods and prospects with an eye to settling down on some of the islands. After deliberation he decided to come to Louisiana, where he believes the greatest opportunities are to be found.

Mr. Ludwig is charmed with New Orleans and commented on the activity apparent in the streets.

"Is all America like this?" he asked. "It is so different from what one finds in England.

"Much of it I know comes from your sugar traffic, and of course that interests me directly. You people are so progressive. Even the little that I have been able to see of the means you employ to get results show wonderful advances over those methods one finds in many other sugar growing countries. In Guiana, for instance, they are behind the times woefully. One thing only they have there that you have not here, I mean the Hindu labor. It is amazing what the planters of Demerara have been able to accomplish by the aid of the coolie. The negro was tried, but he would not do the work. He will not stand the long hours, the steady and continuous labor that the coolie will. Also he demands more money for what he does. But with the Hindu, who has come into Guiana in great numbers, that is not the case. He improves the work and the work before long pays him back by improving him. The Hindu of the second, or at the most the third generation is an almost different race from his immigrant forefathers.

"But even with the introduction of the Hindu and the advantage he has been to the sugar planter there British Guinana is passing as a producer of sugar.

"The West Indies also from what I saw of them are in a bad way. In the Barbados, where I spent a couple of months, I found pretty much the same condition of things that exist in Guiana. The negro, with his innocence and his numerical superiority there, is killing any chances the islands might have of ultimately becoming a factor in the sugar production of the world. Of course I bar Cuba when I speak of the islands. She is in a class by herself.

"Certainly unless they adopt radically different means, copying the advanced methods of you Americans, there is no hope for them. Japan, however, is coming to the fore. In her Formosa colony she is trying to raise sugar and meeting with some success. In time I believe that she will accomplish much."

KEEP ON PLAYING.

Outing: Play is just as necessary to keep a grown man young and a middle-aged man from growing old as it is to make a child grow into man. Wordsworth's lines are as sound physiology as good poetry:

"My heart leaps up when I behold
The rainbow in the sky;
So was it when my life began,
So be it when I am a man,
Or let me die."

In childhood we play because we are young; in middle life we are young because we play, and if we keep it up we shall never know that we are old until we are one day suddenly dead. Yet the absurd idea had grown up, and Mrs. Grundy has adopted it with her usual fatuousness, that play is something undignified in a grown man and unbecoming in a lady. And this, unfortunately, is one of the rare instances where "thinking makes it so." After a man has practiced this belief in the uselessness of exercise for half a decade or so, and become fat and pompous and red-faced, or pale and slack-muscled and short-minded, then the contortions that he indulges in when he decides to unbend and try to play furnish considerable more entertainment to spectators than to himself.

WISCONSIN'S POPULATION

Census Returns By Counties Are Given Out at Capital.

Federal Compilation for Badger State Is Complete.

Washington, Dec. 12.—(Special to The Herald.)—According to census figures made public today the population of the Eleventh Wisconsin (Superior) congressional district by counties is as follows:

Counties	1910.	1900.
Douglas	47,422	36,335
Bayfield	15,987	14,392
Burnett	9,026	7,478
Polk	21,367	17,801
St. Croix	25,910	26,830
Pierce	22,079	....
Dunn	25,260	25,043
Barron	29,114	23,677
Washburn	8,196	5,521
Sawyer	6,227	3,593
Ruck	11,160	....
Chippewa	32,103	33,037

Census returns of additional Wisconsin counties are as follows:

Adams, 8,064.
Ashland, 21,965.
Brown, 54,098.
Buffalo, 16,006.
Calumet, 16,701.
Clark, 30,074.
Columbia, 31,129.
Crawford, 16,288.
Dane, 77,345.
Dodge, 47,436.
Door, 18,711.
Eau Claire, 32,721.
Florence, 3,381.
Fond du Lac, 51,610.
Forest, 6,782.
Grant, 39,007.
Green, 21,641.
Green Lake, 15,491.
Iowa, 22,497.
Iron, 8,306.
Jackson, 17,075.
Jefferson, 34,306.
Juneau, 15,569.
Kenosha, 32,929.
Kewaunee, 16,784.
La Crosse, 43,996.
Lafayette, 20,075.
Langlade, 17,062.
Lincoln, 19,064.
Manitowoc, 44,978.
Marathon, 55,054.
Marinette, 33,812.
Marquette, 10,741.
Milwaukee, 433,187.
Monroe, 28,881.
Oconto, 25,657.
Oneida, 11,433.
Outagamie, 49,102.
Ozaukee, 17,123.
Pepin, 1,577.
Pepin, 7,577.
Portage, 30,945.
Price, 13,795.
Racine, 57,424.
Richland, 18,809.
Rock, 55,538.
Sauk, 32,869.
Shawano, 31,884.
Sheboygan, 54,888.
Taylor, 13,641.
Trempealeau, 22,928.
Vernon, 28,116.
Vilas, 6,019.
Walworth, 29,614.
Washington, 23,784.
Waukesha, 37,100.
Waupaca, 32,782.
Waushara, 18,886.
Winnebago, 62,116.
Wood, 30,583.

ICH DIEN OR EICH DYN.

Lady's Pictorial: Which is accurate as the motto of the Prince of Wales—Ich Dien or Eich Dyn? The one is German and the other Welsh. The one means "I serve," the other "Behold the man," or "Behold your man." "Ich Dien" was the motto of John, king of Bohemia, whom the Black Prince slew at Crecy. "Eich Dyn" are the words supposed to have been used by Edward I, when presenting his infant son to the Welsh assembly at Carnarvon.

Welsh tradition has adhered naturally to the Welsh form. The other has been more popularly accepted. The coming investiture lends peculiar interest to a revival of an old controversy. Settlement must be left to the student of such matters; but it may be news to some readers that there is an alternative to the battlefield story.

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THE NUMBER OF THE SLAIN.

Kansas City Times: Few persons in Smoke Ridge had ever seen an automobile, so when one of those "red devils" stopped for a few minutes in the isolated village the curious inhabitants gazed at the snorting demon with a mixture of fear and awe. The owner, who had entered the store to make a purchase, heard one rustic remark: "I'll bet it is a man-killer."

"Of course it is," assured the other, "look at that number on the back of the car. That shows how many persons it's run over. That's accordin' to law. Now, if that feller was to run over anybody here in Smoke Ridge, it would be our duty to telegraph that number—1284—to the next town ahead."

"And what would they do?" asked the auditors.

"Why, the perlice would stop him and change his number to 1285."

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LORIMER'S ELECTION IS UPHELD

Senate Sub-Committee Votes Against the Charges Made.

Washington, Dec. 12.—The sub-committee of the senate committee on privileges and elections which investigated charges against Senator Lorimer today voted unanimously to report to the full committee that the charges had not been sustained.

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LOST OR STOLEN—THE PERSON that took a pair of black button shoes from the Twelfth Avenue rink Sunday, return to 1518 London road. Owner knows who they are.

FOR RENT — NINE-ROOM HOUSE ON East Superior street; modern; hot water heating plant. Rental department, John A. Stephenson & Co., Wolvin building.

WANTED AT ONCE—MIDDLE-AGED woman for general housework. Mrs. Thomas Walker, 203 South Eighteenth avenue east. Zenith 2077-D.

FOR RENT—WE STILL HAVE LEFT a few of the new Berkshire & Barrington apartments at Eighth avenue east and First street; three to seven rooms. Rental department, John A. Stephenson & Co., Wolvin building.

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WANTED—MEN TO RUN STATIONARY gasoline engine. Duluth Ice company, 205 West First street.

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MARRIAGES.

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Christ Johnson and Elida Gronquist.

BIRTHS.

TAMONSKI—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. Tomonski of 112 East Seventh street, Dec. 9.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

OWSLEY—Mrs. Marie M. Owsley, wife of Dr. F. D. Owsley, who had large property interests in Duluth and on the range, has passed away at her home at Albemarle county, Va. She was formerly Mrs. Marie M. Boeing, widow of Wilhelm Boeing of Detroit, Mich.

BUILDING PERMITS.

To A. C. & E. R. Ribenack, brick hotel, west Superior street between Fifth and Sixth avenues	$ 22,000.
To L. Landro, frame dwelling, Vernon street and Atlantic avenue	1,500.
To C. Anderson, frame dwelling, West Third street between Twenty-first and Twenty-second avenues	2,500.
To G. H. Lounsberry, repairs, East Superior street between Lake and First avenues	2,000.

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WHEAT DULL AND HIGHER

Unfavorable Reports From Argentina Cause a Firm Undertone.

News About a Standoff—Flaxseed Up—Crushers Are Purchasers.

Duluth Board of Trade, Dec. 12.—Wheat gained slightly today in a dull and featureless market. The session was a scalping affair in which the news was colorless. Unfavorable reports from abroad and a small amount of export business in durum wheat caused a firm surface to the general situation. December wheat gained ⅜c and May went up ⅛c. Cash wheat was 1½c over December, oats lost ¼c, rye and barley were unchanged and durum was unchanged.

Flaxseed closed higher, December gaining 4½c and May advancing 5c. Cash seed was on a December basis.

The flaxseed market was erratic, firming after the initial decline. The early weakness was overcome when buying from Northwestern crushers and an ocasional order from other crushers appeared. The purchases by crushers were more noticeable than on any day in the last week. Whatever may be the favorable position of Argentina flaxseed with respect to the Northwest the fact remains that the demand for Northwestern seed is just as apparent as ever. Attempts to beat down prices and remain aloof from the market may depress values but do not always result in the acquistion of seed.

The only strong situation in the flaxseed world is in the Northwest in this country and it is gradually succumbing to outside influences. However, a market for a season is not made in a day nor in a week and present fluctuations in a narrow market in which trading is small is no criterion of probable values in the distant future. Considerable flaxseed has been shipped to Chicago and Minneapolis lately and additional shipments will be made. It is likely that an Eastern crushing interest will take some seed out of this market by rail, also, before the Argentina new crop seed is available. A small lot was picked up today by this concern.

The foreign flaxseed and linseed oil situation is weak. Buyers are holding aloof, but it should not be forgotten that their needs are just as apparent as when prices were higher and that the supply of seed has not changed materially, so far as advance information is concerned. Buyers could figure with the same accuracy on supplies and demands when prices were higher as they can figure now. La Plata new crop seed for early shipment was offered at Antwerp today at $1.927. The market was weak and depressed.

Indicative of the soft situation in the foreign flaxseed markets, Argentine new crop seed for shipment by Jan. 15 was offered at seaboard in this country last Friday at $2.29 a bu, including net duty. Seed for shipment in the latter part of February or the fore part of March was offered at $2.19 a bu. On Saturday the price of new crop offerings for early shipment declined 6c to $2.23 and later shipments were offered at $2.16 a bu, a decline of 3c from the previous day. As the week closed Argentine pure seed was offered to arrive at Minneapolis in March or the fore part of April at $2.35.

The weakness in the foreign situation may be ascribed to the disposition of buyers to force cheaper offerings by remaining out of both the linseed oil and flaxseed markets abroad and the desire of Argentina sellers to dispose of their crop as advantageously as possible. The idea that they may hold the whip hand has apparently never occurred to Argentina sellers. Confronted by high prices, rapidly weakening, however, and a fairly large exportable surplus in sight they have concentrated their efforts on the selling end of the game. They have gone to every part of the world that must buy seed in their efforts to dispose of the crop. Instead of letting the buyer seek them, as a few have, they seem to have overlooked the fact of the world's shortage and have not done what American farmers are continually trying to do with the American wheat crop—hold for higher values.

In comparison with prices of two or three years ago present values are sky-high even taking into consideration the late decline. The European markets have been held up by orders for oil and seed from American buyers. The ability of Europe to curtail its consumption became quickly apparent and European buyers were holding aloof from the market while American buyers were running after every offer of seed and oil which to them seemed cheap in comparison with their experience with local markets. Then as the American markets became settled the American buyers began to take a more conservative view of the situation and they have adopted the attitude of their European competitors. In the last two weeks there has been an abrupt cessation of sales of spot or future oil by Europe to the United States. Those people who consume oil in Europe have steadfastly refused to buy until prices are cheaper. The high prices were possible, however, because America was taking all supplies of seed and oil as fast as they became available in European markets.

European oil prices have declined sharply and seed prices have trailed along. The decline in seed values has been more gradual, however, and the swiftness of the decline has not been as abrupt as the downturn in the prices of oil. Usually prices of flaxseed do not follow values of oil, the reverse being generally true, but in this instance the exception to the rule prevails.

Offerings from Buenos Ayres and Calcutta are cheaper and show the effect of pressure on the situation in consuming markets. New crop seed is being offered at slowly declining values and old crop seed has lost nearly all of the premium it formerly commanded as the result of conditions in this country of from 40 cents to 50 cents a bushel.

Wheat was dull and firm today. World's shipments were unexpectedly large, amounting to 13,2000,000 bu, compared with 11,568,000 bu last week. However, weather conditons in Northern Argentina were reported to be unfavorable on account of the fall of rain in territory where thrashing was in progress. Offers of New Baraso wheat were withdrawn. Advices from India were less favorable, it being reported that rain in the Punjab is needed and that locusts are causing some damage. Cables were up, although the continent was generally lower. Too much wet weather in France did not have any effect on the Paris market.

Duluth exporters sold some durum wheat that was in an advantageous position near seaboard. Durum is on an exportable basis, but there is mighty little available. Marsailles and Antwerp were bidding for durum in this market today.

The winter wheat movement was larger today than expected. Nebraska is shipping considerable hard winter wheat to the Northwest, chiefly to a leading milling concern which was a heavy purchaser in Nebraska some time ago.

The visible supply of wheat in the United States and Canada decreased 323,000 bu.

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DULUTH. MINNEAPOLIS.

AMERICAN WHEAT MARKETS, DEC. 12.

Dec.—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Dec. 10.
Duluth	$1.00¾	$1.01	$1.00⅝a	$1.01a	$1.00⅝b
Chicago	.91⅛-¼	.91¼	.90⅞	.91-⅛a	.90¾b
Minneapolis	1.00⅜	1.00⅝	1.00	1.00½a	1.00⅛a
New York	......	......	......	.96⅝	.96⅝
Winnipeg	.90¼	.90¼	.89⅞a	.90-⅛b	.89¾
Kansas City	.90	.90⅛	.90	.90⅛	.89¾
St. Louis	......	......	......	.94¼	.94
May—					
Duluth	1.05	1.05¼b	1.04½a	1.05a	1.04⅞
Chicago	.95¾	.95⅞	.95¼	.95⅝b	.95⅜a
Minneapolis	1.03¼-⅝	1.03⅞	1.03	1.03⅝b	1.03¼a
New York	1.02⅜	1.02⅜	1.01⅞	1.02	1.02
Winnipeg	.94½	.94⅝-¾	.94¼	.94½b	.94⅛-¼b
Kansas City	.93½-⅝	.93⅝	.93⅜	.93½	.93⅜
St. Louis	.97⅛	.97⅛-¼	.97	.97⅛	.96⅝-¾

Southwestern and Winnipeg quotations furnished by B. E. Baker & Co.

DULUTH DURUM MARKET.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Dec. 10.
December	.84⅝	.84¾	.84½	.84⅝a	.84⅝a
May	.88⅝	.89	.88⅝	.89a	.88⅝b

DULUTH FLAX MARKET.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Dec. 10.
December	$2.33½	$2.38½	$2.33½	$2.38n	$2.33½a
May	2.39	2.45	2.38	2.44	2.39b

Duluth close: Wheat—On track: No. 1 hard, $1.03½; No. 1 northern, $1.02½; No. 2 northern, 99½-1.00½. To arrive: No. 1 northern, $1.02½; No. 2 northern, 99½-1.00½; December, $1.01 asked; May, $1.05 asked. Durum—On track, in store, to arrive: No. 1, 85c; No. 2, 83c; December, 84⅝c asked; May, 89c asked. Flax—On track, to arrive, $2.38; December, $2.38 nominal; May, $2.44. Oats, 32c. Rye, 74-76c. Barley, 73-84c; feed barley, 60-70c.

Receipts—Wheat, 77,859 bu; last year, 121,631 bu; barley, 8,346 bu; last year, 23,715 bu; flax, 9,462 bu; last year, 17,452 bu.

Shipments—Wheat, 2,933 bu; last year, 35,000 bu; flax, 19,200 bu.

The Flour Situation.

There was no improvement in the flour trade last week. Indications of a change for the better are slight. A fair December was looked forward to by some interests but after canvassing the trade it is admitted that buyers are as unwilling as formerly to book contracts except for the small amounts absolutely needed and which are ordered for quick shipment. There are reports from the mills that shipping instructions on old contracts have been coming in more freely lately and in this respect there is some improvement to the general flour situation. The majority of traders are taking what flour is due them. Others are not so disposed and are asking for extensions on the plea that their own experiences have not been satisfactory in this particular.

Stocks in the hands of distributors are not large, but they are sufficient to meet current requirements which are neither urgent nor expanding. The wholesale market is feeling the depression in retail circles, which, according to some sources, is serious and indicates a falling off of consumption that is widespread and material. Consumers are buying a single bag where formerly larger quantities were purchased.

It is not surprising, therefore, that leading wholesale houses are not forcing business in flour, preferring that their customers should use up their credit in less expensive articles, thus making it "go further." Business in some staples is being pushed at the expense of flour, on account of the limited demand for the latter.

Mills have comparatively little business for long time business on their books and on this account there is hope that with the price question adjusted and the retail situation improved business may expand after the beginning of the new year. Even if buyers adhere to their policy of buying in small quanties for quick shipment there should be a volume of sales of fair size unless consumption shows a further pronounced reduction.

Buyers look for lower prices but owing to the cash wheat situation mills are hardly able to make attractive concessions. Unless there should be a material reduction in cash wheat premiums, of which there is no present indication, it is not likely that buyers' hopes will be realized in the near future. Minneapolis and other standard first patents at the close of the week were offered in wood at $5.40 to $5.75 a barrel. Plenty of good flour can be bought at $5.25 to $5.40 in sacks, and country mills are offering freely at $5.00 to $5.25 in jute. Kansas hard wheat patents are quoted at $4.75 to $5.25 in sacks. Prices for soft winter wheat are the same as a week ago and business is slow, the market being nominal.

The attitude of the mills is concisely expressed in the following from a Minneapolis authority: "The present price situation is, that as mills have a considerable amount of flour sold, they do not feel favorably toward any further decline in wheat prices. It may be assumed, therefore, that what influence they may have, sentimental or otherwise, will be used to sustain prices. A material decline from the present level would cause a great deal of disturbance, as buyers generally have a loss in flour they have bought, and under such conditions there is always more or less inclination among a certain class of buyers to cancel their orders. While some advance in prices might not particularly benefit the flour trade, it would have the effect of preventing demoralization."

Cash Sales Monday.

No. 1 hard, 2 cars	$1.03½
No. 1 hard, 3 cars	1.03⅜
No. 1 hard, 4 cars	1.03¼
No. 1 northern, 9 cars	1.02⅝
No. 1 northern, ½ car	1.02¼
No. 1 northern, 1 2-3 cars	1.02½
No. 1 northern, 1,000 bu to arrive	1.02⅝
No. 1 northern, 5 cars	1.02¼
No. 1 northern, 4 cars	1.02⅜
No. 1 northern, 1 car	1.02¾
No. 2 northern, 1 car	1.00⅛
No. 2 northern, 1 car	.99⅛
No. 3 northern, 2 cars	.98⅝
No. 1 durum, 2 cars	.85
No. 2 durum, 1 car	.83
Mixed, 1 car	.90⅛
Flax, 2 1-3 cars	2.36
Flax, 1,000 bu to arrive	2.33
No. 2 flax, 2 cars	2.34
Barley, ½ car	.71
Oats, 1 car No. 3 white	.32

MARKET GOSSIP

The Missouri December report as wired after the close Saturday by King makes the December condition of wheat 76.2, against 93 a year ago and 76 in July. Government placed the condition at 83 in December. Area sown 97.8 per cent of last year. Corn crop estimated at 252,000,000 bu; wheat, 25,000,000 bu. Government estimated corn crop at 272,000,000 bu and wheat 25,000,000 bu.

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Chicago Tribune: Charles Sincere & Co.: "The president of perhaps the largest wheat distributing house to country millers in the Chicago trade gives our house this view: 'Never in twenty years will Chicago stocks of red wheat have to supply so large an interior milling demand as expected after Jan. 1, 1911. Wisconsin mills will be shut off in the Northwest; Michigan, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois millers are already asking about January wheat supplies. It is fortunate that Chicago has such liberal stocks of choice wheat and prices today lower than Toledo, St. Louis and Kansas City.'"

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Broomhall cabled from Liverpool—World's shipments last week, 13,200,000 bu; previous week, 11,568,000 bu; last year, 9,648,000 zu. Corn—Last week 6,364,000 bu; previous week, 2,508,000 bu; last year, 3,129,000 bu.

The wheat market at the opening was quiet with values ⅛d lower. There was a disposition to sell, prompted by the larger world's shipments than expected, especially to the United Kingdom, and the weaker American cables. These factors, however, were offset by the less favorable reports from Argentina, a private report stating that rains were falling in the northern districts where harvesting is in progress and offerings of parcels of new Barasso wheat have been withdrawn. This cable caused pronounced support and large speculative buying and prices advanced ⅝@1⅛d with the principal support in May. Advices from India were less favorable and flood conditions continue in Southern France and Italy. At mid-day the market was strong and ⅝@1⅛d up from the opening and ½d to a 1d higher than Saturday. Corn was quite at the opening and unchanged later there was an advance of ⅛d on the firmer Plata and American offers and in sympathy with wheat.

Our Indian agent cables that wheat in the Punjaub is suffering for want of rain and also that locust is causing damage in parts. In the United Provinces germination is satisfactory.

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On passage—Wheat decreased 2,864,000; corn decreased 221,000.

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Clearances: Wheat, 285,000; flour, 50,000 bbl; corn, 137,000; oats, 1,000; wheat and flour, 510,000.

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A Minneapolis wire to B. E. Baker: No feature here. Scalpers ran it up on themselves.

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Visible wheat decreased 323,000; corn decreased 35,000; oats decreased 409,000.

Canadian visible wheat increased 132,000.

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Primaries: Receipts wheat, 1,158,000 bu, last year 612,000 bu; shipments 126,000 bu, last year, 152,000.

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Winnipeg December flax closed $2.06 bid and May closed $2.15 bid.

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Wheat stores increased 630,037 bu last week to 2,054,132 bu. Flax stores amount to 279,885 bu.

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Foreign wheat markets today closed: Berlin, ¼c lower. Budapest, 1¼c lower. Liverpool, 1¾@1⅛d higher; corn, ¼@⅜d lower. Paris, unchanged to ½c lower; flour, ½@¾c lower. Antwerp, ⅝c lower.

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Car receipts of wheat:	Today.	Last Year.
Duluth	84	63
Minneapolis	667	285
Northwest	751	348
Chicago	25	15
Winnipeg	426	419
St. Louis, bu	67,000	82,000
Kansas City	148	44

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Car receipts of flaxseed:	Today:	Last Year.
Duluth	4	5
Minneapolis	51	19
Winnipeg	20	40
Totals	75	64

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Cars inspected: Wheat—No. 1 hard, 4; No. 1 northern, 33; No. 2 northern, 6; No. 3 northern, 2; no grade, 1; winter, 1; mixed, 1. Durum: No. 1, 32; No. 2, 1; no grade, 3; total durum, 36; total wheat, 84, last year 63; flax, 4, last year 5. Total cars, 94; on track, 122.

THE CHICAGO MARKET.

Wheat Bullish on Adverse Weather for Foreign Crops.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—Rain spoiling the harvest in Argentina had a bullish effect today on wheat prices here. Floods in France and Italy took a similar hold on the market. Almost by way of paradox, absence of moisture throughout the Punjab district of India formed an argument for higher quotations, the basis in this case however, being prospective damage to the crop. Drouth conditions, too, over the American Southwest were becoming more serious according to some traders. Under such circumstances, the fact that world shipments were larger than expected cut little figure. The opening was ¼c to ½c higher. May started ¼c to ⅜c higher at 95⅝c to 95¾c, but reacted to 95½c.

Texas rains made support poor for a while, but unfavorable reports from Oklahoma and Kansas caused a rally. The close, however, was easy with May 95⅝c, a net gain of ¼c.

With farmers selling only on bulges and with shorts somewhat timid owing to possible congestion in the December option, corn was strong. Business, however, was light. The market opened ⅛@¼c to ⅝c up. May started with ⅛c to ¼@⅜c advance at 47⅝c to 47¾@47⅞c, falling back later to 47½@47⅝c.

Huge world's shipments led to a further decline, but the market later strengthened with wheat. The close, though, was easy with May at 47¼c, a net loss of ¼c.

Oats were influenced by the corn strength and by the short interest in December. May at the opening was a shade higher at 34⅜c but later reacted to 34⅛@34¼c.

All offerings in provisions were quickly absorbed, and the market rose sharply after a rather weak start. First sales were unchanged to 7½c lower with May at $18.15 for pork, $9.97½@10.00 for lard, and $9.65 to $9.70 for ribs.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	9,200	11,700
Wheat, bu	36,000	30,300
Corn, bu	618,700	292,400
Oats, bu	469,800	269,300
Rye, bu	7,000	2,000
Barley, bu	81,000	8,200

Car lot receipts: Wheat, 25 cars, with 6 of contract grade. Corn, 383 cars, with 8 of contract grade. Oats, 215 cars. Total receipts of wheat at Chicago, Minneapolis and Duluth today 776 cars instead of 525. cars last week and 363 cars the corresponding day a year ago.

Cash close: Wheat—No. 2 red, 93½@93¾c; No. 3 red, 91¾@92¼c; No. 2 hard, 94@95¾c; No. 3 hard, 91@94c; No. 1 northern, $1.06@1.07½; No. 2 northern, $1.04@1.06½; No. 3 northern, $1.04@1.06; No. 2 spring, 98c@$1.05; No. 3 spring, 94@$1.05; velvet chaff, 90c@1.02; durum, 82@92c. Corn—No. 2, 48⅛@49c; No. 2 white, 48½@49c; No. 2 yellow, 51@51½c; No. 3, 48@48¼c; No. 3 new, 44½@45½c; No. 3 white, 48@48½c; No. 3 white, new, 44½@45½c; No. 3 yellow, 50@50½c; No. 3 yellow, new, 44¾@45½c; No. 4, 47@47½c; No. 4, new, 42½@43c; No. 4 white, 47@47½c; No. 4 white, new, 42½@43c; No. 4 yellow, 47½@48c; No. 4 yellow, new, 42½@43½c. Oats—No. 2, 31@31½c; No. 2 white, 33@33¼c; No. 3 white, 32¼@32¾c; No. 4 white, 31¾@32¼c; standard, 32½@33c. Rye—Cash, 80@81½c. Barley—Cash, 60@88½c. Timothy—Cash, $8.00@9.75; March, $10.25. Clover—Cash, $10.00@14.25.

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Dec	.91⅛-¼	.91¼	.90⅞	.91-⅛
May	.95⅝-¾	.95⅞	.95¼	.95⅝
July	.93⅛	.93⅝	.92⅝	.93-⅛
Corn—				
Dec	.46⅜-½	.46½	.45½	.45½
May	.47⅝-¾-⅞	.47¾-⅞	.47¼	.47¼
July	.48⅜-½	.48½	.47⅞-48	.47⅞-48
Oats—				
Dec	.31¾-⅞	.31¾-⅞	.31¼	.31¼
May	.34⅝	.34¾	.33⅞	.33⅞-34
July	.34⅛	.34¼	.33⅞	.33⅞
Mess Pork, per bbl—				
Jan	19.10	19.35	18.75	18.75
May	18.75	18.40	17.80	17.80
Lard, per 100 lb—				
Jan	10.25	10.30@32½	10.10	10.10
May	9.97½-$10	10.10	9.87½-90	9.87½-90
Short Ribs, per 100 lb—				
Jan	9.90-95	10.07½	9.80-82½	9.80-82½
May	9.65-70	9.77½	9.50	9.50

THE MINNEAPOLIS MARKET.

Wheat Becomes Oversold and Late Prices Are Higher.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 12.—Late today the wheat market became oversold and prices advanced. December closed ⅜c higher than Saturday, May ⅜c up and July ⅜@½c up. Trading was of moderate volume. Northwestern receipts heavy, local elevator stocks of wheat increasing 175,000 bu for two days. Minneapolis today received 667 cars of wheat against 285 a year ago; Duluth, 84 against 63, and Winnipeg, 429 against 416. December opened $1.00⅜; high, $1.00⅝; low, $1; closed, $1.00½. May opened $1.03¼@1.03⅝; high, $1.03⅞; low, $1.03; closed, $1.03⅝. July opened $1.04⅛; high, $1.04⅝; low, $1.03⅞; closed, $1.04½.

Cash wheat held about steady with Saturday. Demand good, especially for choice grades. Offerings liberal and market active. Mills and elevators both buyers. No. 1 northern sold for 1@1½c below May. Closing: No. 1 hard, $1.03⅜; No. 1 northern, $1.01⅞@1.02⅞; to arrive, $1.01⅝@1.02⅝; No. 2 northern, 99@1.01⅜; to arrive, 98⅞@1.01⅛; No. 3 wheat, 97⅝@1.00⅜; No. 3 yellow corn, 41½@42½c; No. 3 white oats, 30@30½c; No. 2 rye, 76@77½c.

Millstuffs—Shipments, 2,437 tons. No quotable change. Millers predict higher prices soon. Demand strong. Bran in 100-lb sacks, $20.50@21.00.

Shipping directions for flour showed some slight improvement today. New orders for small amounts and mostly for special brands. Prices unchanged. Shipments, 51,732 bbl. First patents, $4.75@5.25; second patents, $4.65@5.15; first clears, $3.20@3.55; second clears, $2.15@2.75.

Flax—Receipts, 51 cars; year ago, 19; shipments, 1. Demand continued good for both spot and to arrive at 1c above the Duluth December contract. Closing price, $2.39.

Barley—Receipts, 144 cars; year ago, 25; shipments, 60. The barley market was steady to a trifle easier. Demand was best for feeding at prices about steady with Saturday. The malting demand was only fair at prices 1c lower. Closing range, 65@82c.

Liverpool Grain.

Liverpool, Dec. 12.—Closing: Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 1½d; futures firm; December, 6s 9¾d; March, 6s 11⅝d; May, 7s ¼d. Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, 5s 4d; futures steady; January, 4s 5d; February, 4s 3⅞d.

New York Grain.

New York, Dec. 12.—Close: Wheat—December, 96⅝c; May, $1.02; July, $1.00. Corn—December, 54½@54⅝c; May, 55⅝@55⅞c.

THE COPPER STOCKS.

The following are the closing quotations of copper stocks at Boston today, reported by Paine, Webber & Co., 316 West Superior street:

STOCKS—	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Copper	63½	63¾
Anaconda		8⅝
Adventure	7	8
Ahmeek	170	180
Allouez	39½	40½
American Telephone	141½	141⅞
American Zinc	26½	27
Atlantic	6	7
Arcadian	3½	4
Arizona Commercial	14½	15
Butte & Ballaklava	7	7⅛
Boston Corbin	13	13¾
Black Mountain	......	12c
Butte Coalition	18½	......
Calumet & Arizona	51	52
Calumet & Hecla	545	550
Centennial	16½	17½
Consolidated Mercur	5c	7c
Copper Range	67	68
Daly West	3½	3⅞
Davis Daly	1½	1⅝
East Butte	12¾	12⅞
Franklin	9¾	10
Giroux	6¾	6⅞
Granby	40½	41½
Greene-Cananea	6⅞	7¼
Hancock Consolidated	22	22½
Helvetia	1¾	2
Indiana	12¼	12½
Isle Royale	18	18½
Keweenaw	3	......
Lake Copper	33½	34
La Salle	7¼	8
Mass. Consolidated	7½	8
Mass. Gas	88	88½
Miami Copper	19½	19¾
Michigan	3½	4
Mohawk	45¾	46
Nevada Consolidated	18¾	19
Nevada-Utah	91	96
North Lake	6½	7
Nipissing	10¾	11
North Butte	29½	......
Ojibway	6	7
Old Dominion	38	......
Osceola	125½	127
Parrot	12½	......
Pneu. Ser	4⅞	5
Quincy	71	72
Ray Consolidated	19⅛	19½
Shannon	11¾	11⅞
Shoe Michigan	54⅞	55½
Superior Boston	5⅜	6
Superior Copper	43⅞	44
Superior & Pittsburg	14	14⅛
Tamarack	......	55
Trinity	4⅞	......
United Fruit	196	196½
U. S. Mining	35	35¼
U. S. Mining, pfd	46	46½
Utah Apex	2	2¼
Utah Consolidated	13¼	13⅜
Utah Copper	45⅞	......
Victoria	2¼	2⅜
Winona	9	9¼
Wolverine	117	120
Wyandot	1½	2
Yukon Gold	4	4⅛
Bohemia	3¾	4¼
Begole	1½	1⅝
Boston Ely	1	1 1-16
Cactus	22	24
Chemung	7¼	8
Cliff	1⅞	2
Chief Cons	1 9-16	1⅝
Chino	21¾	22
Corbin Copper	4¼	4⅜
Cortez	1 15-16	2 1-16
Goldfield Cons	8⅝	8¾
Inspiration	9⅜	9½
La Rose	4⅝	4¾
Live Oak	24	26
New Baltic	6	7
Ohio Copper	1½	1⅝
Oneco	2	2 1-16
Ray Cent	2⅛	2¼
Tono Nevada	8⅛	8⅜
Yuma	20c	25c

Cotton Market.

New York, Dec. 12.—The cotton market opened steady at a decline of 9 to 12 points under realizing and local selling for a turn, inspired by disappointing cables, reports that the South was offering spot cotton freely at Liverpool and reports from Eastern mill centers, which claimed that buyers were refusing to meet any advance in goods. The market during the middle of the morning was active with prices up from the lowest at a net loss of 8 to 9 points, although the tone was still nervous and unsettled.

Spot closed quiet; middling uplands, 15.05; middling gulf, 15.30. Sales, 12,503 bales.

Futures closed very steady. December, 14.76; January, 14.82; February, 14.93; March, 15.10; April, 15.16; May, 15.29; June, 15.27; July, 15.27; August, 14.94; October, 13.54.

Chicago Livestock.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—Cattle—Receipts estimated at 41,000; market 10c lower; beeves, $4.35@7.20; Texas steers, $4.00@5.25; western steers, $4.00@6.10; stockers and feeders, $3.50@5.60; cows and heifers, $2.25@6.00; calves, $7.00@9.00. Hogs—Receipts estimated at 42,000; market steady; light, $7.60@8.00; mixed, $7.55@8.00; heavy, $7.50@8.00; rough, $7.50@7.70, good to choice, heavy, $7.70@8.00; pigs, $7.00@7.80; bulk of sales, $7.75@7.95. Sheep—Receipts estimated at 40,000; market steady; native, $2.50@4.50; western, $2.75@4.60; yearlings, $4.50@5.75; lambs, native, $4.50@6.80; western, $5.00@6.70.

DECLINES IN STOCKS

Market Opened Lower, Recovered Losses, But Sold Off Again.

Brisk and Spirited Selling a Close, Which Was Weak.

New York, Dec. 12.—The heaviness of the Harriman issues was the most conspicuous feature at the opening of the stock market today. Union Pacific declined a full point in the early transactions with a loss of half a point in Southern Pacific. Chesapeake & Ohio declined a point and the leading industrial issues, such as United States Steel, Amalgamated Copper and American Smelting, were off substantial fractions. A few unimportant gains were recorded.

Additional fractional losses were scored, bringing a number of important stocks into the range of 1-point losses, such as Reading, Union Pacific, Southern Pacific, United States Steel, Amalgamated Copper and American Smelting. The market then seemed to have found a resting level and later hardened slowly, the principal stocks making up the greater part of their losses.

The November tonnage report of the United States Steel corporation, the suit of the federal government against the Southern Pacific Railway company and the failure of our bankers to secure any of the South African gold delivered at London, were used as excuses to depress prices, but the absence of any liquidation under this pressure caused the usual covering movement. A further rise in Lehigh Valley and the strength of other issues in this class was ascribed to last week's decision affecting the anthracite coal roads. By noon prices were ruling at about Saturday's closing. Colorado & Southern gained 2 points, Lehigh Valley 1¾ and Delaware and Hudson, National Lead and Pressed Steel Car 1. Bonds were easy.

The market closed weak. Another vigorous attack was made against the market and prices were forced down to the early low level or below, Union Pacific touching 168½. The selling was brisk and spirited and when it ended the list showed a little inclination to harden.

New York stock quotations furnished The Herald by Piper, Johnson & Case, Alworth building.

STOCKS—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amalgamated	64	64¼	63½	63⅝
American Sugar	115	......	......	115
*American Car Foundry	49⅞	50	49⅞	50
American Smelters	74¼	75⅜	73⅞	74¼
Anaconda	39⅞	......	......	39⅞
Atchison	100¼	100½	100⅛	100¼
Baltimore & Ohio	105½	106	105⅝	105½
Chesapeake & Ohio	79⅝	80⅝	79½	79⅝
Chicago-Great Western	22	......	......	22
Chicago Northwestern	141	......	......	141
C., M. & St. Paul	122⅝	123⅛	121⅞	121⅝
Colorado Fuel & Iron	31⅝	32	31⅝	32
Canadian Pacific	191⅜	192⅛	191⅜	191⅞
Distillers	32⅞	32⅞	32¼	32¼
Erie	27⅝	27¾	27¼	27¼
do 1st pfd	44¾	44¾	44½	44½
Great Northern	122⅝	122⅞	122½	122½
Lehigh	179⅞	181½	179½	180⅝
Kansas City Southern	30⅝	......	......	30⅝
Louisville & Nashville	142⅝	......	......	142⅝
Missouri Pacific	45⅜	45⅜	45	45
New York Central	112¼	112½	112	112¼
Northern Pacific	114⅝	115	114	114⅝
Pennsylvania	129⅛	129⅛	128⅝	128⅝
Peoples Gas	105⅛	......	......	105⅛
Pressed Steel Car	31	31¼	31	31
Republic Steel & Iron	30¼	......	......	30⅝
do pfd	95¼	......	......	93¾
Rock Island	30	30¼	29½	29½
do pfd	60¼	......	......	60¼
Reading	148	148	146⅞	147
Soo Line	128⅝	......	......	128⅝
Southern Railway	24⅜	24⅜	24⅜	24⅛
Tennessee Copper	34⅜	......	......	34⅜
Union Pacific	169½	170¼	168½	168½
Utah Copper	46⅜	46⅜	46¼	46⅝
U. S. Steel	73¼	73⅝	72⅝	72¾
do pfd	116⅝	116½	116⅜	116⅝

*Ex-dividend of ½ per cent.

Duluth Securities.

SECURITIES—	Bid.	Asked
First National Bank	400	.....
American Exchange National Bank	325	.....
City National Bank	130	.....
Northern National Bank	120	.....
St. Louis County State Bank	105	.....
Western State Bank	140	.....
Duluth-Superior Traction Co.	69	70
do pfd	65	72
Duluth Street Railway, 1st g. 5s 30 M & N. A	96	100
Duluth Edison Electric, 1st g. s. f. 5s March, 1931, op. M. & S. A.	98	100
Great Northern Power Co. bonds	80	.....
American Carbolite, par $1	2.85	3.25
Zenith Furnace Co.	85	1.00

South St. Paul Livestock.

South St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,800; market 10@25c lower; steers, $4.00@5.50; cows and heifers, $2.50@4.50; calves, $2.75@7.00; stockers and feeders, $2.75@5.00. Hogs—Receipts, 4,200; market strong to 10c higher; range, $7.50@7.80; bulk of sales, $7.65@7.70. Sheep—Receipts, 4,800; market steady; sheep, $1.00@4.75; lambs, $3.00@6.10.

New York Money.

New York, Dec. 12.—Money on call steady at 3¼@3½ per cent; ruling rate, 3⅜ per cent; closing bid, 3⅜ per cent; offered at 3½ per cent. Time loans steady; 60 days and 90 days, 4 per cent; six months, 4 per cent. Close: Prime mercantile paper, 5@5½ per cent; sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.82@4.82.15 for 60-day bills and at $4.85.40 for demand; commercial bills, $4.81¼@4.81¾; bar silver, 54⅝c; Mexican dollars, 46c; government bonds steady, railroad bonds easy.

THE PRODUCE MARKETS.

CALIFORNIA ORANGES—	
Extra fancy navels, 126's to 250's, box	$3.25
Extra fancy navels, 80's to 96's, box	3.00
Pomegranets, half box	1.75
FLORIDA GRAPEFRUIT—	
54's and 64's, box	4.75
80's and 96's, box	4.50
CALIFORNIA LEMONS—	
Extra fancy, box, 300's and 360's	5.50
Imported limes, box	1.25
FRUITS—	
California grapes, crate	2.00
California pears, box	3.50
Malaga grapes, keg	5.00
Cuban pineapples, crate	5.00
Cuban pineapples, doz	2.00
APPLES—	
Illinois Ben Davis, bbl	4.50
New York Baldwins, bbl	4.50
New York Nonesuch, bbl	5.00
New York Kings, bbl	5.25
Jonathans, box	2.10
Roman Beauties, box	2.25
Newton Pippins, box	2.10
Wine Saps, box	2.25
Baldwins and Greenings, box	2.10
Wagners, box	2.10
Ben Davis, box	1.50
Ben Davis, fancy, box	1.75
Wealthys, box	1.50
Kentish fall baskets, box	1.75
TOMATOES—	
California, crate	1.90
California, basket	.50
CRANBERRIES—	
Cape Cod, bu crate	2.75
Jersey Jumbo, bbl	9.50
CIDER—	
New York, keg	3.50
New York, bbl	6.00
New York, 50-gal cask, per gal	.22
FRUIT JUICES—	
Orange, keg	3.50
Raspberry, keg	3.50
Cherry, keg	3.50
Grape, keg	3.50
Cider, keg	3.50
BANANAS—	
Bananas, per lb	.04
BUTTER—	
Fancy, creamery, per lb	.31
Dairy, per lb	.26
Packing, per lb	.20
CHEESE—	
Fancy full cream, twins, per lb	.17
Block Swiss, per lb, No. 1	.19
Primost cheese, per lb	.12
Wheel Swiss, per lb	.19
EGGS—	
Eggs, per doz	.27
PEANUTS—	
Fancy, raw, per lb, by the sack	.07
Fancy, roasted, sacks, per lb	.07½
Fancy, roasted, less than sacks	.08
Salted peanuts, 30-lb pails	3.75
Salted peanuts, 10-lb sacks	1.35
Fancy Jumbos, roasted, per lb	.10
MAPLE SYRUP—	
Vermont, per gal	1.75
MAPLE SUGAR—	
Iowa, assorted pkgs., 30-lb box, per lb	.10
POP CORN—	
Snowball pop corn, 40-pkg box	2.25
Pop corn, on the cob	.03
Pop corn, shelled	.04
HONEY—	
Colorado white clover, per case, 24's	4.00
CABBAGE—	
Home grown cabbage, per ton	20.00
Home grown cabbage, per crate, large	1.50
Holland cabbage, fresh and fine, per cwt	1.20
POTATOES—	
Potatoes, per bu	.58@ .60
Jersey sweets, per bu	4.75
ONIONS—	
Onions, red, 100-lb sack	2.00
White pickling, box	1.50
Yellow, 100 lb	2.00
Spanish onions, per crate	1.50
NUTS—	
Walnuts, New California, 110-lb sack, per lb	.17
Filberts, Sicily, per lb	.14
Brazils, extra large, per lb	.12
Pecans, extra fancy polished, per lb	.15
Almonds, Taragania, per lb	.17
Mixed nuts, 100-lb and 50-lb boxes, lb, new	.12
Cocoanuts, per doz	.70
New hickory nuts, large or small, per lb	.09
Pecans, halves, shelled, extra fancy, 5-lb cartons, per lb	.50
Walnuts, shelled, extra fancy, 5-lb cartons, lb	.40
Almonds, shelled, extra fancy, 5-lb cartons, lb	.42
DATES AND FIGS—	
Hallowi dates, 70-lb boxes, new	5.00
Hallowi dates, 30 packages, per box	2.40
Fard dates, 12-lb boxes, new	1.35
Sugar walnut dates, 9-lb boxes	1.25
New California figs, 12-pkg box, per box	.90
New Smyrna figs, 5-crown, 12-lb box, per box	1.25
New Smyrna figs, 7-crown, 35-lb box, per box	4.25
FRESH VEGETABLES—	
Lettuce, leaf, per bu box	1.00
Lettuce, head, Boston, extra fancy, bu	2.50
Onions, green, per doz	.75
Onions, green, shallots, large bunches, doz	.75
Parsely, home grown, per doz	.35
Garlic, new, Italian, per lb	.15
Cauliflower, California, per crate	2.75
Spinach, home grown, per bu	1.00
Round radishes, hothouse, large bunches, doz	.80
Hothouse cucumbers, per doz (scarce)	2.40
Tomatoes, California, ripe, fancy, per crate	1.90
Green peppers, hothouse, per basket	.50
Celery, Milwaukee, small bunches, per doz	.30
Celery, Milwaukee, per case of 12 dozen	3.50
Celery, California, in crates of 6 to 7 dozen, per crate	4.50
Celery, California, extra Jumbo, per bunch	.75
Hubard squash, per doz	1.75
Endive, New Orleans, per bbl	6.50
ROOTS—	
Table beets, per cwt	1.75
Table bagas, per cwt	1.00
Horse radish root, per bbl	7.00
Horse radish, per lb	.10
Table carrots, per cwt	1.75
Table parsnips, per tub	1.50
MEATS—	
Beef, per lb	6½@ .09
Mutton, per lb	.08
Pork loins, per lb	12½@ .13½
Veal, per lb	9@ .10½
Lambs, per lb	.11
Lard, per lb	.11
DRESSED POULTRY—	
Hens, fancy, fat, per lb	.14½
Hens, small, per lb	12@ .13
Springs, per lb	.15
Turkeys, per lb	.22
Ducks, per lb	17@ .18
Geese, per lb	.14
LIVE POULTRY—	
Hens, per lb	13@ .14
Small hens, per lb	.12
Springs, per lb	.13
Turkeys, per lb	16½@ .17
Ducks, per lb	14@ .15
Geese, per lb	14@ .15
HAY AND STRAW—	
Choice timothy, per ton	$17.50@18.00
No. 1 choice timothy, per ton	16.50@17.00
No. 2 choice timothy, per ton	14.00@15.00
No. 1 mixed timothy, per ton	14.00@15.00
No. 2 mixed timothy, per ton	12.00@13.00
No. 1 upland, per ton	14.00@14.50
No. 2 upland, per ton	12.00@13.00
No. 1 middling, per ton	10.00@12.00
No. 2 middling, per ton	8.00@9.00
Rye straw, per ton	6.50@7.00
Oat straw, per ton	6.50@7.00
HOLIDAY GREENS—	
Wreathing, doz	1.75
Coils, each	1.10

Chicago.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—Butter—Market steady; creameries, 23@28c; daisies, 23@27c. Eggs—Market steady; receipts, 1,686 cases; at mark, cases included, 19½@22½c; firsts, 31c; prime firsts, 33c. Cheese—Market steady; daisies, 14¾@15c; twins, 14@14¼c; young Americas, 14½@14¾c; long horns, 14½@15c. Potatoes—Market steady; choice to fancy, 43@45c; fair to good, 38@42c. Poultry—Market steady; turkeys, live, 17c, dressed, 22c; chickens, live, 11c, dressed, 12c; springs, live, 10c, dressed, 12c. Veal—Market steady; 50 to 60-lb weights, 9@10c; 60 to 85-lb weights, 11@11½c; 85 to 110-lb weights, 12c.

New York.

New York, Dec. 12.—Butter—Market firm; receipts, 4,766; creamery specials, 31½c; extras, 30@30½c; third to firsts, 23@28½c; held, creamery, second to special, 24@30½c; dairy, common to finest, 23@29c; process, second to special, 23@26c; imitation creamery, firsts, 24@24½c; factory, June make, 23@24c; same, current make, 22@23c. Cheese—Market steady; receipts, 604; state, whole milk, September quality, special, 15¾@17¼c; same, fancy colored, 15½c; same, fancy white, 15½c; same, choice, 14¾@15¼c; same, October quality, fine, 14@14½c; same, current make, common to fair, 12½@13c; skims, 2@13c. Eggs—Market firm; receipts, 4,398; state, Pennsylvania and nearby hennery white, fancy, 55c; same, gathered white, 40@55c; same, hennery brown, fancy, 45@48c; same, gathered brown, 42@45c; same, fair to good, 35@40c; western, gathered, white, 35@45c; fresh gathered, extra firsts, 38@40c; same, firsts, 35@37c; same, seconds, 33@34c; refrigerator, special mark, fancy, in local storage, 26c; firsts, 24½@25½c; same, seconds, 23½@24c.

HIDES, TALLOW AND FURS.

GREEN SALTED HIDES—	No. 1.	No. 2.
G. S. steer, over 60 lb	$ .11½	$ .10½
G. S. steers, 25 lb and up and steers under 60 lb	.09½	.08½
G. S. low haired kips, 8 to 25 lb	.10	.08½
G. S. veal kips, 5 to 25 lb	.14	.12½
G. S. Deacon skins, under 8 lb	.80	.70
G. S. horsehides	3.50	2.50
DRY SALTED—		
Dry flint hides, over 15 lb	.18	...
Dry Minnesota, Dakota, Wisconsin and Iowa hides	.15	.13
Murrains	.15½	...
Dry kid	.18	.16
Dry salted calf, under 5 lb, all sections	.21	.21
TALLOW AND GREASE—		
Tallow, in cakes	.06½	.05¾
Tallow, in bbl	.06	.05
Grease	.05¼	.03¾

FURS—	Large.	Medium.	Small.
Skunk, black	$4.50	$3.50	$2.50
Skunk, short stripe	3.00	2.50	2.00
Skunk, long narrow stripe	2.50	2.00	1.50
Skunk, broad stripe and white	1.00	.75	.50
Muskrat, spring	.70@80	....	....
Muskrat, winter	.85@64	....	.41@40
Muskrat, fall	.41@40	....	.25@24
Muskrat, kits	....	.10@08	.25@24
Raccoon	3.10	2.10	1.60
Mink, dark and brown	7.50	5.50	4.00
Mink, pale	6.00	4.00	3.00
Beaver	7.50	5.00	3.25
Cat, wild	5.00	3.75	2.50
Fisher, dark	20.00	15.00	10.00
Fisher, pale	12.00	9.00	7.00
Fox, red	10.00	7.00	5.00
Fox, gray	2.00	1.30	1.00
Lynx	30.00	25.00	12.00
Marten, dark	20.00	15.00	10.00
Marten, dark brown	10.00	7.00	4.50
Marten, light br. and pale	6.00	4.25	3.00
Weasel, white	1.00	.50	.25
Weasel, stained, damaged	.25	.15	.10
Wolf, timber	6.50	4.50	3.00
Wolf, brush, cased	4.00	3.00	2.00
Wolf, open	3.25	2.40	1.60
Wolf, coyote, cased	3.50	2.50	1.95
Bear, blk., br., grizzle	17.50@25	14@20	10@15
Bear, yearlings	12.50@15	9@12	7@10
Bear, cub	7.00@10	4.50@ 7	2.50@ 4
Fox, blk. and silver gray	80@450	55@350	35@150
Otter, dark and pale	15@20	10@15	7@10

Badger, civet and house cat, cross and kit fox, mountain lion, opossum and wolverine command market prices. The above prices are for Prime No. 1 skins. Nos. 2, 3 and 4 in proportion. Wisconsin and Mississippi river heavy muskrat, 3@5c higher; kits, 2c higher.

MORE STRANGE FRUITS.

The New Yorker who expressed surprise at the new fruits he had run across in a trip through the West Indies and Central America only touched the fringe of the subject on which he was expatiating. The fruits he cited, while delicious and unfamiliar to stay-at-homes, are not in the true sense exotics, says the New York Sun.

It is a good bet that this returned traveler never even heard, for instance, of the Peruvian cherimoya, which those lucky enough to have eaten it say surpasses the strawberry, in that in addition to the strawberry flavor it conveys, to an imaginative mind, at all events, the hint of the cream also, and this is to the vivid palate a Peruvian compendium of strawberries and cream.

The Malayan countries form the garden of Eden for queer and little known fruits. Their very names sound as though Lewis Carroll had invented them as provender for his Jabberwock. How many Americans have ever heard of, let alone tasted, the bilimbing, the langsat, the luing, the mandaroit or the rambs, which last grows in bunches and reminds you of a very large and very sweet grape, although it is not a grape at all?

Then there is the jintawan, as large as a big pear and with its flesh encased in a thick india rubberish overcoat, the flesh itself firm and pleasantly acid. Also the tarippe, than which the breadfruit tree has no finer variety. Then too the Borneo fig, which Dr. Beccari describes as "bearing great bunches of fine red fruit," the only fig that is not sweet but relies on an entrancing tartness to win its way to favor.

In Borneo too is grown the guango, which has six or eight seeds "embedded in a sweet pulp," something like a pomegranate. It is a fruit that according to the doctor "all human beings like and some think exquisite."

King of all the Malayan fruits is the durien, or duryan, the pulp of which has an ineffable flavor, while the smell of its rind is intolerable to civilized nostrils. White men in countries where this fruit grows form durien clubs, so that they can feast on it and confine the smell to one roof.

Queer fruits with queer names that sound like jokes are not confined to the Malay archipelago. Something over sixty years ago the explorer Chapman wrote that in the territory beyond the great Kalihari desert he had found the bododo, and he characterized it as "almost too luscious for a white palate." Livingstone told of the maneko of Matabeleland and described it as "full of glutinous, woody fibre and about the size of a walnut." "Really excellent eating," he wound up. He also praised the marula of Zululand, which is like a green-gage, with a large stone and hardly any pulp but with a sweet liquid instead, "simply delicious."

WHY A CAT FALLS ON ITS FEET.

London Globe: A scientist has constructed an ingenious model to show why a cat in falling invariably alights on its feet. This model, roughly speaking, consists of a cardboard cylinder wherein are stuck four rods to serve for legs, together with a tail devised on similar principles. The object of the experiment is to show that a feline's peculiar faculty depends on the rotation of its tail with sufficient vigor.

This faculty is specially developed by climbing and leaping animals, such as members of the cat tribe, monkeys, squirrels, rats and most lemurs. As already stated, the tail plays an important part in the turning process. According to the investigator all tree inhabiting monkeys have long tails, and there is not the slightest doubt that these tails are of great aid to all climbers in enabling them to turn in the air. The tail also serves as a balancer, as evidenced in the case of a squirrel, which may be seen walking along a tightly stretched wire or string, swinging its tail from side to side much after the manner of a tight rope walker balancing himself with a pole.

COST OF COUNTRY FARE.

"Not long since," writes a farmer in the Metropolitan, "I lunched at a New York restaurant. It was not the most expensive place, but rather above the average in price. The menu card interested me as a new schedule of rates would hold a railroad president.

"As a farmer I produced food similar to that offered for sale and I knew what I was paid for it. A man likes to see what is tacked on to the thing which leaves his hand.

"Strawberries and cream were offered at 25 cents. I figured that a quart of our berries would make about four dishes. Two eggs served in various ways cost 30 cents. You paid 80 cents for half a chicken.

"Now my big family would feel poorly used if we served less than four quarts of berries. We could hardly keep good natured on four whole chickens. For berries and chickens alone, therefore, at these restaurant prices we spend $10.40 at a single meal.

"If we charge the prices printed on this card for the salads and vegetables and other things which make our meal we should have a cost of $15, or over $30 a day. Of course my family is a large one and all are blessed with good appetites.

"I can buy food cheaper at other city places, but if I takes the prices paid by at least 150,000 people in New York the daily bread for our family represents $30 or more."

Notice of Dividend.

Calumet & Arizona Mining company has declared dividend of One Dollar ($1.00) a share, payable December 19th, 1910, to the stockholders of record December 9th, 1910.

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UNION STATION—Superior St. and Sixth Ave. West.

Leave.		TWIN PORTS EXPRESS.	Arrive.	
†7.00 am	*7.00 pm	DULUTH	*9.00 am	†5.30 pm
7.30 am	7.30 pm	Superior	8.30 am	5.00 pm
2.45 pm	10.40 pm	Ladysmith	5.15 am	10.50 am
Arrive 10.30 am		Sault Ste. Marie	5.20 pm Leave.	
†5.00 pm	11.45 pm	Owens	4.00 am	†7.35 am
For Eau Claire and Chippewa Falls	3.49 am	Oshkosh	12.01 am	From Eau Claire and Chippewa Falls
	7.15 am	Milwaukee	8.50 pm	
	*9.00 am	Chicago	*7.00 pm	

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Leave.		BROOTEN EXPRESS	Arrive.	
	†5.45 am	Duluth	†9.00 pm	
†7.00 am	6.15 am	Superior	8.30 pm	†5.00 pm
10.00 am	8.22 am	Moose Lake	6.20 pm	12.35 pm
3.10 pm	10.20 am	Wahkon	4.42 pm	7.26 am
†4.00 pm	10.50 am	Onamia	4.25 pm	†6.45 am
	†1.20 pm	Brooten	†1.45 pm	

Connections at Brooten for Twin Cities, Western Canada and the Pacific Coast.

Leave.	DULUTH-WINNIPEG LINE.	Arrive.
† 9.30 am	Duluth	† 6.00 pm
10.05 am	Superior	5.25 pm
11.25 am	Moose Lake	4.05 pm
4.00 pm	Cass Lake	11.30 am
4.37 pm	Bemidji	10.53 am
7.30 pm	Thief River Falls	8.00 am

Connections at Thief River Falls for Winnipeg.

Leave.	CUYUNA RANGE LINE.	Arrive.
† 7.20 am	Duluth	† 6.40 pm
7.55 am	Superior	6.05 pm
9.30 am	Lawler	4.10 pm
10.02 am	East Lake	3.58 pm
10.24 am	Darina	3.35 pm
10.35 am	Roseberg	3.25 pm
10.48 am	Aitkin	3.12 pm
11.45 am	Iron Hub	2.55 pm
Arrive. 11.15 am	DEERWOOD	2.40 pm Leave.
†11.57 am	Cuyuna	† 2.08 pm
12.05 pm	Crosby	2.00 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.

DULUTH, MISSABE & NORTHERN RAILWAY.

Office: 426 West Superior St. Phone, 969.

Leave.		Arrive.
*7.40 am	Hibbing, Chisholm, Virginia, Eveleth, Coleraine, Sharon (Buhl), †Mount'n Iron, †Sparta, †Biwabik	*3.21 pm
*3.50 pm	Hibbing, Chisholm, Sharon (Buhl), Virginia, Eveleth, Coleraine.	*10.31 am
*7.10 pm	Virginia, Cook, Ranier, Fort Frances, Port Arthur, Baudette, Warroad, Winnipeg	*8.31 pm

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NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD.

Leave.		Arrive.
*4.00 pm	Ashland and East	*11.15 am
*8.00 am	Ashland and East	*6.40 pm
*7.30 pm	Minn. and Dakota Express	*8.15 am
*8.05 am	North Coast Limited	*6.25 pm
Leave.	"Duluth Short Line"	Arrive.
†9.00 am		*6.30 am
*1.55 pm	ST. PAUL	†2.05 pm
*11.10 pm	MINNEAPOLIS	*7.00 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. 'Phone 214. Union Depot at 334 West Superior street.

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Lv*3.30pm	*6.15pm	Duluth	Ar*8.25am	*12.59pm
Lv*3.50pm	6.35pm	Superior	Ar 7.53am	12.25pm
Ar	7.45am	Milwaukee	Lv 7.45pm	
Ar 7.00am	8.15am	Chicago	Lv 6.25pm	10.10pm
Lv†8.50am	*4.35pm	Duluth	Ar†3.35pm	*9.55pm
Lv 9.10am	4.55pm	Superior	Ar 3.05pm	9.35pm
Ar 4.30pm	8.50pm	St. Paul	Lv 8.10am	4.30pm
Ar 5.05pm	10.25pm	Minneapolis	Lv 7.30am	4.00pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.
Office, 302 West Superior St., Duluth.

Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic.

No. 6.	No. 8.		No. 7.	No. 5.
†7.45 am	*5.00 pm	Lv Duluth Ar	*10.30 am	†4.55 pm
†8.05 am	*5.15 pm	Superior	*10.15 am	†4.35 pm
†7.55 pm	*5.40 am	Ar Houghton Lv	*11.05 pm	
†8.55 pm	*6.30 am	Calumet	*10.15 pm	
†7.05 pm	*3.50 am	Ishpeming	*12.20 pm	†6.20 am
†7.45 pm	*4.30 am	Marquette	*11.30 pm	†5.15 am
	*10.15 am	Sault Ste. Marie	*5.30 pm	
	*8.00 am	Montreal	*9.50 pm	
	*8.15 am	Boston	*10.00 pm	
†8.50 am	*7.10 pm	Lv Montreal Ar	*7.30 am	†10.15 pm
†8.00 pm	*7.18 am	Ar New York	*7.00 pm	†6.45 am

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Leave.	STATIONS.	Arrive.
†6.00 am *3.25 pm *11.10 pm *8.45 am *8.55 pm	ST. PAUL and MINNEAPOLIS Crookston, Grand Forks, Montana and Coast	†10.15 pm *1.55 pm *6.30 am *6.35 pm *7.15 am
†2.20 pm	Swan River, Hibbing, Virginia	†12.30 pm
†6.00 am	St. Cloud, Willmar, Sioux City	†10.15 pm

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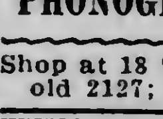

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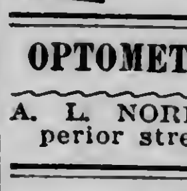

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LEGAL NOTICES.

ORDER LIMITING TIME TO FILE CLAIMS, AND FOR HEARING THEREON.
Estate of Thomas G. Hillhouse.
State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis, In Probate Court.
In the Matter of the Estate of Thomas G. Hillhouse, Decedent.

Letters of administration on Nov. 23rd, 1910, having been granted to Julia T. E. Hillhouse,

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Monday the 6th day of March, 1911 at ten o'clock a. m., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Duluth in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in Duluth Evening Herald as provided by law.

Dated at Duluth, Minn., Dec. 3, 1910.
J. B. MIDDLECOFF,
Judge of Probate.
(Seal, Probate Court, St. Louis County, Minn.)
RICHARDSON & DAY,
Attorneys for Administratrix.
D. H., Dec. 5, 12 and 19, 1910.

ORDER OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR LICENSE TO SELL LAND.
State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis.—ss.
In Probate Court.
In the Matter of the Estate of Thomas G. Hillhouse.

THE PETITION OF Julia T. E. Hillhouse as representative of the above named Thomas G. Hillhouse, having been filed in this Court, representing, among other things, that for reasons stated in said petition, it is necessary and for the best interests of the estate of said Thomas G. Hillhouse and of all persons interested therein, to sell certain lands of said Thomas G. Hillhouse in said petition described and praying that license be to her granted to sell the said land:

IT IS ORDERED, That said petition be heard before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in Duluth, in said County, Tuesday, the 3rd day of January, 1911, at ten o'clock a. m., and all persons interested in said hearing and in said matter are hereby cited and required at said time and place to show cause, if any there be, why said petition should not be granted.

ORDERED FURTHER, That this order be served by publication in the Duluth Evening Herald according to law.

Dated at Duluth, Minn., Dec. 3, 1910.
By the Court,
J. B. MIDDLECOFF,
Judge of Probate.
(Seal, Probate Court, St. Louis County, Minn.)
RICHARDSON & DAY,
Attorneys for Administratrix.
D. H., Dec. 5, 12 and 19, 1910.

SUMMONS IN APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF LAND—
State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis.—ss.
District Court, Eleventh Judicial District.

In the matter of the application of Newark Investment company, to register the title to the following described real estate situated in St. Louis County, Minnesota, namely: That part of the East one-half of the East one-half of the East one-half of the Southwest quarter of the Northeast quarter (E½ of E½ of E½ of SW ¼ of NE¼ of section twenty-two (22), in township fifty (50) North of range fourteen (14) West of the Fourt Principal Meridian, according to the United States Government Survey thereof, designated as lot three (3) on the plat of Auditor's Axa Division Rearranged, on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for St. Louis County, Minnesota, and more particularly described as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of the Westerly line of Ninth avenue east with the center line of East Eighth street, in the City of Duluth, projected in a straight line through the East one-half of the East one-half of the East one-half of the Southwest quarter of the Northeast quarter of section twenty-two (22) aforesaid; thence Southerly, along said Westerly line of Ninth avenue east a distance of thirty-three (33) feet; thence Westerly, along a line parallel with the center line of said Eighth street, projected as aforesaid, one hundred and 18-100 (100.18) feet; thence Northerly, parallel with the Westerly line of said Ninth avenue east, thirty-one and 5-100 (31.05) feet; thence North two and 96-100 (2.96) feet to the center line of said Eighth street, as projected; thence Easterly along said center line of Eighth street, as projected, to the place of beginning.
Newark Investment Company,
Applicant,
vs.
Martha H. Norton, Minnie L. Caldwell, Lucy U. Norton, Mattie A. Norton, Juliette N. Marvin, J. B. Marvin, Susan N. Coleman, John Coleman, City of Duluth, T. L. Clark, Lewis P. Bush, George W. Norton and all other persons or parties unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real estate described in the application herein,
Defendants.

The State of Minnesota to the above named Defendants:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the application of the applicant in the above entitled proceeding and to file your answer to the said application in the office of the Clerk of said Court, in said County, within twenty (20) days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service, and, if you fail to answer the said application within the time aforesaid, the applicant in this proceeding will apply to the Court for the relief demanded therein.

Witness, J. P. Johnson, Clerk of said Court, and the seal thereof, at Duluth, in said County, this 5th day of December, A. D. 1910.
J. P. JOHNSON,
Clerk.
By R. E. JOHNSON,
Deputy.
(Seal of District Court, St. Louis county, Minn.)
FRANCIS W. SULLIVAN,
Attorney for Applicant.
D. H. Dec. 5, 12, and 19, 1910.

NOTICE OF EMERGENCY SALE OF TIMBER STUMPAGE ON STATE LANDS.

Notice is hereby given that I will offer for sale at public auction at the New State Capitol Building in St. Paul, Minnesota, on Friday, December 16, 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon certain timber belonging to the State and liable to waste.

Following is a list of the lands upon which such timber is situated, and a statement of the estimated quantity of each kind of timber thereon that will be so offered, and of the appraised price of same:

All of Sec. 16, T. 60, R. 12:—920 M pine @ $7.00 per M; 40 M spruce @ $4.00 per M; 90 M tamarack, cedar and balsam @ $3.00 per M.

SW¼ of Sec. 3, T. 60, R. 13:—110 M jack, spruce, tamarack and cedar @ $3.00 per M.

Lots 3 and 4, S½ NW¼ and NW¼ SW¼ of Sec. 4, T. 60, R. 13:—40 M jack @ $3.00 per M.

N½ NW¼, SE¼ NW¼, SW¼ NE¼, N½ SE¼ and SE¼ SE¼ of Sec. 10, T. 60, R. 13:—200 M jack, spruce, tamarack and balsam @ $3.00 per M.

All of Sec. 16, T. 60, R. 13:—40 M pine @ $5.00 per M; 710 M jack, spruce, tamarack, cedar and balsam @ $3.00 per M.

All of Sec. 16, T. 54, R. 13:—700 M pine @ $7.00 per M; 50 M spruce @ $5.00 per M; 30 M tamarack @ $3.00 per M.

All of Sec. 16, T. 53, R. 16:—850 M pine @ $7.00 per M; 15 M spruce @ $5.00 per M; 25 M tamarack @ $4.00 per M; 10 M cedar and balsam @ $3.00 per M.

All of Sec. 36, T. 52, R. 16:—6,550 M pine @ $7.00 per M; 5 M spruce @ $5.00 per M; 5 M tamarack @ $4.00 per M.

Lots 3 and 4 of Sec. 13, T. 69, R. 20:—5 M pine @ $4.00 per M; 20 M jack and spruce @ $2.00 per M.

Lots 3 and 4 and S½ NW¼ of Sec. 5, T. 68, R. 20:—10 M pine @ $4.00 per M; 10 M jack and spruce @ $2.00 per M.

NE¼ SW¼ and SE¼ of Sec. 6, T. 68, R. 20:—210 M pine @ $5.00 per M; 10 M spruce @ $3.00 per M; 10 M tamarack and cedar @ $2.00 per M.

All of Sec. 36, T. 69, R. 21:—1,600 M pine @ $5.00 per M; 50 M spruce @ $3.00 per M; 50 M tamarack, cedar and balsam @ $2.00 per M.

All of Sec. 36, T. 47, R. 23:—225 M pine @ $6.00 per M; 50 M spruce @ $4.00 per M; 100 M tamarack @ $3.00 per M; 25 M balsam @ $2.00 per M.

All of Sec. 36, T. 63, R. 1 W:—700 M pine @ $5.00 per M.

SW¼ of Sec. 34, T. 62, R. 1 W:—10 M pine @ $5.00 per M.

This sale is to be held pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 204 of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1905, and pursuant to the recommendation of the Board of Timber Commissioners, as provided in Section 17 of said law.

None of the timber can be sold for less than the appraised prices as given herein. Sale will be made to the party bidding the highest price per M feet for all of the several kinds of timber advertised on the lands in the different sections. Any bidding over and above the said appraised prices shall be by "percentage," the per cent bid to be added to the appraised price of each kind of timber advertised on the land. No bids of less than 5 per cent will be entertained or accepted.

Dated at St. Paul, Minnesota, November 22, 1910.
S. G. IVERSON,
State Auditor.
D. H., Nov. 28, Dec. 5, 12, 1910.

LEGAL NOTICES.

OFFICE OF CONSOLIDATED ELEVATOR COMPANY.
Duluth, Minn., Dec. 5th., 1910.

The annual meeting of the Consolidated Elevator Company of Duluth, Minnesota, will be held on Tuesday, December 20th, 1910, in the City of New York, State of New York, at the office of Morton S. Paton, No. 1 Broadway, at 11:30 o'clock a. m. of said day.
G. H. SPENCER,
Secretary.
D. H., Dec. 5, 12, 1910.

ORDER FOR HEARING ON PETITION FOR ADMINISTRATION—
State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis, ss—
In Probate Court.
In the Matter of the Estate of Andrew Mikkelson, Decedent:

THE PETITION OF Karen Mikkelson, Mary Mikkelson and Ivar Mikkelson having been filed in this Court, representing, among other things, that Andrew Mikkelson, then being a resident of the County of St. Louis, State of Minnesota, died intestate, in the County of St. Louis, state of Minnesota, on the 27th day of August, 1910, leaving estate in the County of St. Louis, State of Minnesota, and that said petitioners are the widow, daughter and son, respectively of said decedent, and praying that Letters of Administration of the estate of said decedent be granted to Mary Mikkelson,

IT IS ORDERED, That said petition be heard before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in Duluth, in said County, on Tuesday, the 27th day of December, 1910, at ten o'clock A. M., and all persons interested in said hearing and in said matter are hereby cited and required at said time and place to show cause, if any there be, why said petition should not be granted.

ORDERED FURTHER, That this Order be served by publication in The Duluth Herald according to law, and that a copy of this Order be served on the County Treasurer of St. Louis County not less than ten days prior to said day of hearing.

Dated at Duluth, Minn., December 2nd, 1910.
By the Court,
J. B. MIDDLECOFF,
Judge of Probate.
(Seal, Probate Court, St. Louis Co., Minn.)
Duluth Herald, Dec. 5, 12, 19, 1910.

CITY NOTICES.

CONTRACT WORK—
Office of Board of Public Works,
City of Duluth, Minn., Dec. 9, 1910.

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Public Works in and for the corporation of the City of Duluth, Minnesota, at their office in said city, at ten o'clock a. m., on the 19th day of December A. D. 1910, for the purchase of a horse, buggy, cutter, harness, and robe which can be seen in the basement of the Armory building, in said city, at the corner of Second avenue east and First street.

A certified check for ten per cent of the amount of the bid, payable to the order of the Treasurer of the City of Duluth, must accompany each proposal.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
OLOF G. OLSON,
President.
(Seal.)
Official,
R. MURCHISON,
Clerk, Board Public Works.
D. H. Dec. 10 and 12, 1910. D 270.

CITY OF DULUTH, CLERK'S OFFICE.

Notice is hereby given that applications have been filed in my office for licenses to sell intoxicating liquors in the City of Duluth, by the following named persons at the locations set opposite their respective names, viz:

Jacob Mattson, 324 Lake Avenue South, (being a transfer from 340 Lake Avenue South.)

Said applications will be considered by the common council at a regular meeting thereof to be held on Monday, Dec. 19, 1910, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.
H. W. CHEADLE,
City Clerk.
D. H., Dec. 5 and 12, 1910. D 265.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we, the undersigned, do hereby associate ourselves together and agree upon the following articles of incorporation under the provisions of chapter 58 of the Revised Laws of Minnesota for 1905 and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and do hereby adopt the following articles:

1. The name of this corporation shall be "Crosby Iron Company."

2. The general nature of the business shall be exploring for and mining, smelting, reducing, refining, working or manufacturing iron, copper and other minerals, the mining and marketing of any kind of ore or other mineral substance, and the buying, working, selling, leasing and dealing in mineral lands.

Any of said business may be carried on in the state of Minnesota or elsewhere.

The principal place of transacting the business of this corporation shall be in the city of Duluth, Minnesota.

3. The period of the duration of this corporation shall be thirty years.

4. The names and places of residence of the persons forming this corporation are as follows: E. F. Alford, J. W. Hunt and Corah L. Colbrath, all of Duluth, Minnesota.

5. The names of the first board of directors of this corporation shall be as follows: E. F. Alford, J. W. Hunt and Corah L. Colbrath. The government of this corporation and the management of its affairs shall be vested in the following officers, to-wit: A board of three directors, who shall be stockholders of this corporation, and a president, vice president, secretary and treasurer. The office of vice president and treasurer may be held by the same person. The board of directors shall be elected by the stockholders of the corporation at their annual meeting. The officers shall be chosen by the directors at their first meeting after each annual meeting of the stockholders. The directors and officers shall hold their respective offices for the term of one year and until their respective successors are elected and qualify.

The annual meeting of the stockholders shall be held the second Monday in January in each year, at such hour and place as shall be fixed by the by-laws of the corporation.

6. The amount of the capital stock of this corporation shall be fifty thousand dollars ($50,000), divided into five hundred shares of the par value of one hundred dollars each, the same to be paid in as called for by the board of directors.

7. The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which this corporation shall at any time be subject is the sum of two hundred thousand dollars ($200,000).

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 7th day of December, 1910.
E. F. ALFORD. (Seal)
J. W. HUNT. (Seal)
CORAH L. COLBRATH. (Seal)

State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis—ss.

On this 7th day of December, 1910, before me, a notary public within and for said county, personally appeared E. F. Alford, J. W. Hunt and Corah L. Colbrath, to me known to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing certificate, and acknowledged that they executed the same as their free act and deed.
C. W. STILSON,
Notary Public, St. Louis Co., Minn.
(Notarial Seal, St. Louis Co., Minn.)
My commission expires May 28th. 1911.

State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 8th day of December, A. D. 1910, at 9 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book 13 of Incorporations, on page 495.
JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State.

OFFICE OF REGISTER OF DEEDS.
State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis—ss.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record Dec. 9, 1910, at 1 P. M., and was duly recorded in Book 14 of Misc., page 35.
M. C. PALMER,
Register of Deeds.
By THOS. CLARK,
Deputy.
D. H., Dec. 12, 13, 14, 1910.

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Chas. P. Craig & Co.,
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CITY NOTICES. CITY NOTICES.

ASSESSMENT FOR LOCAL IMPROVEMENT.
Office of the
BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.
City of Duluth, Minn., December 9, 1910.

Notice is hereby given, That the Board of Public Works of the City of Duluth has completed its assessment for the Third alley improvement, and that at Ten o'clock A. M., on the Twenty-third day of December, A. D. 1910, said Board of Public Works will attend at the office of said Boad in the City Hall building for the purpose of hearing objections thereto; that all objections made to said assessment must be filed in writing with said Board at least one day prior to the time above specified, and that unless sufficient cause is shown to the contrary, the said assessment so made as aforesaid will be confirmed.

Notice is hereby further given, That the following is a copy of said assessment roll so completed as aforesaid:

ASSESSMENT ROLL.
Duluth, Minn., December 9, 1910.

The Board of Public Works of the City of Duluth doth hereby assess and levy upon and against the several lots, parts of lots and parcels of land below described, the respective sums of money set opposite each lot, part of lot, or parcel of land. The assessment is levied to defray in full the expense of grading and otherwise improving Third alley from Twenty-seventh avenue west to Twenty-eighth avenue west, according to benefits.

Name of Owner so Far as Known to Board.	—Description— Lot.	Block.	Total Amount of Assessment.
Duluth Proper, Second Division.			
Ole Carlson, north 70 feet	434	84	$12.67
B. E. Wellberg, south 70 feet	434	84	44.93
Ole G. Hulberg	436	84	57.59
Edward C. Lamb, west 27 feet	438	84	31.10
Ole G. Hulberg, east 23 feet	438	84	26.50
Edward C. Lamb, east half	440	84	28.80
Patrick J. Walsh, west half	440	84	28.80
Catherine Nolan, west half	442	84	28.80
Thomas Nolan, east half	442	84	28.80
James Hughes, east half	444	84	28.80
Andy Mattson, west half	444	84	28.80
Fred Rundquist, east half	446	84	28.80
John E. Smedberg, west half	446	84	28.80
Martin Smith, including block 2, Gay's division	448	84	57.59
Henry Johnson	433	84	57.59
Edward McClure et al	435	84	57.59
Charles Olson, west half	437	84	28.80
A. Hegland, east half	437	84	28.80
Charles Ball, east half	439	84	28.80
Joseph W. Cummings, west half	439	84	28.80
John A. Johnson	441	84	57.59
Axel E. Halverson, east half	443	84	28.80
Michael J. Lyons, west half	443	84	28.80
Catherine Devaney	445	84	57.59
Edward D. Devaney et al	447	84	57.59
Total			$921.53

OLOF G. OLSON,
President.
Official:
R. MURCHISON,
Clerk, Board of Public Works.
(Seal.)
D. H., Dec. 12, 1910. D 671.

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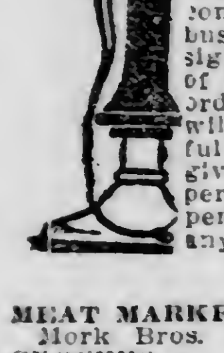

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	Old 'Phone.	New 'Phone.
MEAT MARKETS—		
Mork Bros.	1590	189
GROCERS—		
Thatcher & Thatcher.		1907
LAUNDRIES—		
Peerless Laundry	428	428
Yale Laundry	479	479
Lutes Laundry	447	447
Troy Laundry	257	257
Home Laundry Co.	941	1128
Incline Hand Laundry	1609	2021
DRUGGISTS—		
Eddie Jeronimus	1243	1027
Boyce	163	163
Smith & Smith	280	7
ARCHITECTS—		
Frank L. Young & Co.	4476	
MILLINERY—		
M. A. Cox	4576	
TENTS AND AWNINGS—		
Pelrier & Co.		735
DYE WORKS—		
Zenith City Dye works	1888	1888
Northwestern Dyeing & Cleaning Co.	1327	1516
National Dyeing & Cleaning Co.	2376	2376
Interstate Cleaning & Dyeing Co., "Kelly's"	2530	30

REAL ESTATE, FIRE INSURANCE, AND RENTAL AGENCIES.

John A. Stephenson & Co., Wolvin bldg.
E. D. Field Co., 203 Exchange building.
L. A. Larsen Co., Providence building.
H. J. Mullin, 403 Lonsdale building.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—SECOND HAND RANGE. 111 East Fifth street.

FOR SALE—A STEEL RANGE—ONLY used one year. Call 321 East Superior street.

FOR SALE — NEW PAIR OF BIRCH-wood skis, 7½ feet. Call 215 East Fourth street.

FOR SALE—$75 BUYS A MINERAL interest on Mesaba range. Address R 302, Herald.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE; RESIDENCE at Stanford University, California. X 323, Herald.

FOR SALE—$100 CASH TAKES $300 upright piano; can be seen. 221 West Superior street, room 210.

FOR SALE — A VERY LARGE COAL stove; suitable for hall or hotel, with a liberal discount at Gasser's grocery.

FOR SALE—GROCERY STORE, GOOD fixtures, horse and wagon; order route four days a week; will invoice about $1,300, including stock, fixtures and horse. Phone 1023-X Zenith.

FOR SALE — GOOD COAL HEATING stove. Call 527 West Superior street.

FOR SALE—ONE DROPHEAD WHITE sewing machine, $19; one $14; one Singer, $19; some others, $5, $6 and $8; to of these nearly new. At White store, next to 10c store.

FOR SALE — LADY WISHES TO DISpose of new black lynx furs, large shawl collar and pillow muff; will sell for $12; value $50. J 347, Herald.

FOR SALE — MUST SACRIFICE beautiful Manchuria lynx furs, open rug muff and large shawl collar; recently purchased at $80; will sell for $25. U 340, Herald.

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FOR SALE—MEDIUM SIZE SECOND-hand safe. Christie Lithograph & Printing company.

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HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED — GIRLS AT MRS. SOMmers' employment office, 15 Second avenue east.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework; good wages. 2003 Woodland avenue, corner Hardy street.

WANTED — COMPETENT GIRL FOR general housework. 706½ East Fourth street.

WANTED — A COMPETENT GIRL for general housework; must be good cook; family of two. 131 East Second street.

WANTED — —GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. 218 Tenth avenue east.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework; good wages. 317 East Third street.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. 1911 East Third street.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. 112 East Third street.

WANTED — YOUNG GIRL FOR housework in small family. 1127 East Third street.

WANTED — INTELLIGENT WOMAN, spare time, each locality; address envelopes, mail circulars, 15c hour; material, stamps furnished free. Rex Mailing agency, London, Ont.

WANTED—SECOND COOK AND DISH-washer. Warner's restaurant, 305 Central avenue, West Duluth.

WANTED—COMPETENT GIRL FOR general housework. Mrs. C. A. Wright, 1420 London road.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework; two in family. 2234 Woodland avenue, Melrose 4733.

WANTED—COMPETENT GIRL FOR general housework. 124 North Fifty-sixth avenue west.

WANTED — 500 PEOPLE TO KNOW that we are placing on sale factory samples of jewelry; 100 jewel cases, 500 white stone hat pins, 100 back combs, 300 rings, full line cut glass and holiday goods. Keystone Loan company, 22 W. Sup. St.

WANTED—A GOOD NEAT GIRL FOR general housework; three in family. Call 110 South Sixteenth avenue east.

WANTED — A YOUNG LADY EITHER at school or in business to give help in return for good home; no hard work. Call Melrose 4053.

WANTED—CHAMBERMAID. MARINE hotel, 206 Lake avenue south.

WANTED — GIRL TO ASSIST WITH general housework. Mrs. C. L. Kennedy, 1509 East Third street.

RENT—STORES, OFFICES, ETC.

FOR RENT — SPACE 40 BY 60 ON ground floor on Lake avenue south; trackage and street entrance. Rental department, John A. Stephenson & Co., Wolvin building.

FOR RENT — SECOND FLOOR OF Grand Union Tea Company building, 119 East Superior street; suitable for doctor's offices, tailoring establishment, light manufacturing or residence. For particulars call at the Grand Union Tea company.

FOR RENT—BARBER SHOP AT 914 Third avenue, completely furnished; baths in connection. Apply Edward Santini, 914 Third avenue or 305 Third avenue, Hibbing, Minn.

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FOR RENT—BARN; EIGHT STALLS; $8 a month; also carriage shed, $5 per month. Apply 325 East First street.

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WANTED — COMPLETE CREWS FOR woods, saw mill, planing mill and box factory, cutting plant, including lumber inspectors, etc., for large lumber manufacturing operation in Northern Mexico. Steady work year around. A. G. Nelson, Box 181, El Paso, Texas.

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LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—A SMALL BROWN PURSE containing $15 on Third avenue west and Superior street. Finder please return to Herald office and receive reward.

LOST — FRIDAY AFTERNOON AT Elks' club; silver purse, valuable as a gift; return to B. W. Hintz. 114 East Michigan street for reward.

LOST—PARTY WHO TOOK PACKAGE at Panton & White's, known, return same to exchange department avoid further trouble.

LOST — STRING OF VENETIAN beads Sunday. Finder please return to or notify Herald business office.

LOST—ON SECOND STREET, BEtween First and Tenth avenues east, rubber coat and overcoat. Finder please notify No. 3 fire hall for reward.

LOST — BABY COLLIE, ELEVENTH avenue east district. Whoever picked him up, please return to 1102 East Second street and receive reward.

LOST—STRAYED FROM THE JEAN DuLuth farm, a Guernsey heifer about 18 months' old; any information that will lead to its recovery, will be liberally rewarded. Write or telephone Jean DuLuth farm.

LOST—LADY WHO FOUND BAND ring Tuesday 6 p. m. at S. H. Knox & Co., please return same at office, to avoid further trouble.

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FOR RENT SIGNS —SEE NATIONAL Stamp & Printing company, 21 First avenue west.

FOR RENT — SEVEN-ROOM COMplete furnished house; Dec. 1 to March 1. Mrs. C. B. Miller, 214 Fifteenth avenue east.

FOR RENT — SIX-ROOM HOUSE AT 716 Lake avenue south; modern except heat. Call at 230 Lake avenue south.

FOR RENT—MODERN SEVEN-ROOM house, East end; hot water heat; two bathrooms; hardwood finish; $42.50 per month. Whitney Wall company, 301-3 Torrey building.

FOR RENT — 18 WEST THIRD street, central, suitable for roomers, nine rooms; modern; $50; keys at our office. Little & Nolte, Exchange building.

FOR RENT—SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE, 125 Seventh avenue west; bath, electric light, coal range. Apply A. A. Mendenhall.

FOR RENT—THE NICEST, COSY NEW five-room cottage in city; will rent to right party reasonable. Call 1030 West First street.

FOR RENT — 429 THIRD AVENUE west, central, suitable for roomers, nine rooms, modern; $45. Call at office of Little & Nolte, Exchange building.

FOR RENT—109 THIRTY-NINTH AVenue west; five rooms $12.50; includes city water. J. D. Howard & Co., 216 West Superior street.

FOR RENT—EIGHT ROOMS, 710 WEST Second street; stove heat; $25 per month. W. M. Prindle.

FOR RENT—FIVE-ROOM HOUSE, 17 Second avenue east; water, sewer; rent $22.50. William Prindle, Lonsdale building.

FOR RENT — NO. 1610½ EAST SUperior street; eight rooms and bath; hot water heat; gas range; hardwood floors; $45. J. D. Howard & Co., 216 West Superior street.

FOR RENT—NO. 1422 EAST FIRST street, six rooms and bath; modern and in good condition; $35. J. D. Howard & Co., 216 West Superior street.

FOR RENT — FIVE-ROOM HOUSE. Inquire 2403 West Superior street.

FOR RENT—NO. 1616 PIEDMONT AVenue, three rooms; hardwood floors; $7. J. D. Howard & Co., 216 West Superior street.

FOR RENT—SIX-ROOM HOUSE IN East end; hot water heat; thoroughly modern, $85 per month. Rental department, John A. Stephenson & Co., Wolvin building.

FOR RENT — FOUR-ROOM COTTAGE, 2121 West First street, $12 for the winter. C. L. Rakowsky & Co., 201 Exchange building.

FOR RENT—LODGING HOUSE ON Lake avenue south. Low rent. Rental Department, John A. Stephenson & Co., Wolvin building.

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FOR SALE—HORSES AND HARNESS in rear, 2318 West Second street.

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FOR SALE—SEVEN HEAVY HORSES; cheap. 2529 West Huron street.

FOR SALE—BLACK HORSE; WEIGHT 1,000 pounds. Call Zenith 'phone 2148.

FOR SALE — ONE GOOD WORK horse and double harness for $150. If taken at once. 1801 East Eighth street.

FOR SALE—ONE PAIR DARK BAY horses; weight 3,000 pounds; 6 years old and one pair mules, weight 2,900 pounds; will sell part time if desired. The Radford Company, 639 Garfield avenue, Duluth, Minn.

FOR SALE — HORSES, AT W. S. Ellingsen's, 2311 West Ninth street. Zenith 1730-A.

FOR SALE — TWELVE HEAD OF horses, weighing from 1,300 to 1,700 pounds; must be sold. Call at Mrs. Goldsmith's stables, Eleventh avenue west and First street.

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FOR RENT—CHEAP FOR THE WINter, four rooms downstairs, $8.50; three rooms upstairs, $6.50; water; Third avenue west. Harris Realty company, Manhattan building.

FOR RENT—FOUR-ROOM FURNISHed flat; modern, with or without board. 906 East Third street. Old 'phone, Melrose 3715.

FOR RENT — FOUR-ROOM FLAT, with bath, gas, hardwood floors throughout; $17.50 per month. 217 West Fifth street. Call Broad, 204-K.

FOR RENT—FOUR-ROOM FLAT ON St. Croix avenue, $10, city water included. J. D. Howard & Co., 216 West Superior street.

FOR RENT—FIVE-ROOM FLAT; ALL conveniences, except heat. 2122 West Third street. Zenith 1661-A.

FOR RENT—WARM FIVE-ROOM flat, sewer, bath, electric light and hardwood floors, at 2816 Helm street, $15. For owner call Zenith 2014 D.

FOR RENT—TWO, THREE AND FIVE-room flats, most of them modern, excepting heat, $7 to $12 per month. 702 East Second street. Zenith 1299-D.

FOR RENT—SIX-ROOM FLAT; HOT water heat, all modern conveniences, water included, $35 per month. 19 West Fourth street.

FOR RENT—NEW FOUR-ROOM FLAT, $8. C. A. Knippenberg, 300 Alworth building; 'phones 597.

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FOR RENT—FIVE-ROOM FLAT. 321 East Superior street.

FOR RENT—FIVE-ROOM FLAT IN new brick building; steam heat, gas, electric light and laundry facilities; rent reasonable. Call 1030 West First street.

FOR RENT—FIVE-ROOM FLAT NEAR Piedmont avenue west, on Fourth street; $6 per month. Western Realty company, 1922 West Superior street.

FOR RENT — THREE-ROOM FURnished flat for light housekeeping; hot water heat; electric light; gas for cooking. Call Melrose 3692.

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FOR RENT — FOUR FURNISHED rooms; all modern conveniences. Call Melrose 715.

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FOR RENT — TWO FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping in private family; bath, gas, electric light and telephone. Call mornings or after 6 p. m., 316 West Fourth street.

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FOR SALE—$1,500; EASY TERMS, will buy seven lots, corner on Nicolet and Fifty-second avenue west. Thomas Olafson, 5417 Ramsey street, West Duluth, Minn.

FOR SALE — BARGAIN—$25 DOWN, balance easy, purchases fine lot on Forty-first avenue west, above Grand. Torrens title; only $350. Address B 292, Herald.

FOR SALE—100 BY 140 FEET ON East First street; near Twenty-sixth avenue; only $2,100 for quick sale. Whitney Wall Co., Torrey building.

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SECRET SOCIETIES.

PALESTINE LODGE NO. 79, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meetings first and third Monday evenings of each month, at 7:30 o'clock. Next meeting, special, Friday, Dec. 16, 1910. Work—Installation of officers. Gorham A. Taylor, W. M.; H. Nesbit, secretary.

IONIC LODGE NO. 186, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meetings second and fourth Monday evenings of each month at 7:30 o'clock. Next meeting, Monday, Dec. 12, 1910. Annual meeting and election of officers. H. W. Richardson, W. M.; Hugh Burgo, secretary.

KEYSTONE CHAPTER NO. 20, R. A. M.—Stated convocations second and fourth Wednesday evenings of each month at 7:30 o'clock. Next meeting, Dec. 14, 1910. Work—Annual meeting, election of officers. Andalia W. Torrance, H. P.; Alfred Le Richeux, secretary.

DULUTH COUNCIL NO. 6, R. & S. M.—Next meeting Friday, Dec. 2, 1910, at 7:30 p. m. Work—Annual meeting; election of officers. Carl L. Lonegren, T. I. M.; Alfred Le Richeux, recorder.

DULUTH COMMANDERY NO. 18, K. T.—Stated conclave first Tuesday of each month at 7:30 o'clock p. m. Next conclave Dec. 6, 1910. Work—Red Cross degree. Newton H. Wilson, E. C.; Alfred Le Richeux, recorder.

SCOTTISH RITE — REGULAR meetings every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Next meeting Dec. 15, 1910. Work—Thirtieth degree. Henry Nesbitt, secretary.

ZENITH CHAPTER NO. 25, Order of Eastern Star—Regular meetings second and fourth Friday evenings of each month at 7:30 o'clock. Next meeting, Dec. 9, 1910. Work—Annual meeting, election of officers and initiation. Minnie Keeler, W. M.; Ella F. Gearhart, secretary.

EUCLID LODGE NO. 198, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meetings second and fourth Wednesday evenings of each month at 7:30 o'clock. Next meeting Dec. 14, 1910. Work—Election of officers. L. R. Clark, W. M.; A. Dunleavy, secretary.

DULUTH CHAPTER NO. 59, R. A. M.—Meets at West Duluth first and Third Wednesdays of each month at 7:30 p. m. Next meeting, Dec. 7, 1910. Work—Election of officers and P. M. and M. E. degrees. W. B. Getchell H. P.; A. Dunleavy, secretary.

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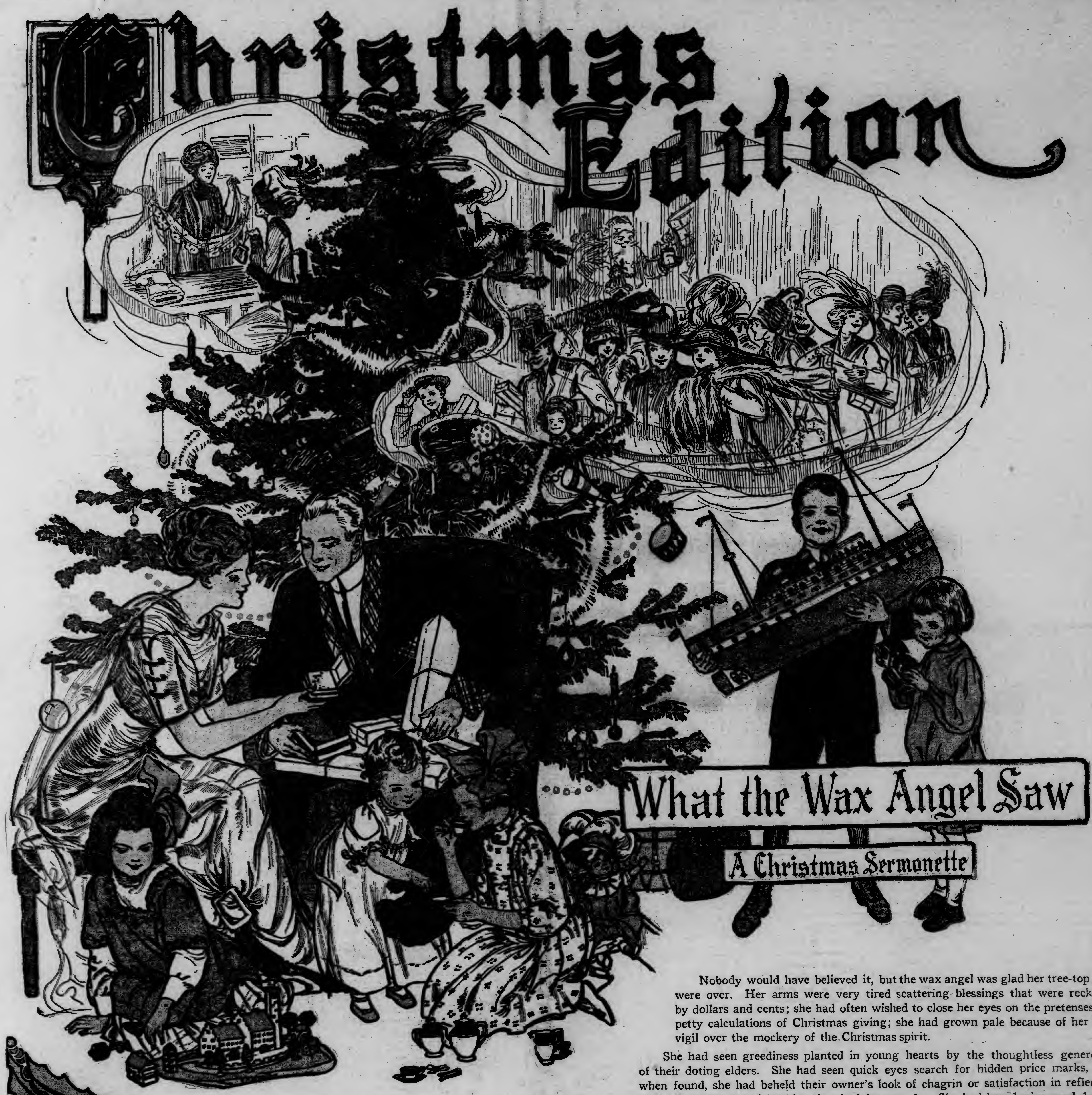


Christmas Edition

What the Wax Angel Saw

A Christmas Sermonette

THERE was once a little wax angel with golden hair and a blue silk sash, who was taken gently from her bed of cotton in the attic every year for many, many years and poised on the green spire of the great fir tree in the library. Her outstretched arms seemed always to be scattering blessings on the happy circle in the glow of the Christmas candles.

She had looked down on the first Christmas of the wide-eyed first born; she had smiled her waxen smile at the boisterous joys of ten, the sentiments of sixteen and the worldliness of forty. Indeed, her blue glass eyes had beheld the seven stages of Yuletide rejoicing.

Now, one day it was noticed that the beautiful blue sash of the little wax angel was faded and grimy, that her pink cheeks were pale, her nose quite flattened and her left foot gone.

"We'll have to use something else for the tree this year," said mother. "The little wax angel is all worn out."

And the next day her flattened nose was buried in the rubbage heap.

Nobody would have believed it, but the wax angel was glad her tree-top days were over. Her arms were very tired scattering blessings that were reckoned by dollars and cents; she had often wished to close her eyes on the pretenses and petty calculations of Christmas giving; she had grown pale because of her long vigil over the mockery of the Christmas spirit.

She had seen greediness planted in young hearts by the thoughtless generosity of their doting elders. She had seen quick eyes search for hidden price marks, and, when found, she had beheld their owner's look of chagrin or satisfaction in reflecting upon the exchange of baubles that had been made. She had heard wives and daughters and sons accept complacently enthusiastic thanks for lavish gifts—thanks which the wax angel knew were due only to the father over there with the weary eyes and the limp purse.

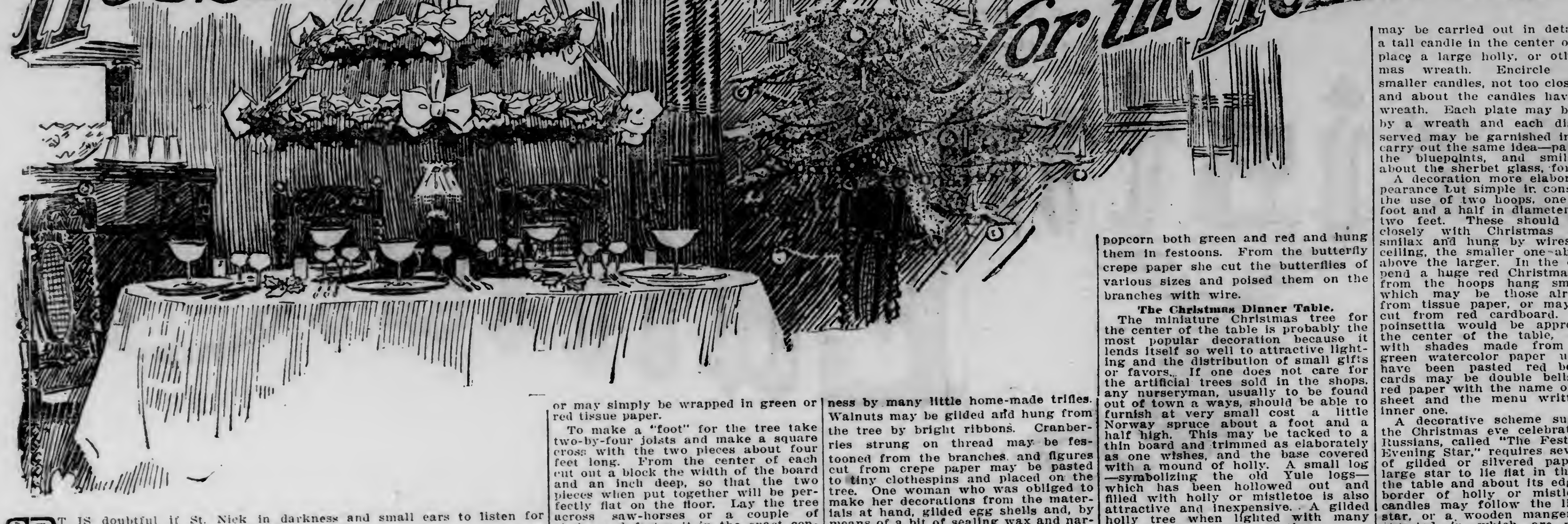
She knew, too, that the frenzied purchasing at the last minute, of that piece of real lace for the Rich Aunt had cost not only more than could be afforded, but it had cost also all the Christmas joy—meager enough—of the salesgirl who sold it. Its fussy, irritable selection had been the last straw at the end of many tired days. After the last sale the girl at the lace counter just crumpled up and lay on her bed all of that Christmas day and other days besides.

You see, it is given to little wax angels to see many things, hidden or unheeded by the best of us.

Suppose you resurrect the one that may have topped the Christmas tree of your youth—or perhaps only of your fancy. Let her unblinking eyes peer into your secret soul, and note if she finds there the real Christmas spirit, or the mockery thereof, that has paled her cheek and dimmed her blue glass eyes. Or perhaps it may have been a silvery star that glistened on your tree-top. Look if it has not been tarnished by your growing indifference to the good-will and kindness and other things for which it stands.

With a shining star, and all that it symbolizes, or an all-seeing little wax angel as your metnor, you will need no other Christmas sermon.

HOUSE & TABLE DECORATIONS for the HOLIDAYS



IT IS doubtful if St. Nick in all his travels ever beholds a dwelling in which no effort has been made to make festive the Yule-tide with the green of the leaf or the scarlet of the berry. Sometimes, when it is but a bit of faded ribbon or a tiny sprig of holly, the tender-hearted old fellow must be greatly touched.

In the household where there are big eyes to peer into the mysterious darkness and small ears to listen for the old saint's coming, the Christmas tree, of course, is the universal decoration. The home carpenter may have some difficulty in making a device to support a tree properly. One way is to use a stout packing box, and turning it on its side, nail cleats to hold the tree in place. On the opposite side of the box directly over the cleat inclosures a hole is then cut which is large enough to admit the butt of the tree. The box may be covered with cotton, sprinkled with mica, or may simply be wrapped in green or red tissue paper.

To make a "foot" for the tree take two-by-four joists and make a square cross with the two pieces about four feet long. From the center of each cut out a block the width of the board and an inch deep, so that the two pieces when put together will be perfectly flat on the floor. Lay the tree across saw-horses or a couple of chairs and fasten it in the exact center with long nails. Then stand the tree up and nail braces from the ends of the cross to the trunk of the tree at a distance of about two feet from the floor. Appropriate trees, in the order of their popularity, are the fir, spruce, hemlock and pine. The end of the tree should be painted over to keep the sap from running.

Besides the tinseled decorations for the tree that may be bought in the shops, one may add to its attractiveness by many little home-made trifles. Walnuts may be gilded and hung from the tree by bright ribbons. Cranberries strung on thread may be festooned from the branches, and figures cut from crepe paper may be pasted to tiny clothespins and placed on the tree. One woman who was obliged to make her decorations from the materials at hand, gilded egg shells and, by means of a bit of sealing wax and narrow ribbon, suspended them from the tree. She also dyed long strings of popcorn both green and red and hung them in festoons. From the butterfly crepe paper she cut the butterflies of various sizes and poised them on the branches with wire.

The Christmas Dinner Table.

The miniature Christmas tree for the center of the table is probably the most popular decoration because it lends itself so well to attractive lighting and the distribution of small gifts or favors. If one does not care for the artificial trees sold in the shops, any nurseryman, usually to be found out of town a ways, should be able to furnish at very small cost a little Norway spruce about a foot and a half high. This may be tacked to a thin board and trimmed as elaborately as one wishes, and the base covered with a mound of holly. A small log—symbolizing the old Yule logs—which has been hollowed out and filled with holly or mistletoe is also attractive and inexpensive. A gilded holly tree when lighted with many tiny candles is most effective.

The wreath idea in table decorating may be carried out in detail. About a tall candle in the center of the table place a large holly, or other Christmas wreath. Encircle this with smaller candles, not too close together, and about the candles have a larger wreath. Each plate may be encircled by a wreath and each dish that is served may be garnished in a way to carry out the same idea—parsley about the bluepoints, and smilax twined about the sherbet glass, for instance.

A decoration more elaborate in appearance but simple in construction is the use of two hoops, one perhaps a foot and a half in diameter, the other two feet. These should be wound closely with Christmas greens or smilax and hung by wires from the ceiling, the smaller one about a foot above the larger. In the center suspend a huge red Christmas bell, and from the hoops hang smaller bells which may be those already made from tissue paper, or may easily be cut from red cardboard. A scarlet poinsettia would be appropriate for the center of the table, or candles with shades made from white or green watercolor paper upon which have been pasted red bells. Place cards may be double bells cut from red paper with the name on the outer sheet and the menu written on the inner one.

A decorative scheme suggested by the Christmas eve celebration of the Russians, called "The Festival of the Evening Star," requires several sheets of gilded or silvered paper. Cut a large star to lie flat in the center of the table and about its edges make a border of holly or mistletoe. Tiny candles may follow the lines of the star, or a wooden manger be constructed in which are piled small gifts tied with ribbons that are carried to each place. The candle shades may be studded with little stars, and the place cards be cut in star shape.

For the small dining room with perhaps a dome swung from a single chain from the ceiling, ropes of cedar festooned from the molding to the center of the ceiling give a gala effect. The chain of the light should be wound with the cedar, and the glass covered with thin paper upon which fir trees cut from dark green paper have been pasted. Candles with shades fashioned in the same way add to the effect. For a center piece a great mound of snowballs, made from cotton sprinkled with diamond dust and containing some small gift, would be fitting.

A toy aeroplane, painted red or green, with the venerable Santa at the wheel, and the planes covered with drifted cotton snow which has formed irregular icicles depending from the edges, may seem a violation of the reindeer tradition, but it has the advantage of being quite new.

A Few Suggestions For the Children's Table.

Cover the table to within about a foot of the edge with white cotton sprinkled with mica dust, and outline the cotton with holly. Form a chimney in the center of bricks which are red candy boxes. Arrange the cotton about the top of the chimney like snow with bits of it hanging down, and place a figure of Santa Claus to look as though he were just emerging from the chimney. The children, at the conclusion of the dinner, may be given the candy boxes and the small gifts that Santa Clau's pack contains.

Gifts may also be secreted in a huge snowball made of pasteboard and covered with cotton, or each little article may be rolled in its own cotton snowball and the balls with white ribbons attached that lead to each place may be piled up about the figure of St. Nick in the center.

In place of "Dasher and Dancer and Prancer and Vixen" harness the beloved Teddy bears with scarlet ribbons to the sleigh that Santa drives over a mountainous snowheap in the center of the table. Or erect the North Pole—a mica sprinkled stick or rock candy—at the top of the glittering snowheap and place Teddy in a proud attitude of victory upon it.

RICH CHRISTMAS GIFTS TO DECORATE THE LADY

NEW YORK, Dec. 12. — The Christmas present problem is never simple, especially for the giver who has very little money to spend, but the solution should be less difficult than usual this year for those lucky mortals who need not confine their giving within the limitations imposed by a slender purse. The shops are full of delectable things, and so many of these are suited to feminine dress purposes that one is tempted to combine discussion of modes and of Christmas gifts.

Of course, mere man would be hopelessly at sea if he were turned loose among fluffy and frilly accessories of dress and told to select presents for the women on his Christmas list. Unless wife or sister leads him gently but firmly to milliner's, furrier's or dry goods shops and points out exactly what she wants him to buy for her he is much safer in a jewelry or leather goods establishment, or at a desk where he may write checks. But if a woman wants to give a dainty Christmas present to another woman, the shops are full of suggestions.

Only the things to wear properly belong to the province of this page, but there are so many pretty things to wear, from lingerie collars to imperial Russian sables, from satin slippers to diamond tiaras, things dainty enough to suit any fastidious woman at any price beyond a dollar or two, that of these alone a story may well be written.

The sables and tiaras may be left out of the discussion. Anyone who will or can buy such articles is likely to have definite ideas about the sort of thing she wants and does not need advice. But when the talk comes down to consideration of less ambitious furs and coiffure ornaments the average buyer is interested.

Fox Sets of All Kinds.

Furs are always an acceptable gift and while handsome furs are necessarily costly, this season is particularly rich in fur accessories of comparatively reasonable price. The fur neckpieces, for example, are not extravagantly expensive when combined with tapestry or satin or velvet, for only a small amount of fur is required. To be sure, many of theso are but a passing fad, but they make a charming complement to the costume and any woman who dresses smartly is fairly sure to be pleased with a set of this sort, provided it is becoming.

Fox furs of all kinds are popular this season and while some are enormously expensive, others are fairly moderate in price, as furs go. Many chic muffs are made up in combinations of chiffon, satin or braid. The white fox set in the sketch has a muff which is combined with chiffon and fox. The neckpiece is made of ono skin and falls just to the waistline. A turban to match completes the set, a large round affair, trimmed at the side with three tiny metal roses.

The 3-piece set in fur will be most favored as a Christmas gift by those whose purses will stand its cost.

Fox sets are in great favor this year, and many of the smartly dressed women one sees parading up and down Fifth avenue wear tailored street costumes of woolen material or velvet and large, fluffy scarfs and enormous muffs of fox, in the natural color, blue or pointed. A gift of one of these handsome fox sets would surely gladden any girl's heart.

Black lynx, while enormously expensive, is greatly worn this winter and is made up in most attractive shapes—wide flat scarfs or stoles and enormous flat, soft muffs.

While marabou is not new, very charming sets of light lined scarfs and muffs, with turbans to match, are being made up for evening wear.

Enchanting Neckwear.

As for the stocks, collars, jabots and rabats of lingerie, net and lace, never was such a bewilderingly pretty assortment of these things shown. There are high turned down collars of linen, hand-embroidered and inset with Irish or Cluny, or collars of Irish lace; there are shaped collars of hand-embroidered linen or collars of lace which fasten in the back, and a host of exquisite little stocks has been designed, graduating from the simple, close high collar or fine net, finished with a ruche at the top and a cravat at the bottom to elaborate affairs, hand-embroidered or trimmed in real lace and finished with dainty frills, jabots or plaitings.

Apropos of cravats, for an expensive gift one might wisely select some one of the pretty little cravats which are made separately for wear with the sheer yoke or collar. These come in various forms. Some are narrow folds of black silk or velvet fitting around the base of the collar and finished at the throat and at the ends with small flowers made of various shades of silk or narrow ribbon. Some of these are merely long bands and are to be drawn around the throat and knotted loosely either at the base of the throat in front or lower on the yoke.

There are many other attractive little cravats of loops and knots of some one of the various colored silk or velvet ribbon to be worn at the base of the throat among soft frills of lace.

A pair of pretty slippers for house wear or slippers for evening wear, with a buckle, rosette or bow, would be a practical Christmas gift. Party shoes, too, for carriage wear over slippers make Christmas gifts that are both ornamental and useful, and quaint little mules for bedroom use come in most attractive guise, made of delicate brocades, gold embroidered, in simpler form, etc.

And then there are the fur-lined motor shoes. These make another Christmas present worth having, and, though necessarily clumsy, since they are to be worn over ordinary boots and the fur adds to the bulk, they may be very attractive and will certainly be comfortable for winter motoring.

Pretties for the Hair.

Coiffure ornaments are always in order for gifts and this winter numbers of them are being made up for the Christmas trade. There are bandeaux and jeweled bands set off by aigrettes which are held by a flashing jeweled ornament. Soft shirred ribbon bands ornamented by ribbon roses are particularly popular.

The theater cap and breakfast caps and evening turbans and empire scarfs will all figure extensively among the gifts at this year's Christmas giving. There are also bewitching little nightcaps which are to be found in some of the importers' shops—cobwebby trifles of lingerie and lace hand embroidered and ribbon trimmed, which are not at all inexpensive but will make practical and dainty gifts.

Matinees in every degree of beauty and costliness are good Christmas gifts and many of the comparatively inexpensive models are wonderfully attractive. Most of the negligees of the Japanese kimono type, hand embroidered and in some of the delicate colors, make admirable gifts. Smart lingerie is always expensive, but makes most acceptable gifts, and there are to be found lovely models in nightrobes and petticoats, elaborately trimmed in baby Irish, fine hand tucking and hand embroidery.

Yuletide Proverbs.

The wise man begs to express much more than proverbial wishes that his entire clientele may enjoy the merriest of merry Christmas.

The universal spread of dolldom and drumdom is infinitely preferable to that of the doldrums.

Our early days will not, indeed, come back, yet is Christmas an Indian summer evening to the venerable, a reviving reminiscence of youth.

"The mirror of all courtesy" should be polished on Christmas day.

"A royal train, believe me," is the reindeer equipage of good old St. Nick.

A Christmas motto:

His heart and hand both open and both free,
For what he has he gives, what things he shows,
Yet gives he not till judgment guide his bounty.

"Nature teaches beasts to know their friends," and why should they not share in the Christmas good will.

"Sweet mercy is nobility's true badge." Let us inwardly digest this truism with the Christmas cheer.

"Enough, with overmeasure," will probably characterize the Christmas possessions of a majority of us.

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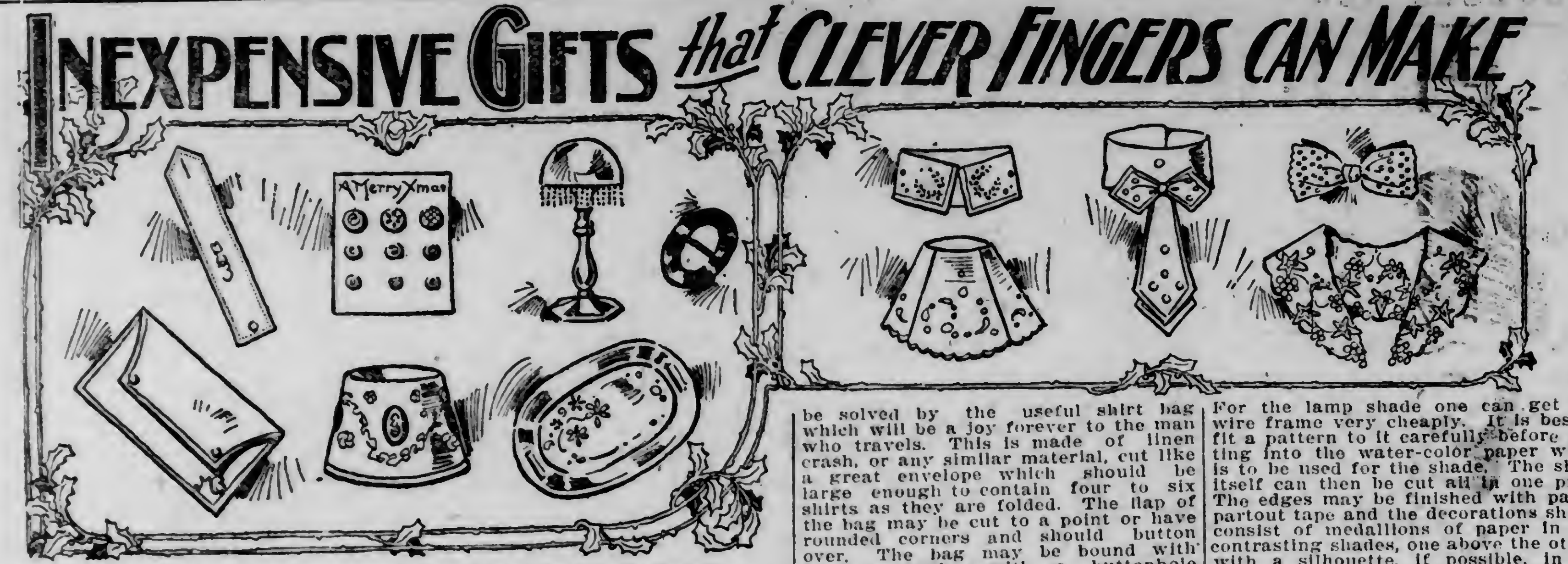

THERE is often more of the real Christmas spirit—that will o' the wisp we prate about and rarely come upon—in the gift of a hemstitched pocket-handkerchief than in that of a cut glass berry bowl. Who has not felt a teary sort of warmth about the cockles of one's heart when the removal of dainty wrappings discloses a little gift, no matter how simple, that has been fashioned by the loving fingers of a friend? One pictures her sitting in the glow of the lamplight, perhaps, embroidering kindly thoughts into the bit of work she holds in her hands. One knows she has given many minutes of her busy life, which is like a gift of gold in these days of stress and hurry.

The wise woman will have turned to account the summer afternoons on the piazza and the results of her "pick-up" work will provide many simple little gifts. The woman whose pocketbook will not meet the demands of her generosity should be able to contrive many charming remembrances if she is willing to give a little time and utilize materials she may have at hand.

If one embroiders well there is no end to the useful gifts that may be made from a yard or so of linen. There are the linen napkin rings, which may be made of fine linen which should be folded double in a band about three inches wide, and long enough to encircle the napkin. On one end is the button and on the other, which is cut in a point, is the buttonhole. When these are embroidered with a monogram or a spray of flowers, starched stiff and buttoned over a dainty card the ymake a most acceptable gift.

An embroidered candle shade mounted on a wire frame, which has been covered with thin silk the color of the boudoir for which it is intended, would be appreciated by the woman who has the "washable" hobby.

An attractive tray may be made by having an embroidered centerpiece framed in a plain wood frame. The back should be covered with felt, and brass handles may be added to the frame if wished.

From linen crash may be made a neat covering for the contents of a suit-case, either bound about the edges with braid or finished with scallop embroidery and having a monogram in one corner. Then there is an infinite variety of bags which may be made from linen or crash or cretonne, from the delicately embroidered, lace-trimmed corset bag to the sturdy kitchen bag for string, or dust cloths, or clothespins.

A most inexpensive gift is crochet buttons. These may be all the same size or in assorted sizes. The wooden molds are first covered with white linene over cotton cloth, and then the crochet circle of the proper size fitted over them. They should be caught on to a dark green card which might have a Christmas greeting painted on in fancy lettering.

The jabot will be an appreciated gift again this season as its popularity has not seemed to wane in the least. These are most acceptable in any form, either having the tailored effect of hemstitching and tucks, primly scalloped edges and tiny buttons, or the fluffy, frilly charm of fine laces and dainty embroideries.

The baffling "man problem" may be solved by the useful shirt bag which will be a joy forever to the man who travels. This is made of linen crash, or any similar material, cut like a great envelope which should be large enough to contain four to six shirts as they are folded. The flap of the bag may be cut to a point or have rounded corners and should button over. The bag may be bound with braid or worked with a buttonhole stitch about the edge, and have a monogram in the corner.

The woman who likes to knit will enjoy making knitted reins for some child. These are made so as to slip over the neck of the child like a harness and if trimmed with numerous little bells will be a great delight. They may also be made from ribbon. The ribbon hoops for the baby, also with their tiny tinkling bells, may, quite as well, be covered with bright knitted yarn. Another gift for the baby is a chamois ball. This is made from pieces of chamois cut about the size and shape of the sections of an orange and crocheted together after the edges have been buttonholed. When this is stuffed with cotton it makes a soft, pretty ball.

Another gift for his small highness which his mother will also appreciate and his father will borrow when he has the toothache, is the tiny hot water bag which has been covered with a crocheted bag or one made of soft flannel.

A thoughtful little gift for the work bag is the scissors protector. Cover a cork with crochet of colored silk and crochet a chain by which it may be attached to the work bag. Then when the scissors are not in use the point may be stuck into the cork, instead of boring holes in the contents of the bag as they have a way of doing.

If one is anything of an artist, Christmas shopping is robbed of its terrors, for the things that may be made from hand-tinted silks or hand-decorated paper are legion. There are the delightful Empire shades for the bedroom lamp, and the smaller shades for the candle or electric drop-light. For the lamp shade one can get the wire frame very cheaply. It is best to fit a pattern to it carefully before cutting into the water-color paper which is to be used for the shade. The shade itself can then be cut all in one piece. The edges may be finished with passe-partout tape and the decorations should consist of medallions of paper in two contrasting shades, one above the other, with a silhouette, if possible, in the center, or a group of small figures cut from some old print. About the medallions should be painted delicate sprays of leaves, or if one is not able to paint, wreaths may be cut from wall papers of appropriate design.

More expensive and elaborate shades have thin silk shirred over the frames with a finish at the top and bottom of tiny roses made from ribbon. Another idea for the bedroom gift is the colonial pincushion. Buy one of the inexpensive glass candle sticks in colonial design. Cut a small square of cardboard, perhaps about four inches square, and cover one side neatly with cretonne. From a mound-like cushion of cotton on the other side and cover with cretonne. Then fasten the cushion on top of the candle stick by fine wires or thread and sew around the edges of the cushion about a two-inch fringe of white beads. You will have a most quaint, unique cushion.

Sets of heavy white envelopes in the corner of which have been pain' sprays or wreaths of blossoms may contain all sorts of "help around the house" such as rubber bands, labels for fruit jars or medicines, choice recipes, and also sachet powders, and a dozen or so dinner cards all decorated for use. For the school girl an envelope bearing the words "sweet sixteen" could contain sixteen tested recipes for candy.

Attractive buckles may be made from padded ovals or circles of cardboard covered with velvet or silk and having a simple design worked out in jet beads, or tiny jewels. A silk cord may be fastened through the center of the buckle and the buckle then threaded onto a soft ribbon or sash.

PLANT DECORATION IN CHRISTMAS FESTIVITIES

From "Nature and Science," in December St. Nicholas: No other holiday or special occasion is so closely and so widely connected with so broad a range of plant life as is Christmas. Easter is limited to the flowers, and Arbor day to the trees, but, more extensively than either, Christmas uses both trees and flowers, and adds to them the evergreen ferns, and also a lower form of plant life that is neither a fern nor a moss, but is known to the botanists as a "fern ally" or a "clubmoss,"—the trailing Christmas green (Lycopodium complanatum.)

It was pointed out in "Nature and Science" for July, 1900, that the variety of the club-mosses is closely associated with two important holidays. The plant is used for decorating at Christmas, and known as "ground-pine" or Christmas green, while a large quantity of the spores is used in colored fire and sky-rockets for Fourth of July celebrations.

For Christmas decorations we use many forms of plant life, even a parasite (that is, a plant that feeds on another) in the familiar mistletoe often brought from England, and our own false mistletoe (Phoradendron), less commonly seen.

The amount of plant material used in the form of Christmas trees is enormous, more than four millions being required in the United States each season. What this country uses equals that of England, Scotland and Wales combined, and is about 25 per cent greater than that of Germany. Taking into consideration, however, the population of the United States and of the other countries, the relative or per capita use of Christmas trees is undoubtedly less in this country than in Germany, and about the same as in England.

The question naturally arises, in view of this astonishing use of young trees, is it commendable when the need for the conservation of our forests is becoming so generally realized?

The forest service of the United States department of agriculture explains that the answer depends wholly on the method of cutting.

If improperly done, the effect is bad; if done in a scientific way, it is not only commendable, but is one of the best methods of promoting the cause of forestry. The United States forest service, therefore, urgent in its plea for preserving the forests, approves of the liberal use of evergreen trees in Christmas decorations. Ex-Forester Gifford Pinchot says:

"Yes, it is consistent and proper that the custom should be maintained. Trees are for use, and there is no other purpose to which they could be put which would contribute so much to the joy of man as their use by the children at this one great holiday of the year. The number of evergreen trees which are cut for this object each year is utterly insignificant when compared with the consumption for other purposes for which timber is demanded. Not more than 4,000,000 Christmas trees are used each year, one in every fourth family. If planted four feet apart they could be grown on less than 1,500 acres. This clearing of an area equal to a good-sized farm each Christmas should not be a subject of much worry when it is remembered that for lumber alone it is necessary to take timber from an area of more than 100,000 acres every day of the year.

"That the use of Christmas trees is perfectly in keeping with the welfare of the forest is fully proved by the practice in Germany. The cutting of small trees is there not considered in the least as a menace, but, on the contrary, as a means of improvement and as a source of revenue, and is therefore constantly encouraged. It is not by denying ourselves the wholesome pleasure of having a bit of nature in our homes at Christmas that we shall preserve our forests, but by learning how to use those forests wisely and properly."

MERRY CHRISTMAS
1910

There is little doubt that the present thoughtless cropping every year of many young evergreens for Christmas trees has produced in many cases a bad effect on the future supply of these species. If the woodlands were under a proper forestry management, no harm would be done, for the yearly thinnings would satisfy even a greater market demand for Christmas trees than now exists. In Germany the greatest number of such trees come from the most carefully managed forests. The forester simply indicates to the dealer the stands which should be thinned, sees that his instructions are carried out, and the buyer himself does the rest and there is scarcely a hut in Germany without a Christmas tree.

The two or three hundred mature trees which one finds on an acre are only "the fittest" which have survived in the race for life that was begun by several thousand. One frequently finds in Maine and in the Adirondacks, which are the principal sources of supply for Christmas trees, as many as from 50,000 to 100,000 young seedlings on an acre. It is evident that only a small portion of these can reach maturity, the others being doomed to perish in the course of the development of the stand. It is necessary for the production of tall, clean timber that there should be, at the beginning, many trees to the acre, because only in this way are the lower branches shaded and killed, and trees forced to grow in height. In the course of nature, those trees die that lag behind in growth, they fall to the ground and rot, and often become breeding places for insects and fungi. Trees that have been left behind in the race do not, however, die at once; they often persist for years and frequently hamper the development of better ones. Especially on poor soil, where the growth is in general slow, and where no individual tree has strength enough to kill its neighbors and so get more light and growing space for itself, a state of stagnation and deterioration of the whole stand may take place. Many a balsam-fir or black-spruce swamp in Maine and in the Adirondacks is in just this condition. Man by interfering in the struggle, and by a timely thinning out of all loiterers, can hasten the development of the remaining trees, and at the same time find a useful service for those that are taken out. The application of forestry hinges, in many localities mainly on the possibility of finding a market for the small trees to pay for the cost of thinning them. The use of small evergreens at Christmas offers, therefore, the most favorable opportunity for the improvement of the forest.

For these good reasons, we need not worry over what, at first sight, seems a wicked waste of trees which, at Christmas, are used for only a short time and are then thrown away. We may rather feel that by buying such trees we are not only giving ourselves pleasure, but are actually helping the trees that remain in the forest.

FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

CAPTIVE airships which whiz around on a string are complete in every detail, and those made in celluloid are splendid toys that boys will be delighted to receive for Christmas presents. The popularity of electrical traction is reflected in the increased sales of electric trains and trams. The motor car and taxicab figure prominently on the shelves. These are provided with hooters, adjustable hoods, windows which can be lowered, glass screens, lamps and even the telltale taximeter itself.

Monkeys and bears on trapezes, which squeal and grunt continually, are new and are bound to cause endless fun. There are those which turn innumerable somersaults until the motive power gives out.

In the parlor and board game department new ideas are rampant. The old-fashioned Christmas tree may be superseded by the lucky pies, a big box full of prizes bearing numbers, which have to be drawn for.

The Always Popular Tool Chest.

There are few boys who are not "tickled to death" when Santa Claus leaves them a tool box, and now that manual training is taught in the schools most boys know how to use the tools intelligently. But they must be of the best quality to be of any practical value. And a watch! Well, the height of a boy's glory is reached when he gets a really truly timepiece. The popularity of the watch is well exemplified in one of Mr. Dooley's famous stories, in which the hero prayed for a watch as a Christmas gift, but, much to his disgust, received a hair chain that raveled.

Things a Boy Likes.

He likes a pair of hockey skates, footballs, an air rifle, college pennants, a desk, games, jack knives, tie clips, and if you want to delight his heart give him a silver pocket knife with his monogram on it. School and college pins and just now the monogram scarfpin may be what he'll want. Among more useful presents are to be found sweaters, school or dress suits. If the boy is interested in wireless telegraphy all kinds of batteries and appliances will help along the cause. Should you want a present for the small boy or for one of larger growth who belongs to a drum corps get him a really good drum and he'll be happy, but his parents probably will suffer. What difference? It's Christmas!

What a Girl Likes.

If she is a wee lassie who can just trundle a doll's carriage or is old enough to feel the real responsibility of a dollie as big as herself, she'll like nothing better than one of the up to date baby carts exactly like those a real baby takes her airing in. There is a new model put out for the Christmas trade and the cheapest of them sells for $3.50. The shape is the same at all prices, the difference being merely in the appointments of the carriage. Of course, the very wee girl will have an old fashioned model or a very tiny replica of this new variety.

Proud as Punch is the small girl when she wears her set of furs that Kris Kringle has brought her. This year there is a fascinating assortment of these sets, ranging all the way from ermine to the near ermine, which is just plain rabbit or cat, but pretty and dainty nevertheless. Chinchilla is an attractive pelt for young girls, and lately even the black furs have been considered smart for youthful wearers.

FOR BUSINESS GIRLS

THERE is no safer investment in the way of a Christmas present for any woman, young or old, than a scarf that may be used for afternoon and evening wear. Scarfs are the direct outcome of the vogue for tunics, fichus, berthas and draped skirts that have invaded the fashions this winter. One scarf can serve a number of purposes. It can be used as fichu on a house gown or worn as a shoulder cape under the evening cloak or adapted to serve as a headdress.

An Ivory Toilet Set.

"I've put my silver set away and now use the ivory toilet set Aunt Marion sent me last Christmas," was the very pertinent remark made recently by a girl who is successfully working her way to a good salary if not to fame. Yes, there are such comfort and smartness about the new ivory toilet sets that every girl is pleased with them. It is, however, much better to give one or two pieces at a time of the very best quality of ivory than to try to cover a larger field.

Pocket Writing Case.

Why not give her a stationary writing case? You can buy such a venience for $2.25 of fine, durable leather which holds a quire of paper, envelopes, fountain pen and stamps. Or a good print neatly framed to hang in her room is an acceptable gift, and even a calendar, if artistic, is not to be despised. But do be careful if you give her a book, and don't send an edition of Ibsen to the girl who loves the lightest kind of fiction, or vice versa. Handkerchiefs and gloves she'll flippantly dub as "commonplace," but she'll be grateful for the gift later on. Silk stockings are always winners in the gift line, and pretty combs for the hair, or an umbrella if it has a stunning handle.

Handy Powder Bag.

The stress and strain of the day's work never seem to make the business girl oblivious to the fact that her nose may be shiny and that a judicious bag of powder will add as much to her well being as the drop of oil given the rod of her typewriting machine. In other words, if you give the business girl a smart little powder bag, she will bless you as long as the vanity case lasts. She can conveniently dispose of the little bag in her pocket and surreptitiously give her nose a dab that will add to her satisfaction during the day.

The useful trifle is to be purchased at most department stores and comes in a Christmas box decorated with sprays of holly. There is a glass in one section, and in the other a pocket conceals a tiny chamois bag filled with powder. Small incisions have to be made in the chamois to allow for the outlet of the powder.

Child's Clothes Rack.

A useful and attractive gift for a child is a clothes rack which may be hung on the nursery wall.

A piece of wood twenty inches wide and five inches deep will do nicely for the foundation of the rack.

Cut a piece of white linen one inch larger than the board. Lay it on a table over a piece of blotting paper and fasten down with thumb tacks. Next transfer the design on the material by means of light blue carbon paper. Then tint the drawing with water color paints.

When the embroidery is finished place the material on the board and paste the edges on the back. Cover the edges with a piece of lining paper, tack on the ribbon and screw in the hooks.

WRAPPING OF PRESENTS.

Dainty Coverings That Render Gifts Half Again as Acceptable.

With the approach of the holiday season those who are thrifty and forehanded in the little matter of their gifts and the giving of them will buy a suitable box for each new present they select, or they will, upon collecting all their gifts together, measure and make a list of their sizes and then, upon some delightful afternoon or evening, will be in the pleasant business of decorating them.

They will be plain white to begin with, and they will no doubt be of varying shapes—square, round, oblong and even perhaps heart shaped or triangular—for the box of today is an interesting little article and the correct boxing and wrapping of gifts a science that renders the gift half again as acceptable.

The designs in holly and mistletoe are intended to be traced upon the box lids and touched with a quick dash of opaque water color. No art is required, but only a deft touch and neatness, besides the little pans of vermilion, green, black and white, which may be had in opaque paint, and a small camel's hair brush.

The round design, a conventional holly wreath, may be used on the round and the square box and even on one end of the oblong shape. Either of the smaller ones belongs to the smallest boxes of almost every shape, and they may aso be repeated upon the paper that wraps the box if this method of decoration is preferred to a spray of actual holly.

THE MISTLETOE BOUGH.

The mistletoe boughs and sprigs bring again to mind the superstitions regarding this curious parasite.

For many generations after the last Druid was dust the mistletoe had its votaries. The plant had almost every medicinal property, according to early physicians. It was believed to be a remedy for ills, physical, mental and sentimental. In pagan days it was dedicated to Olwen, the Celtic Venus, and through the ages the plant and the tender passion were rather intimately intwined. Kissing beneath it began so far back in history that no one has ever attempted to trace the custom to its youth.

The Druids, in common with almost all primitive men, had a deep reverence of the idea of the trinity—the number three. The white berries of the mistletoe are often found in groups of three, and this circumstance as well as the fact that the berries ripen at the sacred season, although they flower with apple blossoms and wild roses, must have impressed them. At all events, the white boughs were gathered near the end of the year and played an important part in the ceremonies of December.

The Druids did not regard all mistletoe with reverence, or at least they did not gather it in their ceremonies from any tree except the oak, which was their sacred tree. Now the mistletoe almost never grows on oak trees. In England, the continent of Europe and in America the pretty parasitic growth, the Viscum album of the botanists, is found growing on apple trees, willows, larches, sycamores, poplars, elms and many other trees, but very rarely on oak trees.

Useful Holiday Gifts

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Of the many presents suitable for the men folks on Christmas you can find nothing better than something to wear—say a shirt, tie, muffler, gloves or whatever you may select that's useful or will add to his comfort and appearance.

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Hundreds of exquisite patterns, rich shades of plain colors and fancy weaves in the newest styles, made from the finest imported and domestic silks. You can't find a better assortment between New York and Portland—every kind, color and quality you want—
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SHIRTS—
This is a present that is always appreciated, for a man never has too many. Our showing this holiday season is exceptionally good, for we've the largest and finest display we have ever had. All the smartest colors and patterns are shown in a wide range of the best styles—All size neck bands—all length sleeves—
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For Everybody.

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Christmas cheer is not for the employes of Uncle Sam in the postoffice department. They must give their best efforts for many hours on many days before Christmas that the gifts of love entrusted to them, may reach those to whom they are consigned. The American people have not yet all learned to shop early or mail early and in the week before Christmas the mails are increased to three or four times their normal size and the postoffice employes are buried under a flood of letters and packages. They must extricate themselves as best they can and to the satisfaction of the patrons of the service.

The carriers bear the major share of the burden. People figure on getting their gifts to their destination about Christmas day or the day before. Some of the more thoughtful mail their packages earlier and earn the gratitude of every postoffice employe who handles them. But the great majority of people are not so thoughtful and the two or three days before Christmas are days of arduous labor for the carriers. They are required to make two or three trips to go over their routes. On the day before Christmas and on Christmas day, some of them are required to call in the assistance of hourses and sleighs to bear their burdens. Christmas day, when others are resting, the carriers are trudging through snow-drifts delivering belated gifts. The same is true of the day after Christmas and it is not until two or three days after the holiday that the carrier can straighten up his weary back and offer thanks that Christmas comes but once a year.

Because he must walk through the drifts and bear his sack of letters and packages, the carrier's work is the most wearing, but the clerks get their full share of Christmas work. Every mail is greater in volume by three or four times than normal mail. The clerks are under a continual strain on Christmas before Christmas and after Christmas and, on Christmas day, they must work while others are enjoying the cheer of that day.

Applies to All Branches.

The Christmas rush applies to all branches of the postoffice service. The stamp and general delivery windows are open only certain hours and those in attendance do not get the heavy work of the clerks and carriers, but they are brought into constant contact with a stream of impatient, "fussy," unreasonable people out on their tour of holiday shopping and shipping. The general delivery and stamp clerk who doesn't lose his or her temper many times a day during the Christmas rush is a marvel of patience.

The money order and registry departments also get their share of the flood. Most small valuables sent at Christmas time go through the mails and are registered. During the week before Christmas, there is always a line of people in front of the registry window and the registry clerks are called upon to exercise the same brand of patience that the stamp window and general delivery clerks show, if they are not to be completely worn out by the strain.

Money Orders.

In Duluth especially, the money order business at Christmas time is heavy. Duluth is a center for a great number of people of foreign birth, who remember the people at home at Christmas time with gifts of money. Many thousands of dollars are sent to foreign countries from Duluth during December every year and the rush of foreign born people, some of them totally ignorant of English, is one of the hardest to handle in the postoffice work. The rush of foreign money orders is almost over now, as orders must be dispatched early if they are to arrive at their destinations before Christmas, but the native-born people, who are sending home money for Christmas, are now forming a rush that will continue up to Christmas day, so that the money order department will not fall into routine when the flood of foreign orders subsides.

The stamp window clerks have been relieved of a heavy burden in Duluth this year by the opening of an information and weighing window. The window was opened some weeks ago, but it is a little-known innovation and its real worth will come out during the Christmas season. Instead of asking the stamp clerk how long it will take to carry a package to Four Corner, N. H., or how much postage will be required for "this package of books without any writing," one will go to the information clerk and the clerks at the stamp windows will be required to do nothing but sell stamps. The innovation will facilitate the work of the office, for the great delay at the stamp windows in the past has been caused by the necessity of stamp clerks turning from their primary duties to weigh packages and answer questions. They will sell stamps this year and dispose o fpeople so rapidly that the vexatious delays in the line may be avoided.

Christmas at the White House

If rank imposes upon our presidents the obligation to celebrate the holidays in a manner to emphasize the best traditions of American domestic life, the families of the president and of the ex-president have more than met their obligations. Nowhere is Christmas a simpler expression of good will and merriment and the genuine sentiment of the season, than it is within the walls of the White House. Every Christmas, when Roosevelt was president, the doors opened wide at holiday time to welcome home from college the sons and daughters and their friends invited to spend the Yuletide at the gay social hub of the nation's capital, and the same dors have swung wide to admit the Taft brood and their many friends.

The Tafts look forward to the holidays with particular pleasure because often in the past circumstances did not permit of a complete family reunion at Christmas time. Sometimes it was the father who was absent, during the period when Taft was governor of the Philippines or engaged in his extensive travels; often it was one of the children, when they were attending widely separated schools in the United States. Then, too, the Tafts lived a great deal in hotels and rented houses, so that Christmas in the White House has the added joy of being, so to speak, under their own roof tree.

In a few days now the children will begin to return from college for two weeks of festivities. Robert, the eldest, will come from Yale, Miss Helen from Philadelphia, where she attends Bryn Mawr, and Charlie, the youngest of the family, from Connecticut, where he is a pupil in his uncle's school. If the Christmas jollifications assume any formal tone it is safe to say that "Cheerful Charlie," as he is called, may be counted upon to infuse enthusiasm and spontaneity into all proceedings. He is a great favorite about the executive mansion, but is quite unspoiled.

Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Taft's sister, who has been at the White House almost constantly during the present administration, will no doubt be one of the large family to sit down to Christmas dinner in the big dining room. The Taft family are noted for the strong ties of affection that exist among every branch of the family. The four brothers with their families have made it a point for many years to spend the summer vacations together at Murray Bay, on the St. Lawrence river, so that

the Taft family will probably be represented by a large number at the Christmas festivities. Then there is the president's private secretary, who is always considered one of the home as well as of the official family. Monico Lopez Lare, the Filipino boy, who for about six years has been Mr. Taft's valet and general utility man, is sure to come in for his share of the holiday good will and cheer.

Full-fledged Christmas trees have not been used at the White House in recent years, though Quentin Roosevelt and Archie used to surprise the family with a miniature one they had trimmed on Christmas morning. The gifts are distributed in the large circular room or the room on the second floor, which is a sort of family sitting-room, and the cosiest room in the house.

Mrs. Taft is one woman in the country who need give no thought whatever to the holiday larder. From farmers, fruit growers, poultrymen, dairymen and bakers all over the country comes the best their stock affords. The president never knows who sends these things, but the secretary dispatches official thanks to the senders. Only one among the participants in the Christmas donation party is known. For forty years Henry Vose, who raises poultry in Rhode Island, has sent a prize Christmas turkey to the White House, and it is his bird that is served on that day. Some of the chestnut-fed gobblers have weighed as much as thirty-six pounds.

Christmas dinner is served on the Colonial china which Mrs. Roosevelt had made to order, decorated in gold. It was made from an exclusive design which is patented and copyrighted so that no other drumstick in the land will rest upon the same sort of gilt-edged dish.

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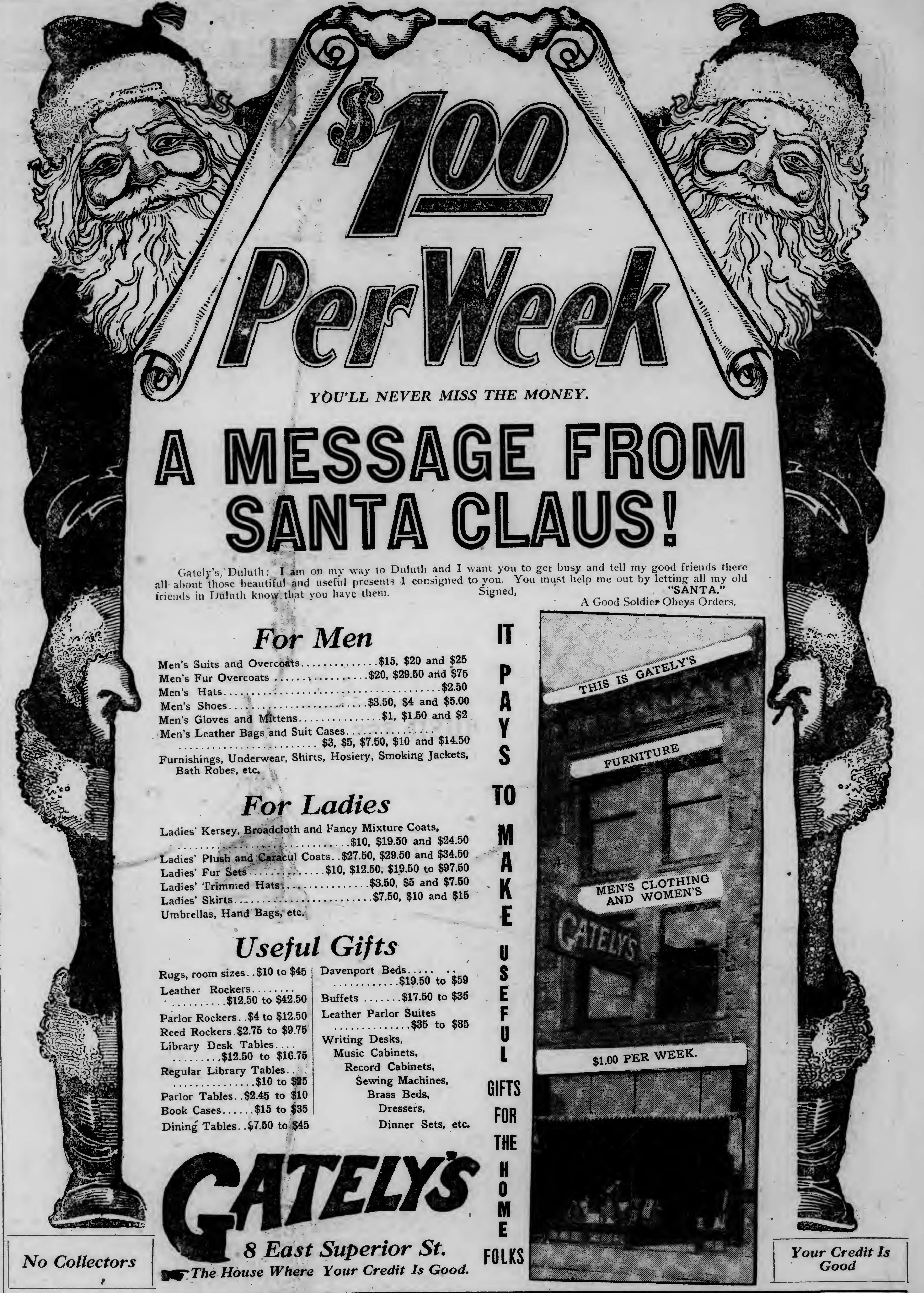

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Book Cases......$15 to $35
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Alone in a big city on Christmas day. No one but the stranger, far from home and friends, who is compelled to spend Christmas day in a city whose streets are unfamiliar and whose faces are the faces of strangers, can ever fully appreciate the full significance of being alone in a big city on that day of all days, Christmas day. If ever there was a day in the year when one does not want to be alone in a strange city, that day is Christmas.

The stranger awakes on Christmas morning with no fond recollections of a happy evening before spent 'round a family Christmas tree. Be the day dark and stormy or clear and cold, it is all the same to him, it takes on a gray hue that lasts the entire day. Mechanically he dresses as his thoughts turn backward to other and more happier Christmases. He hustles down stairs, thinking to find some respite from the weight which seems upon him. But on every hand old friends are greeting one another with a "Merry Christmas." He steps out into the fresh air only to hear more friends greet each other in merry salutation as they hurry along the street.

A Day Void of Cheer.

Breakfast over he sits himself down to read the day's news. On the front page, staring him in the face, is a big Christmas story telling of the joys of the day. Try as he will he cannot concentrate his thought on the page, his memory wings its flight back to other Christmas days. He strolls out into the open day hoping against hope to find something that will cheer him in his utter loneliness. But all he sees is the joy on other faces. Be he of the most philosophical turn of mind, ever ready to find joy in the happiness of others, he feels, nevertheless, a tugging at his heart strings as he finds himself left out of all the greetings.

The hours drag on till dinner time and he enters the cafe believing that the cheering music will take his thoughts away from his own loneliness. All about him is gaiety, dinner parties are reveling in keenest delight, friends greet friends with happiest salutation. The dinner is fine but somehow every mouthful seems to choke him and weary with the efforts to repress the sadness of his heart he leaves the dining room and wanders off to commune with himself and his own bitter thoughts. Exhausted, and the afternoon is half gone, he throws himself down only to dream of joyous scenes in which he can have no part. He awakes, a dull pain in his head, to find himself and more lonely than ever.

Goes to the Play Alone.

He thinks that perchance a play will divert his attention. He goes to the play—alone. The crowds come in jolly parties and every one seems merry. He wishes he hadn't come. Then the curtain goes up. The play is a comedy and he thinks with bitterness how illy the comedy jibes with his own feelings. Everything is out of tune. Nothing seems to please. Or mayhap the play is a tragedy. It fits better with his mood for he wishes he had not seen it for—well—he has the blues already and the tragedy has only served to make him feel worse.

The play over, he wanders home. He sees the happy throngs going to the cafes for the after theater lunches. He looks wistfully on and wishes he were one with them. But no, he is a stranger, he must be but a bystander.

At last, the long dreary day over, he sinks down to weary sleep vowing with his last waking thought that never again wil he spend Christmas alone in a strange city, no, not even if he has to go home on a freight train.

Duluth will have few such persons, for the hotels are generally deserted on Christmas day.

"YULETIDE" HAD ITS GENESIS AMONG EARLY HEATHEN RACES

Yuletide, which to us means Christmas time, is a term which had its genesis among the heathen dwellers of North Europe in the black ages before the light of Christianity had penetrated beyond the limits of Roman civilization. Wild Teutons who led primeval lives were the first men to use the word Yule. To them it had no Christian significance and meant nothing like Christmas, for they were all heathens. It was simply the name of a winter month, presumably January or December.

As the various branches of the Teutonic race scattered, each carried the word away. It is to be found in about the same form in the language of the Icelanders, of the Swiss, of the Danish, of the Goths and of the hardy Norsemen—that race whose leader is said to have come to the shores of America hundreds of years before Columbus landed at San Salvador.

Later the missionaries of the Christian religion reached and converted the scattered descendants of those mediaeval savages that first spoke the Teutonic tongue. They taught them the story of Christmas and in some Teutonic races the Christmas time became known as the Yuletide because the birthday of the Savior came during the winter period which the Teutons called Yule.

It was among the English and the Scandinavians that Christmas became known as Yule and it was in those nations that the ceremonies of the Yuletide were celebrated. One of those of particular interest was that of the Yule-log, which is practiced to this day. The Yule-log was a great timber placed on the open hearth as the foundation for a blazing, roaring, merry fire that was kindled each Christmas eve. Much ceremony and fun accompanied the placing of this log and the cheery occupation of watching it turn its glowing embers as the night before Christmas turned into Christmas day.

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The ORIGIN of some of our CHRISTMAS CUSTOMS

WE are apt, most of us, to observe the customs and traditions of the Yuletide with the feeling that they had their their birth with the first of the greatest festivals of Christendom. The Christmas tree, the gift giving, the candles, the holly and the mistletoe have become so identified with our celebration of Christmas that they seem as inherent and peculiar to it as the radiant points to the Star of the Nativity. And yet it is to antiquity and heathendom that we owe the customs we observe, the stock phrases we utter and even the mince pie, without which no dinner is complete. The Germans, the Scandinavians, the Jews, the Romans, the Goths and the Saxons have all contributed to make our Christian festival.

"Merry Christmas!" It is on our lips from the stroke of 12 that ends the vigil of Christmas eve until the last candle has burned out on Christmas night. If we think of it at all we accept "merry" as meaning lively, sprightly and gleesome and wonder a bit perhaps at its preference. As a matter of fact when the English first used the old Saxon word in this connection, spelling it "merrie," it meant simply pleasant and agreeable, but we cling to it in spite of its changed character.

The day before Christmas we bring into the house a great fir tree that is made the center of the festivities. It is an old German legend that has provided us with this pretty custom. Saint Wilfrid the tale runs, was one day cutting down one of the sacred oaks of the Druids. Presently a great wind seized it and it fell, split in four pieces. Behind it Saint Wilfrid saw a young fir tree standing staunch and unharmed, pointing a green spire to the heavens. He thereupon proclaimed it a holy tree and the tree of the Christ Child because its leaves were ever green and its majestic spire pointed heavenward. He asked the people to gather about it in their own homes, where it should shelter nothing but loving gifts.

On Christmas eve we illuminate the tree with many flickering candles—unless we prefer safety to sentiment, when we make use of the electric-lighted devices. One may choose among several picturesque accounts of the origin of this practice. In medieval times, when the forests seemed peopled with none but sacred trees, there was a tradition of particular holiness being invested in an illuminated tree. Then the ancient Jews held a feast of light about Christmas time in which candles were an important feature, so that their use may oddly enough have been thus adopted by the Christians. The huge yule candle signified the coming of the light into the world. The most beautiful idea is that our use of candles is derived from the fact that probably when Christ was born twinkling lights were burning in every house.

The holly and mistletoe indispensable for holiday decoration were originally identified with pagan festivals. There is a tradtion that holly is the bush in which Jehovah appeared to Moses. The mistletoe was an object of great veneration to the Druids, although only when it grew upon an oak tree. The propriety of kissing under the mistletoe is a relic of an old Scandinavian myth. It seems that Balder, the Apollo of the North, was hated by one Loki because "everything that springs from fire, air, earth and water" had given promise not to hurt the former handsome gentleman. Whoever it was had thus coerced all things of the earth and sea, had somehow neglected to mention the matter to the insignificant mistletoe. So Loki straightway made an arrow of mistletoe, and being an unprincipled chap induced blind Hoder to shoot Balder. Little good it did him, however, for the gods restored Balder to life at once and presented the mistletoe to the Goddess of Love to keep. Everyone who passed under it received a kiss to show that it was the emblem of love, and not death. The popularity of mistletoe was unabated for centuries, but one old writer says: "Mistletoe was abandoned in the Christmas decking of churches together with kissing at the services, because both were found to set the young ladies and young gentlemen a-reading of the marriage service."

And dear old Santa Claus, or Saint Nicholas, or Kris Kringle, as you prefer—what delightful myths from antiquity have presented him with his reindeers and his whiskers and pack of toys! The Scandinavian legend relates the coming of Odin, the winter god, who visited earth at the time of the Winter Solstice or Feast. Odin rode a white horse and preceded by wolves and ravens was supposed to lead an army of souls of children to whom he became a friend. Eventually he was said to bring the toys and gifts to the children on earth. We are satisfied now to tell the children that he comes down the chimney with his pack of gifts and disappears without being beheld by mortal eye. In a little Moravian village in Emaus, Pa., which is the ony place in this country where the custom is thus observed, St. Nicholas, or Peltznickel, is yearly impersonated by some villager, and visits every household on Christmas eve to distribute gifts.

The mince pie is a survival of the immense pies that the early Christians used to make in the form of a cradle or manger. After several centuries the pies were made smaller in size, but were still made to carry out the idea of the manger, in a sort of coffin shape.

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HOLIDAY DECORATIONS

INDISPENSABLE for holiday decorations are the ornaments of glass and tinsel which are used not only to adorn trees, but to lend gayety to the aspect of dinner-tables and house interiors at Yuletide, and immense quantities of them are sold each season.

They all come from one place—the village of Lausha, in the Thuringian mountains, in Germany. That region is the veritable toyland—the real home of Santa Claus. Vast quantities of Christmas playthings, mostly of wood of papier-mache, are made there by the peasants, who do the work in their homes; and a rather curious feature of the industry is the way in which it is split up and specialized, one village turning out nothing but hobby-horses, another producing only Noah's Arks, and so on.

Thus it comes about that the population of Lausha devotes its attention mainly to the production of ornaments for Christmas trees—though it also manufactures enormous numbers of glass eyes. This little town turns out not only great numbers of such eyes for human beings, but also glass eyes for taxidermists' use, for dolls, and for toy animals. It is the world's principal center for this industry.

The chief object sought in the making of tree ornaments, of course, is glitter. Most of them are of glass, blown into fantastic and often beautiful shapes—various pigments and metals being employed to lend additional brilliancy.

The people of Lausha are all glass-blowers. They do the work in their homes, but the rough glass is provided by big dealers who contract for the purchase of the wares thus produced. Among other things, the workers turn out incalculable numbers of the familiar glass marbles so dear to every childish heart—these being made in moulds from long sticks of glass in which several colors are combined.

Unfortunately, glass-making is a very unhealthful occupation, and the people of Lausha literally give their lives for Santa Claus, few of them surviving long enough to reach old age.

Why Not These for the Girl?

A signet ring, bangle bracelet, sash and hair bow sets, postcard album, die stamped monogram stationery, hand bag, sewing set in fancy case, music folio and rolls, a stunning leather belt or sterling silver buckle, a dainty pendant and thin gold chain, wood burning outfit, a camera, silk petticoat, a pair of white kid party slippers, a silk rubberized raincoat, roller skates, doll house, white spangled fan, leather desk set, metal trimmed pincushion and jewel box combined.

DON'TS FOR CHRISTMAS

DON'T do up a parcel in such poor wrapping paper or in such a flimsy manner that the wrapper may be easily torn and separated from the contents.

Don't fail to put your name and address preceded by the word "from" on the upper left-hand corner of every piece of mail.

Don't fail to give full address—street and number (or box), town, city, county, and state of destiantion.

Don't forget that many of the drug stores in the residence districts are postal stations, where stamps and money orders are sold, mail is weighed, letters and packages are registered, and postal information given.

Don't mail a parcel without previously weighing it to ascertain the amount of postage required; printed matter, 1 cent for one ounce; merchandise, 1 cent for one ounce; limit, four pounds.

Don't place handkerchiefs, neckties, or other articles of merchandise in packages of printed matter, unless you prefer to pay the higher rate of postage on the whole.

Don't seal or wrap parcels in such a manner that their contents may not be easily examined, unless you desire to pay letter rates of postage.

Don't use 1-cent and 2-cent stamps for postage on heavy packages. Use the large denomiantions. It saves you trouble affixing them, and saves time and work in the postoffice.

Don't lay packages on the street letter boxes, for they may never reach the postoffice. Package boxes are provided at convenient places, with convenient collections.

Don't fail to register valuable letters and packages. The government insures their safe delivery, and the extra cost is 8 cents.

Don't mail sealed packages of merchandise to Canada and Mexico. The rates for unsealed packages to these countries are the same as in the United States, namely, 1 cent per ounce.

Don't mail parcels of merchandise to other countries without making special inquiry regarding the regulations governing parcels post.

Don't mail jewelry and coins to foreign countries. They are positively prohibited from the mails.

Don't forget to mail parcels early.

Don't expect the postoffice to transmit and deliver Christmas parcels within the same number of days or hours as at other times. Allowance of from one to three days' extra time should be made.

Not the Christmas Spirit.

"It isn't the presents—it's the spirit," said January Jones, the millionaire miner of Goldfield, apropos of Christmas. "I was in a jewelry shop last January, and something that took place there showed me that with too many of us the Christmas spirit is not the proper one. I was talking to the proprietor. One of the clerks stepped up excitedly, his eyes beaming with the hope of a big sale.

"'Say, boss,' he whispered, 'give me the key to the safe. There's a lady wants a solitaire just like the one she has on. She thinks it will be fun to have two rings alike.'

The proprietor did not bring forth the key. He only shook his head and said sadly:

"'Don't waste any time on her. The ring she has on is a Christmas present, and she only wants to find out what it cost.'"

RAPTURE AND TRAGEDY OF CHILDHOOD AT CHRISTMAS

"John" and "Clarice" Are Taken Through the Toy Department.

Grim Determination Avails Not Against Mother and the Clerks.

Some adorable French woman said or is reported to have said: "My childhood! That happy time when I suffered so."

The beauty of the rare remark becomes more wonderful as experience is added by the years but with the return of each Christmas comes again the consciousness of what childhood suffers at this happy time.

For those who object to such things, here is a promise that there follows no story about the lonely little one who wakes on Christmas morning and faces a temporary end of the world because Santa Claus had not come. Not so. The sorrow that is referred to is the annual visit of childhood to Toyland.

What exquisite delight!

What rapture!

What torture!

Would it not seem that heaven had opened before you when you looked down long avenues of bliss where within reaching distance on every side are the things that your soul has longed for? But is it bliss? It is not. On every side are ogres of human beings ready to pounce down and tear you away when you have only just discovered the thing for which you know that aeons before, you formed an affinity.

Surely one thinks here must be childhood's delight and then breaks in on one's ears in that admonishing tone peculiar only to mother:

"John! John, I say! You must let it go."

The Cars or Death.

John hugs to his 5-year-old chest a train of cars of which he has become fond. He says no word but grim determination shuts his teeth and from his eyes looks the spirit of "Rather than part with this, I die."

"John," says John's mother, "see the pretty lady wants you to put it up. That's a good boy. Maybe Santa will bring you one for Christmas."

John in five years has learned wisdom. For no ethereal promises of Santa will he part him from a real tangible train. He says no word but clasps it tighter to his bosom.

"Come, John," says John's mother. "That's a good boy. We must go now."

John moves not and persuasion having accomplished nothing, John's maternal parent ruthlessly tears the train from her son's arms.

And then John speaks. And as always after a prolonged silence he is listened to, not only by mother but by all the folks within hearing.

John lays his head back and opens his rosy young mouth and shuts his eyes in an ecstasy of preparation and roars. Rage, chagrin, disappointment, defeated ambition, all this and more is contained in John's roar when he roars. One long blast follows another, tears as large as lemon drops form and roll unheeded to the floor, where they are later gathered up by the scrub woman, and above and beyond all comes peal after peal of those wonderful roars.

In no way satisfied, John is at last dragged off, protestingly, while he voices his displeasure in voice that even Strauss in his moments of extreme cacophony would mark "forte."

Happy Childhood!

But surely in all this realm of what should be childish joy, some one is happy. Witness little Clarice on this side. She has with eyes shining with joy that has come to her destrided a bear, the most natural looking bear that might ever have come out of the wood to eat the children who made fun of Elijah. Sweet little Clarice is so very, very happy. That bear frightens her not at all and yet there is the thrill that something may happen any moment. Something does. Clarice is rudely dragged from the bear's back. She was not consulted. Just lifted down. Clarice protests. The corners of her mouth droop, her eyes grow larger, one lip trembles a bit. Was ever such beautiful preparation for an impending storm? One tear slides out. Her mouth corners droop lower and then gulping sobs and Clarice hides her head.

Happy childhood hours.

But is there no one happy in this fairland of happiness.

Indeed yes!

Down in one corner is a small girl who is chaperoning her smaller sister. No thought of touching anything occurs to them and no prospect of owning any of the things they see, happens to enter their minds. They are perfectly exquisitely happy just because there are such beautiful things in the world. They press their none too shapely noses flat against the show cases within which glitter a beauty they had not dreamed of. "Isn't it awful lovely?" inquires the smallest girl from the little one who is chaperoning here. And so Toyland brings happiness after all.

But true it is that in no place is Christmas more gorogeously and happily expressed than in the toy departments. Here are things designed only to bring joy and carefree happiness. In the toy department are no utility presents, thank goodness.

And by the way the toy department is like the circus. Folk you had no idea would do it, hurry around and borrow some one's child in order to have an excuse for going there to loiter and enjoy the things supposed to be reserved exclusively for childhood.

THE WREN BUSH.

An Old Custom Still Observed in Ireland at Christmas.

Among the many odd customs still observed in Ireland at Christmas few are more curious than the practice of carrying about "the wren bush" on St. Stephen's day, and antiquaries are puzzled to explain why the poor little "king of all birds" should be put to death on the festival of the first martyr, says Maud E. Sargent in Longman's Magazine.

The most probable explanation is that the wren was sacred to the Druids and was used by them in divination and other pagan rites at the festival of the winter solstice, which almost coincided with Christmas, and consequently the clergy urged their converts to destroy the birds which were associated with such unholy rites, just as St. Patrick's relentless destruction of the images of serpents, used in the ancient pagan worship of Ireland, gave rise to the legend that he

Gave the snakes and toads a twist
And banished them all forever!

This seems the more likely because "drean," the old Irish name for "wren," also means "a Druid," and old folk still call "Jenny" the "Druid bird" and say that she has the gift of prophecy and that those who can interpret her twitterings as she hovers about a house or flies from bush to bush can read the future. In the library of Trinity college, Dublin, there is a curious document describing how to interpret the notes of the wren.

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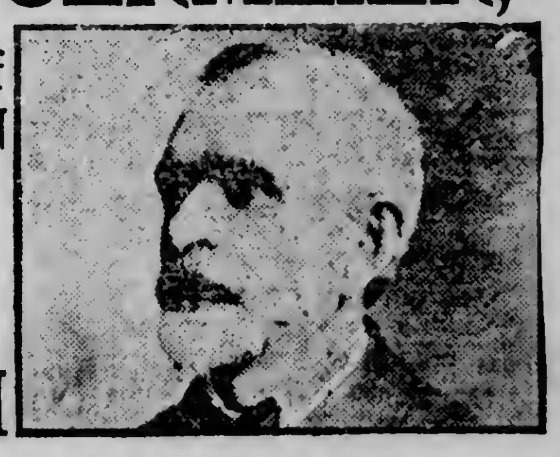

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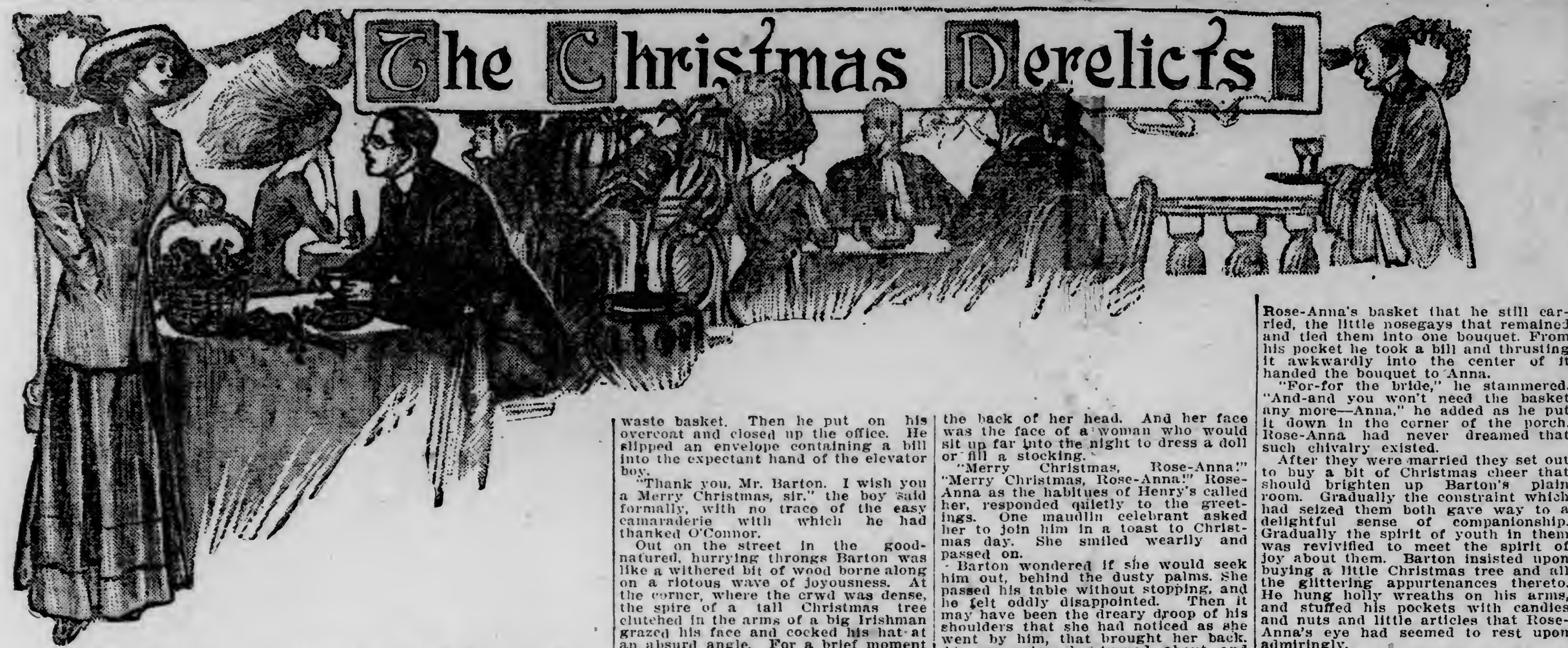

The Christmas Derelicts

By Hene Mansfield.

HE had seen the mail leave the office, rather earlier than usual.—Kinney, the manager with his wife on one arm and his small son tugging impatiently at the other; Murdock laden with various awkward packages from one of which, through a break in the paper, a woolly lamb wagged a gleeful woolly tail; young Simpson each pocket bulging with a neat box tied with gold cord, and O'Connor had stopped at his desk a moment.

"See here, Barton, why can't you come out to the house to dinner? Help us fix up the tree for the kids—the madame would be delighted—"

He had cut him off almost sharply. "It's good of you, O'Connor. But I'm dining out this evening, thank you."

"Well, so long then, old fellow. A Merry Christmas to you!"

"Merry Christmas," he repeated politely.

He had heard O'Connor's big voice trumpet the same parting phrase to the elevator boy, and the boy's shrill, excited response came to him through the long hall.

"Mer' Christmus, Mr. O'Connor. Thank you, sir. Mer' Christmus to you. Mer' Christmus!"

Then he was quite alone in the office. Indeed, there seemed to have been a general early exodus from the building, to swell the throngs of eleventh-hour shoppers, or of those hurrying homeward to holly-wreathed gaiety. Only the rumble of the streets far below reached him, which seemed somehow to be pitched in a different key than on other days, and the occasional faint echo of a "Merry Christmas," as the elevators passed up and down.

Barton closed the office doors and a window which had been slightly open and set himself to posting the ledger. This unnecessary labor finished he sought diligently through the files for an unimportant letter that had been misplaced. Then he sharpened all the pencils in his desk to miraculous points, and mechanically tore off the top leaf of his calendar pad.

"December 25th." There it was again. There was no getting away from it, no matter what he did. All day they had dinned it in his ears. Tomorrow would be Christmas day. All the world would make a holiday—a holiday of family love and the thought of friends. And now it was Christmas Eve. Soon 1,000,000 tiny candles would be twinkling on the glittering boughs of fir and pine trees. Soon small stockings would be hung from mantle shelf and bed post, and small persons tucked all unwillingly into bed.

To Hiram Barton Christmas meant none of these things. It meant a solitary dinner on Christmas Eve at Henry's, a cafe not of the first order, where he was in the habit of dining. Ie meant walking slowly to his room after dinner past bright-lighted homes whose window wreaths seemed to grin at him mockingly; it meant waking on Christmas morning with only the desire to get the day over. The postman brought him no little gifts nor letters. Perhaps the landlady set a dish of fruit on his table. Perhaps she didn't.

Hiram Barton had no friends. It was not that he did not wish for friends,—it was that he did not know how to become a friend and that no one had ever had the patience to try to win his friendship. He was born incased in diffidence like a turtle in a shell. He had an unpleasant, frightened way of drawing back his head between his lean, stooped shoulders, at any friendly advances, so that no one ever noticed the glint of shy yearning in his pale eyes. Only once in his life had Hiram Barton asserted himself. That was when the rose-color ambitions of youth had seethed to the surface and he had left the farm. But the braggart assurance of the city paralyzed him. He was not stupid, but he grew to underestimate himself because others did.

In five years he returned to the farm for the funeral of his parents. He had hoped to renew some of the barefoot friendships of his childhood. But neither had the old friends the time to pierce his shell of diffidence. So he returned again to the bookkeeper's desk in the city, a friendless man.

"December 25th." Barton crushed the sheet in his hand, and threw it into the waste basket. Then he put on his overcoat and closed up the office. He slipped an envelope containing a bill into the expectant hand of the elevator boy.

"Thank you, Mr. Barton. I wish you a Merry Christmas, sir," the boy said formally, with no trace of the easy camaraderie with which he had thanked O'Connor.

Out on the street in the good-natured, hurrying throngs Barton was like a withered bit of wood borne along on a riotous wave of joyousness. At the corner, where the crwd was dense, the spire of a tall Christmas tree clutched in the arms of a big Irishman grazed his face and cocked his hat at an absurd angle. For a brief moment he had been drawn into the eddying spirit of the street. He straightened his hat and from habit drew back his head between his stooped shoulders.

"Loosen up, ye ould grouch! It's Christmas Ave! Ain't ye wise to ut?" remarked the Irishman, and strode on.

He paused at a brilliant shop window. A woman with a shawl over her head and a child stood near him.

"Oh, ma, don't I wisht 'at Ol' W'iskers 'ud bring me a doll like that there one!" cried the child.

Barton reached into his pocket, and turned to the woman shyly. "If-if-" he began.

"Come, Maggie, we must be gettin' home," said the woman taking the child's hand. And they passed on.

Barton took his usual seat at Henry's cafe at a table partially screened from view by a couple of dusty, artificial palms.

"Merry-Christmas-sir-soup?" inquired the waiter.

"Yes-and turkey-and-and-say, John, fix it up a little, will you—some holly or-or-"

"Yes, sir, I'll fix it up right for you," replied John, without enthusiasm.

Barton began almost to wish he had accepted O'Connor's invitation. But he knew that he would have been but a miserable spectator at a happ home festival. Too, O'Connor's boisterous efforts to put him at his ease troubled him.

Henry's was well filled. He hadn't thought it possible that so many should have no homes to dine in on Christmas Eve. He scanned the faces of the men and women at the tables about him. The men were for the most part flushed of face and loud of speech. Before them on the tables stood not only the bottles of cheap wine served with the table d'hote, but siphons and bottles of whisky to celebrate the occasion. Barton searched the place for the face of a woman whom he could imagine sitting up far into the night to dress a doll or fill a little stocking. There was not one among them.

Barton smiled grimly when the waiter brought in his turkey. At either end of the thick, dark slices of meat, he had placed sparse little sprigs of holly, quite berry-less and with broken leaves.

"Thank you, John," said Barton quietly.

As he was eating his desert he saw the nosegay woman come in with her basket of flowers on her arm. She had been coming every night for a long time. Barton had scarcely ever looked at her although sometimes when she sought out his table he bought a little boupuet from her, and taking it home put it in his toothbrush mug where it brightened up his room a bit until the landlady dumped it out. Tonight there was something about the woman that held his gaze. Beneath her small, neat hat her brown hair rippled back to a tight knot at the back of her head. And her face was the face of a woman who would sit up far into the night to dress a doll or fill a stocking.

"Merry Christmas, Rose-Anna!" "Merry Christmas, Rose-Anna!" Rose-Anna as the habitues of Henry's called her, responded quietly to the greetings. One maudlin celebrant asked her to join him in a toast to Christmas day. She smiled wearily and passed on.

Barton wondered if she would seek him out, behind the dusty palms. She passed his table without stopping, and he felt oddly disappointed. Then it may have been the dreary droop of his shoulders that she had noticed as she went by him, that brought her back. At any rate, she turned about and came back to lay a little nosegay on his table.

Barton's hand sought his pocket.

"O, that's all right," he said hastily. "This ain't no kind of a Christmas Eve, is it? she added, her eyes sweeping the crowded room, and returning to the limp scraps of holly on the turkey platter.

"It sure ain't," agreed Barton.

"I don't like to stick around here," the woman went on, as though she might simply be thinking aloud. "But they ain't much to cheer a body in a cold little hall bedroom. Ought to be candles and firesides and children on Christmas Eve, oughtn't they?" She looked down into Barton's pale eyes.

"They sure ought," he said heartily.

"Ain't you got anything — anything like that?"

"No, no, I have no family nor friends." He admitted simply to this kindly woman what had never passed his lips before.

"Me, neither," she replied. "Got no relations, and I ain't much of a hand to make friends. Kinda lonesome, times like this, ain't it?" She was covering over her basket carefully before going out into the frosty air.

It was then that all the loneliness of Hiram Barton's life seethed to the surface, as once before his youthful ambitions had done when he left the farm. All his longings for understanding, and a home and a mate had been lashed into an acute pain by the joys of the season around him. Perhaps it was the cheap wine that had made him a little giddy—perhaps it was the haze of cigar smoke that softened the plain features of Rose-Anna — but it seemed to him that in her face was the fulfillment of these things.

"I wish," said Hiram Barton firmly, "I wish that you would marry me tonight. 'Twouldn't be so lonely — and we could have a Christmas."

Rose-Anna fingered the covering of her basket for a minute. Then she looked down into Barton's shy, anxious face.

"P'rhaps I might," she said simply.

The head waiter was ushering a man to the only seat left unoccupied in the cafe—the one opposite Barton, there behind the palms. Barton arose and put his coat on hurriedly.

"Come," he said softly to Rose-Anna. And together they went out into the festive street. Together they sought the office of the marriage license clerk. They picked their way through the throngs, speaking little to each other, although occasionally Barton seized the woman's arm as though he were afraid she was a wraith. Luck was with them. The clerk was at his desk, working late at some statistics he was preparing for the coming year. He made out a license for Hiram Barton, aged 42, not married before, and Anna Hagan, aged 43, also unmarried.

As, later, they stood on the steps of the home of the justice of the peace before entering, Barton took from Rose-Anna's basket that he still carried, the little nosegays that remained and tied them into one bouquet. From his pocket he took a bill and thrusting it awkwardly into the center of it handed the bouquet to Anna.

"For-for the bride," he stammered. "And-and you won't need the basket any more—Anna," he added as he put it down in the corner of the porch. Rose-Anna had never dreamed that such chivalry existed.

After they were married they set out to buy a bit of Christmas cheer that should brighten up Barton's plain room. Gradually the constraint which had seized them both gave way to a delightful sense of companionship. Gradually the spirit of youth in them was revivified to meet the spirit of joy about them. Barton insisted upon buying a little Christmas tree and all the glittering appurtenances thereto. He hung holly wreaths on his arms, and stuffed his pockets with candles and nuts and little articles that Rose-Anna's eye had seemed to rest upon admiringly.

"I'd like to be buying you a surprise for tomorrow, Hiram," said Anna timidly, "if you'll just go and leave me for a minute."

"And I've just been wondering how I was going to get a surprise for you!" cried Barton excitedly. So they separated with gerat formality, to meet again soon in the great crowd of shoppers with unconcealed delight that their dream was not yet dissipated.

It was very late when they finished the decoration of Barton's room. They set up the Christmas tree on the table, with its ink-spotted spread, between the windows. They hung one wreath across the corner of the tarnished frame of the "Death of Lincoln." Anna put her bridal bouquet in the wash bowl in the hope that the wilted flowers might revive, and rearranged the furniture to her liking. The two surprise gifts they placed under the boughs of the little tree to await the light of Christmas day.

Barton glanced about the transformed room that was eloquent of Christmas cheeriness. His wife's hat hung on a hook beside his—her worn coat was thrown over the chair where he was wont to sit alone at night.

"It's home, Anna," he said brokenly.

"Home, Hiram," she repeated thankfully. A clock some where in the house struck midnight. "And a Merry Christmas to you!"

"A Merry Christmas!" he echoed happily.

SHOP EARLY, SAY POLICE

Some Advice for Christmas Shoppers From Chief of Police.

City Free of Professional Crooks But Crowds Offer Temptations.

Even the police say "Shop early."

They declare that it is the best insurance against being robbed or losing valuables which the public can possibly get. The crushes in which crooks work aro avoided, and the opportunities of the pickpocket and the thief are largely eliminated.

Chief Troyer, asked if any special measures were being taken for the Christmas season, said that the people can protect themselves much better than any one else by the use of forethought, but stated also that special efforts were being made to guard against pickpockets.

Here are some of the don'ts which he suggests might be born in mind by Christmas shopprs:

Don't carry a purse loose in the hand.

Don't carry large sums of money on the person.

Don't mingle with the crowds.

Don't fill your arms with as many bundles as can be carried.

Don't wait until late at night before making purchases.

Don't carry valuable jewelry on the person, whether for personal adornment or intended for gifts.

The stores and the streets are the stamping grounds of crooks during the rush of the holiday season. There they find an excellent field for plying their nefarious vocations. The bigger the crowds the better they like it, as it is exceedingly easy to pick a pocket or grab a purse in a dense throng, and it is about as easy to escape undetected. It is almost impossible to ascertain the identity of the thief under those circumstances.

Duluth is fortunately free of professional crooks of this kind. But the best regulated cities are subject to robberies at this time of year. Amateurs are strongly tempted to try their hand at the game, and others, possibly pressed by want, are driven to crime to secure money.

The big stores are putting on extra people. Both men and women are employed to be on the different floors day and night to be on the lookout for suspicious persons who might have designs upon the customers as well as upon the stocks. Some of them have special police powers and can make arrests without calling in an officer of the regular police force. Those who have not this authority are provided with special facilities for getting into communication with the police. It would take but a very short time for a policemtn to be summoned in cases of this kind. The police are instructed to be specially alert, but it is not thought likely that many, if any, extra policemen will be put on by the city authorities.

MISTLETOE BECOMING OBSOLETE AS A FIRST AID TO OSCULATION

The mistletoe bough! What memories cluster round the mistletoe bough! It is the emblem of the tenderest passion which man has known. It was the shrine of a simple pagan people who never knew and could not understand the grace, beauty and symmetry of a nature that was to them the emblem of an unseen and unknown Divinity.

A parasite in itself, the mistletoe bough through all the ages since time began has been the source of story and of song. Superstition, reverence and love, each in its own succeeding age, have clustered about the green leaf and the white berry of the mistletoe bough.

From the time when the last Druid had crumbled away to dust, down to the present age, the mistletoe bough has had its votaries. The physicians of the Far East held it to be a plant of great medical properties. Even then it was believed to be the cure-all for mental, physical and sentimental ills. In these modern days, when the simple beauty of accepted reverence for things not understood seems a lost art, the mistletoe bough is no longer the cure-all for mental and physical ills, and only by a little law of custom observed, now here and now there, is it a cure-all for sentimental ills.

Dedicated to Olwen.

In the pagan days the mistletoe bough was dedicated to Olwen, the Celtic Venus, and through all the ages the parasite and man's tenderest passion were intertwined one with the other. Kissing beneath the mistletoe bough began so far back in the dark ages that modern man has never tried to trace its history.

The Druids, like all primitive man, had a deep and abiding reverence in the Trinity, and the mistletoe bough, with its trinity of white berries, was to them an emblem of some Deity. This, coupled with the fact that the berries ripen in the sacred season, although the boughs blossom in apple blooming time, impressed these pagan people, and when they approached the mistletoe bough reverently in the home they did so in a spirit of reverence and devotion.

In the old days the mistletoe was found growing on the sacred oak, and this, too, may have had much to do with the pagan's reverence for the bough.

Kissing Practice Obsolete.

Today the mistletoe is found growing on apple, elm, sycamore and many other trees, but seldom, if ever, on the oak. This is true in America, Europe and England. It has lost much of its sacred character, and when used now is used merely as part and parcel of the general scheme of decoration. Often at some Christmas party a mistletoe bough will be hung alluringly, and watchful swains will wait to catch the idol of their hearts standing unconcerned beneath its bough. Then, under the old law of custom, he claims a kiss from the ruby lips he sings of in his dreams.

But today even this custom is practically obsolete. It prevailed to some extent in the days of our forefathers in America.

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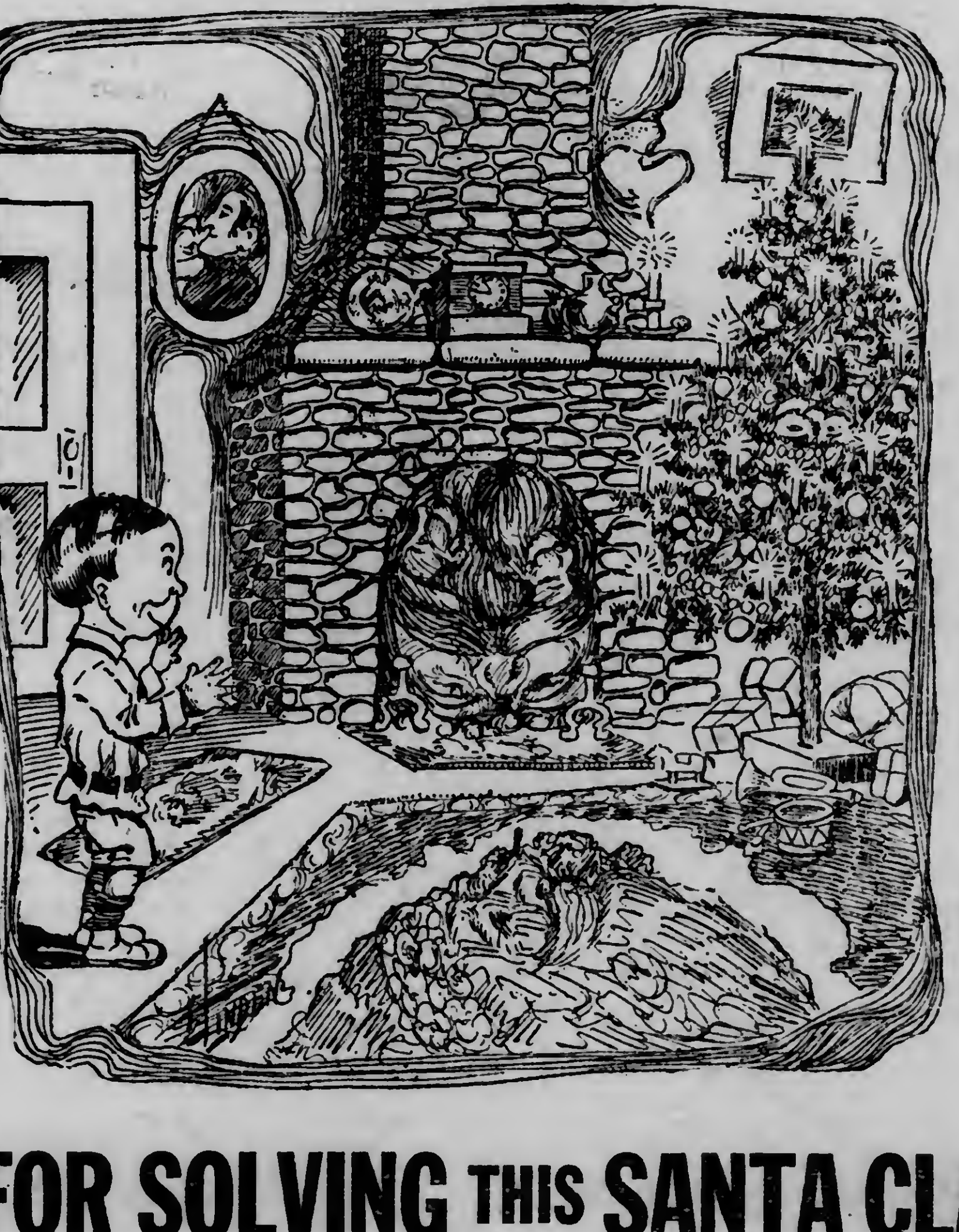

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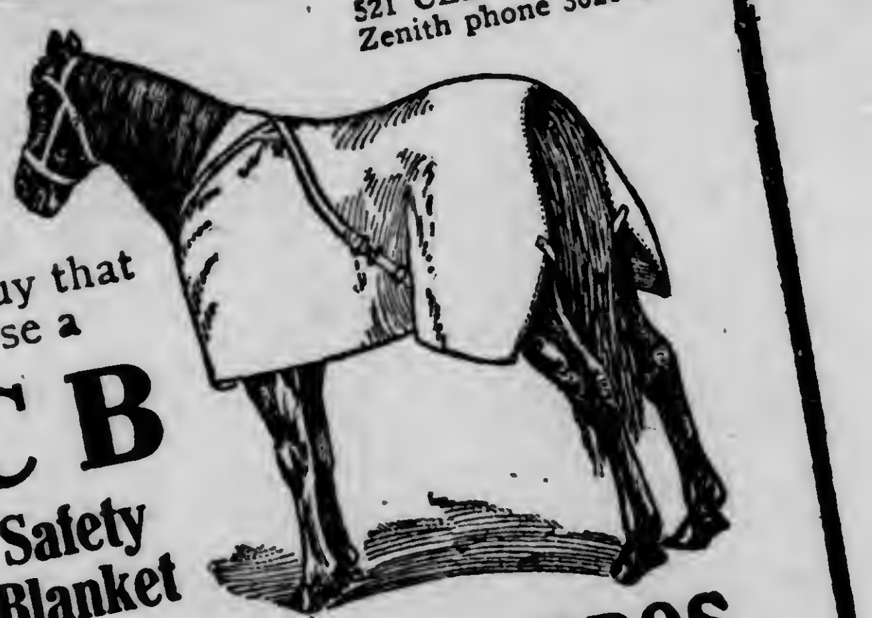

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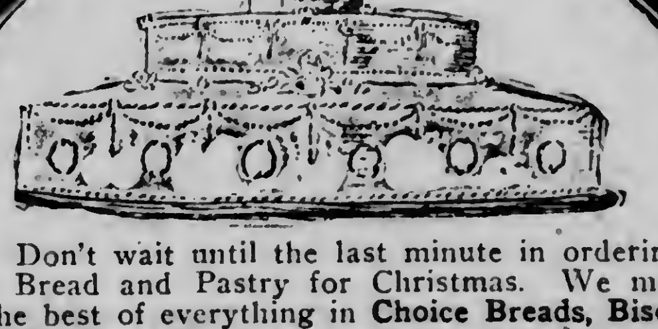

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The Christmas Dinner.

THE housekeeper will find it a great help and a needed reminder if she will write down carefully her menu for the Christmas dinner, no matter how simple it is to be. Everything that it is possible to prepare the day before should be in readiness, so that mother's Christmas may not mean a day in a hot kitchen, penetrated occasionally by the sounds of merry-making in the house, in which she may not join. Below are a few simple menus which may prove helpful:

Celery Soup. Wafers.
Roast Chicken or Turkey, Cranberry Jelly.
Baked Sweet Potatoes. Cold Slaw
Plum Pudding. Coffee.
Fruit. Nuts.

Sardine Canapes.
Deviled Oysters. Wafers.
Roast Duck, Nut Stuffing, Current Jelly.
Stewed Celery. Rice.
Apple Salad. French Dressing.
Wafers.
Plum Pudding. Fruit Sauce.
Crackers. Cheese. Coffee.

Oyster Cocktails. Wafers.
Consomme. Bread Sticks.
Fish Timbale. Creamed Mushroom Sauce.
Potato Balls. Cream of Pea Patties.
Roast Goose with Apply Sauce.
Browned Sweet Potatoes.
Grape Sherbet.

Thin Slices of Baked Ham. Celery Salad.
Plum Pudding with Hard Sauce.
Roquefort Cheese. Crackers.
Coffee. Bon Bons. Almonds. Fruit.

Oyster Soup.
Baked Goose. Nut Stuffing.
Apple Sauce.
Browned Sweet Potatoes.
Stewed Turnips.
Mince Pie.
Coffee. Cheese. Wafers.
Cream of Corn Soup. Wafers.
Roast Turkey, Cranberry Sauce.
Potato Croquettes. Creamed Onions.
Apple and Nut Salad.
Plum Pudding. Lemon Sauce.
Coffee. Fruit. Water Biscuit.
Cheese.

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Light Housekeeping Menu.

Oysters on the Half Shell.
Oxtail Soup. Breadsticks.
Celery. Salted Nuts.
Creamed Crabmeat in Crab Shells.
Roast Duck. Chestnut Stuffing.
Cranberries. Mashed Potatoes.
Creamed Cauliflower.
Lettuce and Pimento Salad.
Pumpkin Pie. Cheese.
Coffee. Fruit.

The oysters, if possible should be obtained at the last moment from the fish market and served on chipped ice. The crabmeat, vegetables and pimentos for the salad are canned.

The Fowl and His Stuffing.

All the particularly delectable old-fashioned dishes that our gradfathers fattened on seemed to have been declared particularly indigestible. The moist—often soggy—stuffing, made of bread crumbs, sage and onions, which used always to swell the sides of the Christmas turkey is very near the top of the list of deadly indigestibles. One toothsome substitute which is well liked is made of a mixture of mashed potatoes and sausage meat. For a ten-pound turkey are required three pints of hot mashed potatoes seasoned with finely minced parsley, celery, onion and peper; one pint of sausage meat seasoned with sage and two eggs, which should be beaten thoroughly and mixed with the other ingredients. The turkey may then be filled and roasted. An attractive way of serving it is to have ready large boiled onions with a shallow well in the top filled with cooked sausage, which may be placed around the turkey on the platter. Just before sending to the table a little brandy is poured over each one and ignited, making a most festal dish.

Walnut Stuffing.—To one quart of fresh bread crumbs add one cup of English walnuts which have been cut into small pieces, one tablespoonful of salt and one-quarter teaspoonful of pepper. Melt two-thirds of a cup of butter in two-thirds of a cup of hot milk and combine with the crumbs. Mix thoroughly and fill the turkey at once, allowing room for the stuffing to swell.

Turkish Stuffing.—For this is required one cup of rice, one dozen French chestnuts, quarter pound currants, one-half cup butter, two ounces of almonds, and a quarter of a teaspoonful each of salt paprika and ground cinnamon. Wash the rice and cook until half done in boiling salted water; drain and add the other ingredients. The chestnuts, of course, will have been cooked and cut in small pieces, and the almonds blanched and chopped.

Nut and Potato Stuffing for Goose.—Mix together the following: Two cups of hot mashed potato, one teaspoonful of onion juice, one-half cup sliced walnut meats, one-quarter teaspoonful each of paprika and salt, four tablespoonfuls thick cream, one tablespoonful of butter and the yolk of two eggs. A teaspoonful of sweet herbs may be added if desired.

Chestnut Stuffing.—Boil and mash one quart of chestnuts. Add a teaspoonful of chopped parsley, one-half teaspoonful each of chopped onion, salt and pepper, and one tablespoonful of butter. Bind with an egg.

THE CHILDREN WILL LIKE THESE HOLIDAY COOKIES.

English Honey Cookies.—Take two quarts of sifted flour and crumb into it three tablespoonfuls of softened butter. Add half a cup of molasses, one pint of strained honey and half a cup of water—hot. Add, at the last, one and a half teaspoonfuls of soda. Beat well together for a few minutes and bake in a quick oven.

Pfeffer Nusse (Pepper Nuts).—For these delightful little cakes is required two and two-thirds cups brown sugar, three tablespoonfuls butter, four eggs, two and one-half cups of flour, one and one-half teaspoons of cinnamon, one-half teaspoon allspice, three-quarters teaspoon cloves, one-half teaspoon nutmeg, one-quarter teaspoon each of white pepper and salt, one cup chopped almonds, one-half cup mixed, equal parts, citron, orange and lemon, chopped fine.

Cream the butter, add beaten eggs and sugar, then add fruit and spices and last of all the flour. With buttered hands shape into balls the size of a hickory nut, and bake on buttered paper that has been laid on a tin sheet. They should come out of the oven a delicate brown.

Chocolate Fruit Cookies.—Take one cup butter, one-half cup sugar, two tablespoons melted chocolate, one extra tablespoon sugar, one teaspoon boiling water, one egg, well beaten, one-half cup chopped pecan nuts, one-half cup seeded and shredded raisins, one and one-eighth cups flour, one teaspoon baking powder. Cream the butter with butter creamer, add sugar gradually; add the chocolate melted with the tablespoon of sugar and boiling water, cook one minute and add to first mixture, add egg well beaten, nut meats and raisins, dredged with one-eighth cup flour. Sift remaining flour with baking powder, add to mixture; beat thoroughly and chill. Drop mixture on buttered sheets an inch and a half apart. Bake in moderate oven fifteen minutes.

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HOME MADE CHRISTMAS CANDIES

Old-Fashioned Butter Scotch—Put one pound of granulated sugar and a small teacupful of water in a three-pint porcelain-lined saucepan, and set over a blue flame. Stir the mixture until the sugar is completely dissolved, then place a wooden cover over it and let boil for a few minutes. Remove the cover and watch carefully. When the syrup is quite thick and the color has changed from a water white to a dark straw color the candy is done. Take it from the stove and stir in two tablespoonfuls of butter that has been softened, but not melted, also six or eight drops oil of lemon; set back on the stove for a few seconds and then pour the mixture thinly over oiled sheets of tin. Before it hardens mark it in squares or diamonds. Add a pinch of cream of tartar to the mixture when it begins boiling.

Chocolate Fudge—Melt one-quarter cup of butter. Mix together in a separate dish one cup of white sugar, one cup of brown sugar, one quarter cup of molasses and one-half cup of cream. Add this to the butter, and after it has been brought to a boil, continue boiling for two and one-half minutes, stirring rapidly. Then add two squares of chocolate which has been scraped fine. Boil this five minutes, stirring it first rapidly and then more slowly. After taking from the fire add one and one-half teaspoonfuls of vanilla. Then stir constantly until the mass thickens. Pour into buttered pan and set in a cool place.

Hickory-nut Taffy—Boil two pints of maple sugar and a half pint of water until it becomes brittle by dropping in cold water. Just before pouring out add a tablespoon of vinegar. The hickory nuts should be cut in halves and a buttered pan lined with them. The taffy is then poured over them, and cut into squares before cooling.

Chocolate Pop Corn Balls—These specially prepared popcorn balls will prove a popular substitute for the candy that is usually indulged in too freely by the children at Christmas time. Take one and one-half cups of sugar, one-third of a cup of glucose, two-thirds of a cup of water, one-third of a cup of molasses, three tablespoonfuls of butter, three squares of chocolate, one teaspoonful of vanilla extract, and about four quarts of popped corn, well salted. Set the sugar, water and glucose over the fire, stir until the sugar is melted, then, after wiping down the sides of the saucepan to the edge of the mixture, let it boil three or four minutes, with a cover on. Then remove the cover and let cook without stirring until it will harden in water. Add the molasses and butter and stir constantly until brittle in water. Remove from the fire and when it has ceased bubbling add the chocolate which has been melted, and the vanilla. Stir until the chocolate is thoroughly mixed, and then pour onto the popcorn and roll into small balls. The corn should be slightly warm.

"MERRY CHRISTMAS"

CHRISTMAS BERRIES.

Where the Holly Grows and How to Find the Best.

The old-fashioned Christmas greens were rosemary, ivy and bay, but in the 2,000 tons of wreathing and decorating material which it is estimated that we now use every year there is a much greater variety. Best loved of all is the glossy, red-berried holly. "Holm" was the old English name for it, and it is thought to be identical with the "greenwood tree" of British ballads and of Robin Hood fame. On our side of the Atlantic the American holly (Ilex opaca) is found from Maine, where it grows as a shrub, to North and South Carolina, where it lifts a symmetrical cone of dark, shining leaves set with scarlet berry clusters along a beautiful trunk of gray and silver to the height of seventy or eighty feet.

Delaware and Maryland are usually credited with furnishing the best grades of holly to Christmas markets, but their "Three X" brand, as seen after shipment to Northern cities, is not so finely berried as the Carolina holly, plentiful in the region around Asheville. In America there are three distinct grades of holly. Trees that stand on dry, barren, hillsides, as a rule, are heavily laden with thick, knoblike clusters of berries, but their leaves are likely to be small, yellowish and imperfect. Follow some little stream to a sheltered, sunny glade where a holly trunk gleams white, and there you will find leaves large, dark and perfect, with a thick scarlet fruitage lighting the shadows evenly all over the tree.

"SHOP EARLY" MOVEMENT IS SHOWING RESULTS

Duluthians Responding Freely to the Oft Repeated Advice.

Merchants Expect Christmas Eve Rush to Be Greatly Moderated.

At last Duluth shoppers are responding to the constantly reiterated "Shop Early" and the people who for several years have urged this movement are beginning to be encouraged at least so far as Duluth is concerned. Time was, but a few precious years ago, too, when every one held back until Dec. 23 or maybe Christmas eve, and then everyone rushed to the buisest store and revelled in the confusion and excitement, taking no heed of the weariness of the overworked clerks.

The result was that everybody got the worst of it. Clerks were tired, shoppers received less attention than they needed, the stock was overhauled and mussed, and then eventually people became aware of these drawbacks and they said, "What Ho!" or the 1910 equivalent of that expression "We will shop early." And lo, it came to pass.

"Something has certainly got the people going," said a Superior street merchant today. "They are doing their shopping earlier this year than ever before. The constant dripping of the last few years of 'shop early' has worn away the stone that the public had tied around its own neck and I think we can look forward from now on to happier Christmas seasons."

Certainly the Duluth merchants did their share to make the early shoppers happy. The biggest and finest stock ever carried in Duluth has been on display for the forehanded folks who helped themselves and others by doing their shopping early in the month. The beautiful things that have been spread out for the temptation and pleasure of Duluth people are almost endless. But the early shopper is getting the best.

The new regime is making every one happy. The shop girl is elated and with good reason. Unwearied and interested she can help the early shopper who probably "doesn't know exactly what she wants" and the late shopper cannot expect such attention in the last hurried days.

The movement toward early shopping which was started nationally by the public spirited band of women, the National Consumers' league, and which has been supported by pulpit and press and by local club women and pushed along merrily by the big stores in their advertisements, is bearing fine fruit this year, and early shopping has really become early.

Pass through the aisles of any one of Duluth's big stores and you will find the Christmas shopper. Many are making reservations to be delivered later. Others are helping along by carrying their own bundles home and having the added excitement of keeping them hidden until Christmas, from the prying eyes of the rest of the family.

Not only is the early shopping movement taking hold, but women who are so placed as to make it possible, are doing their shopping in the early morning hours, adding to their own comfort and the gratitude of the proprietors and salespeople.

The stores are devoting more space to urging the early shopping than ever before, and the lists for "Father," "Mother" and "Cousin" are plentiful in their suggestions.

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A Christmas Game.

The "chest" may be arranged in any way that will hide one of the players. The game is based on the old poem, "Mistletoe Bough:"

The mistletoe hung in the castle hall.
The holly branch shone on the old oak wall.
The baron's retainers were blithe and gay
A-keeping the Christmas holiday.

The "retainers" all form a ring about the "lover," who is blindfolded. The retainers sing:

Here we are so blithe and gay,
Keeping our Christmas holiday.
One will hide in the chest hereby,
To guess who it is you must surely try.

With that one of the "retainers" runs and hides in the improvised chest. The "lover" is led to it and he may ask questions of the hidden one, who may reply by "Yes" or "No," disguising the voice. By these answers the "lover" must tell who the retainer is. If he fails he must try again. When he succeeds, the hidden person becomes the lover.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

The Bank Book as a Christmas Gift

For the Child

It is the primer of financial education—the germ of prosperity in after life.

The child that is taught to save will in most instances grow up thrifty and prepared for emergencies.

While it is acquiring wisdom it is accumulating capital.

$1.00
will open an account.

FRUGALITY

Frugality may be termed the daughter of prudence, the sister of temperance, and the parent of liberty. He that is extravagant will quickly become poor and poverty will enforce dependence and invite corruption.—Dr. Johnson.

TO DRAW OR DEPOSIT MONEY THIS BOOK MUST BE PRESENTED
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The bank book as a Christmas gift becomes a lasting reminder of the giver.

It will encourage thrift and economy by affording inducements to deposit additional sums from time to time.

Savings accounts may be opened with one dollar or more and will earn year in and year out 3% interest.

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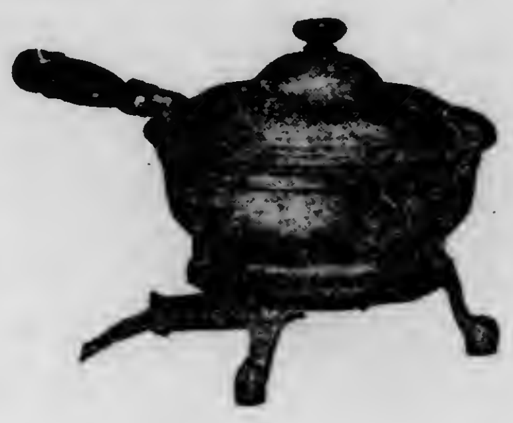
AMERICAN EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK

Let's Talk Over This Christmas Gift-Making Proposition NOW!

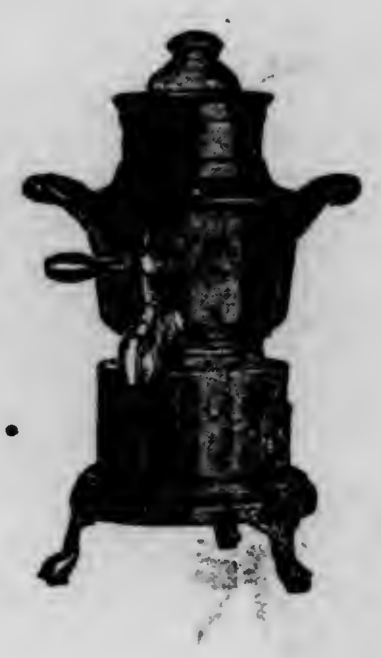
Put yourself in the place of the people you are going to give things to! What do ***you*** want? Do you pine for a necktie or a box of handkerchiefs, a box of the kind of cigars you ***don't*** smoke, or a prettily bound book of verse? ***Not so you could notice it!*** You want something you can ***use***—something that will make life easier or pleasanter to you! ***And so do your friends!*** You don't know what they want and can use? Well, if they have electricity in their homes, ***here*** are some things you can be dead ***sure*** they want—because they can ***use*** 'em!

Chafing Dishes



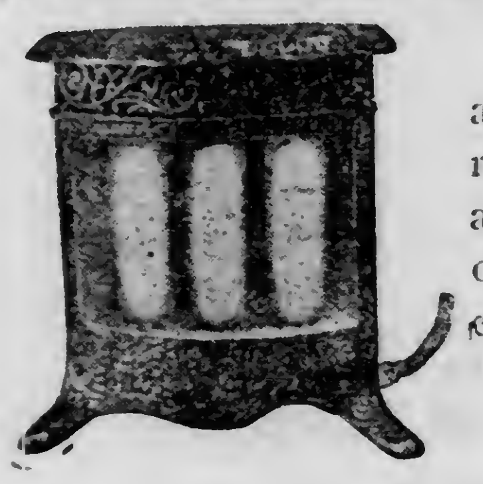
Uniform heat under perfect control makes an electric chafing dish the most certain and satisfactory of all cooking machines. We have them in many different styles and at different prices to suit all purses. A gift that will please any one.

Percolators



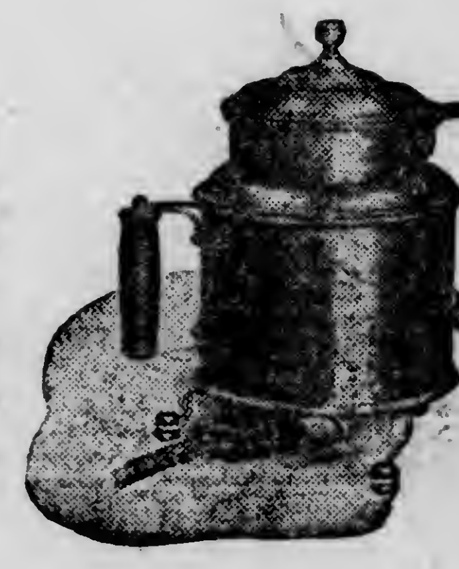
The illustration shows another style of percolator, handsomely finished, an ornament to any table. One of these will make a most acceptable gift to the housewife who takes a particular pride in the appearance of her table.

Luminous Radiators



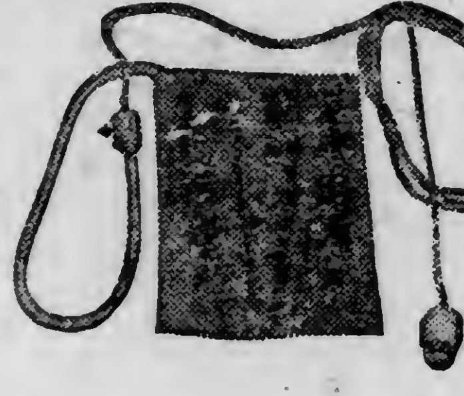
A portable radiator, invaluable in the nursery or sleeping room. Produces heat immediately when the switch is turned on. A beautiful and not too expensive gift.

Glue Pots



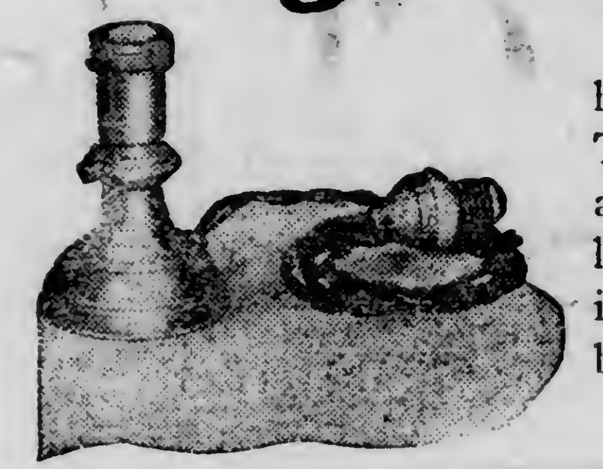
Made of aluminum to which the glue does not adhere. The radiating surface is so arranged that while the glue is always kept hot, the final temperature of the walls and bottom of the pot never exceeds 180 degs. Fahrenheit.

Heating Pads



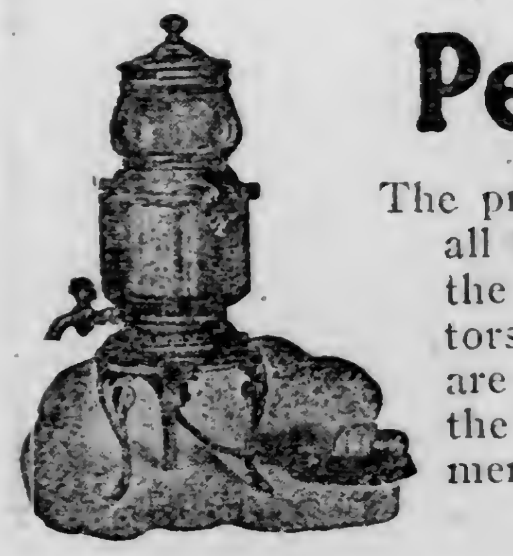
Take the place of a hot water bag, but admits of the **Regulation of the Temperature.** The very thing for these cold nights, no danger of leaks. An acceptable gift for any one.

Cigar Lighters



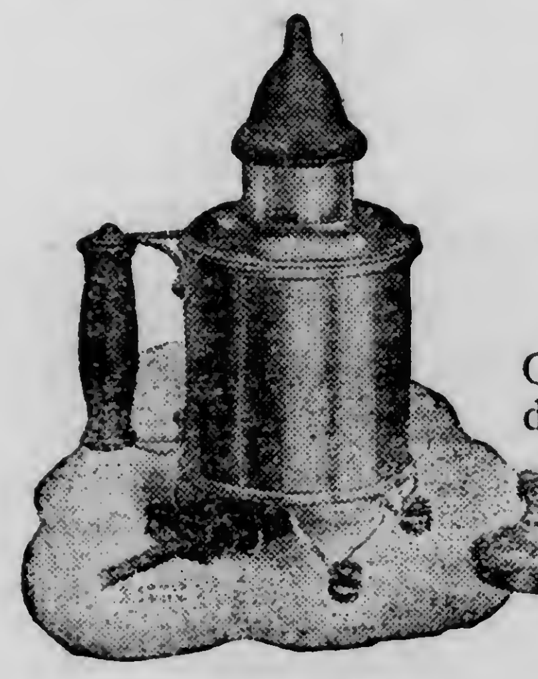
Just what he wants on his desk or smoking table. The cost of operation is about 1 cent for 1,000 lights, while nothing handier, cleaner or safer could be imagined.

Percolators



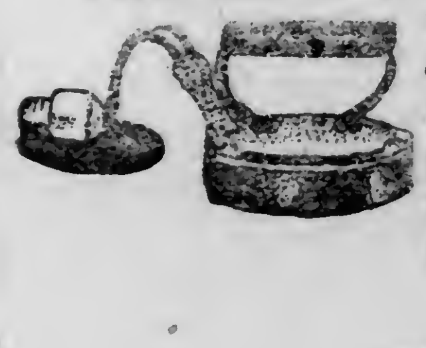
The process of percolation extracts all the strength and aroma from the coffee bean. These percolators are attractively designed and are always ready for use. Turn the switch and percolation commences.

Water Heaters



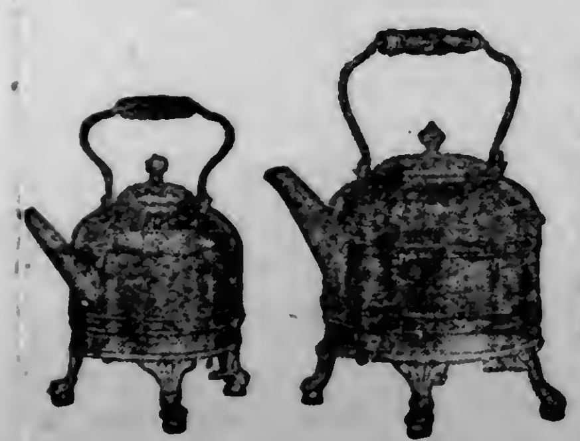
One of these water heaters will do away with the necessity of keeping a smoky fire going just to keep a few pints of water hot. Clean and always ready; they are not injured even by being allowed to boil dry!

Flat Irons



Three and six-pound irons, for light household work and for laundry work. Give one of these irons to your friend and you may be sure of being pleasantly remembered time and time again when the hot weather comes around again, particularly.

Tea Kettles



In one of these kettles water can be kept boiling for an indefinite time with the expenditure of very little current as the heat can be adjusted. In two sizes.

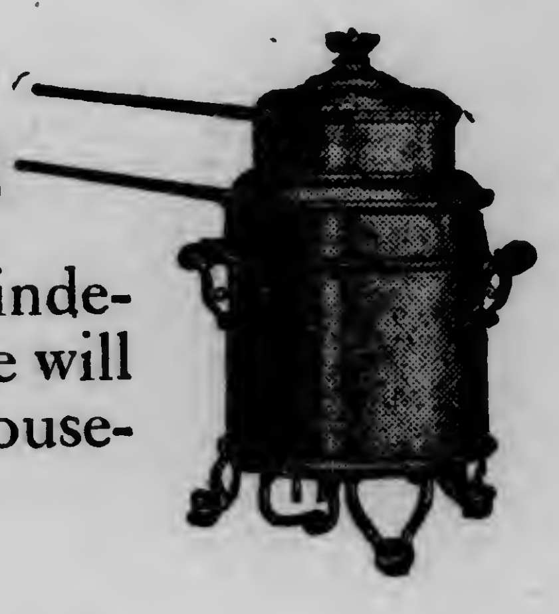
Electricity in the Home

Homes that are wired for electricity have every electrical household appliance at their command, including the few mentioned above. Every woman would be glad to receive electrical utensils, for they make her work easier and much more pleasant. They do the work quickly, thus saving time. They are so much more cleanly, that many of them, as toasters, percolators, etc., can be used right on the dining room table. The electric service also opens the way to the use of electric Vacuum Cleaners. All the drudgery of cleaning house is done away with by their use.

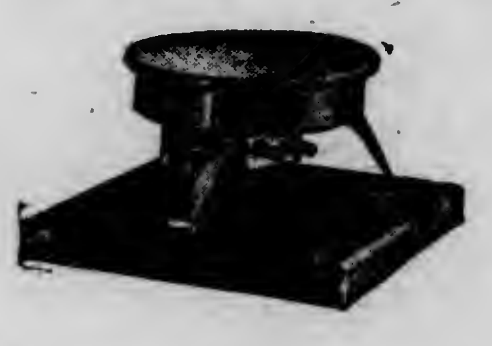
Men should get these modern appliances for use in their homes. They give wives and mothers much more time to enjoy other things of life, whereas, by the old way, they are oftimes so fatigued they cannot enjoy anything.

Make it an Electrical Christmas this year. We can show you why it would pay.

Combination Cookers



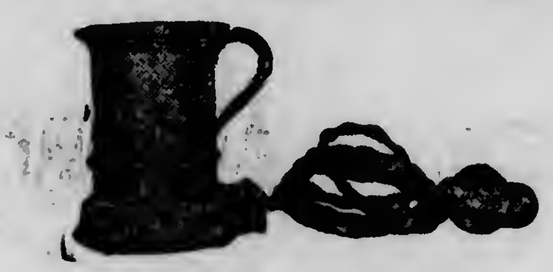
Made in four sizes, equipped with indestructible quartz enamel unit; one of these will make a most acceptable present to any housewife. Priced according to size.



Stoves

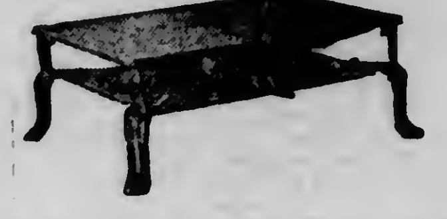
Can be used with ordinary dishes, are always available, and are CLEAN. Made in three sizes in cast iron, two larger sizes may be regulated for three heats.

Shaving Cups



A splendid gift for any man. Ornamental aluminum base, spun on enamel cup. A great boon to the self-shaver. Hot water just when and where you want it—ALWAYS hot.

Grids and Broilers



Both are similar in design except that the broiler has a corrugated surface. Cakes or steaks can be cooked to a nicety with one of these convenient electric devices without the necessity of standing over a hot fire.

To Merchants:

You know there's really ***nothing*** that attracts the crowd like ***light, bright*** light, and lots of it! Your show-windows and sales-floors may not be lighted as brilliantly and as economically as they ***can*** be lighted, anyway it will ***pay*** you to ***inquire*** into the cost and light-power of the brightest and cheapest incandescent lamp on the market—

"TUNGSTEN"

"The ***bright*** light, the ***white*** light—
It makes the gloom decamp,
That rapid-selling, sales-compelling,
Cheaper Tungsten Lamp!"

Duluth Edison Electric Co.

216 West First Street. - - - Duluth, Minn.

HOW DULUTH WILL CARE FOR ITS POOR, CHRISTMAS DAY

Charitable Societies Will See That Everyone Has Christmas Dinner.

Work Much Better Systematized This Year Than Ever Before.

Duluth's poor will receive more and better help this Christmas than in any former years, when the charitable societies worked under greater handicaps.

This year the supplies will be delievered after a carefully planned campaign has been laid out, and the families visited both before and after Christmas.

When a name comes in, the condition of the family is investigated. If the family is worthy of help, it is helped. If one family needs more than another family, it gets more. If it needs but little assistance, it gets that.

Last year and for several other years there was some complaint as to the manner of helping the poor families. It was stated that each received a certain portion, whether they were in abject poverty or only needed but a little help. This year all that is being changed. The committee in charge of the work all over the city are trying to estimate the needs and give each case individual attention.

It is probable that this plan will work out well as the Associated Charities and other charitable institutions have been working on the lists since Thanksgiving day. More time has been spent in visiting the families and signing up the need than during any year that charitable work has been going on in Duluth.

This is the fisrt year that Duluth has had a central society or clearing house to help in the work. The Associated Charities has been a big help to the societies, both at Thanksgiving and at Christmas this year. They check all the lists so that two societies will not help the same family and they also visit and size up the condition of the families whose names has been handed to them. The Associated Charities is simply on the job so that there may be more system to the work and less confusion when the real task of giving out the dinners and other help comes.

Coming to Duluth at the time of year when the work of this kind was the hardest, Mr. Dinwiddie, the new secretary of the central organization, has done a great deal to simplify and regulate the work so that every one would receive help in the proportion to his need.

Work Is Widespread.

The work is going on all over the city. The church societies are busy packing their Christmas boxes and barrels. Their lists have in a great many instances been checked at the central organization, and they are sending clothes and other needful necessities of life where the people are badly in want. It is said that the churches are doing more in this line this year than ever before. At one church the goods have been coming in for two weeks and it is expected that it will take the women of the church every afternoon this week to pack the clothes in boxes and barrels ready for their delivery on the day before Christmas.

It is not that Duluth has a greater proportion of unfortunate families than ever before, but many of them have been found who would not tell of their true condition to representatives who visited them in other years. This shows where there was need of a central organization for investigation purposes. Duluth now has that central organization and it is doing a fine work and filling a long felt want. Mr. Dinwiddie, Mrs. Lee and their assistants are very busy people these days and their work is being appreciated by the other societies which are furnishing the dinners, the clothes and the other Christmas needs of the more unfortunate people.

Need Children's Clothes.

The work of the humane society goes on all during the year, but the officers are busier than ever this Christmas. There are a great number of little boys and girls who need shoes and stockings and it is keeping the society busy supplying them. The clothes have not come into this office this year as freely as they did in other years and it keeps Mr. Fifer busy calling upon different ones who have given liberally when the society was pressed. Many calls are being made on the society from people on the range, but it seems to have all it can attend to in the city just at this time.

The old saying about one half of the world knows nothing about how the other half lives, has been proven over and over in the last two weeks, while the investigating has been going on. Next door to people of moderate circumstance have been found many who are in dire want. No idea that this was the case was entertained by the more fortunate people next door. Often times even the name of the poor family would be unknown. When told of the circumstances, the more fortunate family would be surprised and in a great many instances asked to be allowed to help the unfortunates discovered in their neighborhood. This takes the burden of the charitable societies and as they have plenty to do, they are usually glad to turn the particular family over to some one else.

Army Pots on Street.

The Salvation Army pots are already on the streets. The money contributed to these pots goes to purchase Christmas dinners for poor families. Last year the Army furnished nearly 200 dinners. This year it has not quite so many names on its list, but expects to have before Christmas as they keep coming in each day.

The dinners given by the Salvation Army would grace any table and the money that is thrown into the pots is probably made to go further than any other money that is contributed for charity.

At the present time there are five pots at the different corners along Superior street. More will be added as Christmas approaches and the number of shoppers increases.

At the headquarters of all the societies there is a real Christmas spirit. Duluth people give liberally to any good cause, and no trouble is anticipated in getting money in plenty to care for the city's poor in the best possible way.

CHRISTMAS DAY ALONG DULUTH'S HISTORIC BOWERY

Hundreds of Men Flock Here for Sole Purpose of Celebrating.

Intoxication the Aim of Many on Most Sacred of Holidays.

There are hundreds of men in this city to whom the coming of Christmas means little save that it is a holiday and a day given over to the seeking of amusement, diversion or such cheer as men without ties of home and family often seek.

The transient laborer, the man who labors in the woods in the winter, in the harvest fields in the summer, with the railroad or on the Great Lakes or the docks, is often without home ties, sometimes has not seen his home for years, and therefore Christmas finds him without excuse or opportunity of fulfilling the true and ancient spirit of the day.

Christmas on the Bowery and among the transcient inhabitants of Lake avenue and Michigan street, has usually been a rude satire on the true customs of the day, as the meaning of the day has come down from long years of custom.

Annually hundreds of men flock in for Christmas. They come from the lumber camps, and from sections of the surrounding country where industry has herded men together for the performance of daily labor. These men come to Duluth for the purpose of finding amusement, riotous amusement in some instances, for a man without home, without relatives near, has little opportunity, even if inclination grasped him strongly by the heart and called, for the commemoration of a day that in its original meaning was a day of sacred thanksgiving; a day laid aside among all the other days of the year for love and the offering of the gifts of love.

Bowery On Christmas.

Take a walk down the Bowery on Christmas morning, down Lake avenue or down the Michigan street row of saloons, and you will get a grim idea of the kind of Christmas that is provided for the transient laborer; the man who seeks his pleasure here and there.

They make a splurge. In thirst emporiums wher lutefisk, cheese and crackers are the usual pillars to the husky appetite, they clean up the remnants of the go as you please lunch, and replace it with a course menu that would be adequate for an average man's dinner.

The saloon that puts up the best dinner very naturally and also very logically, when you know the appetite of the man from the woods, the mines or the docks, draws the biggest trade. Figuring on profit and loss for the day, the wise dispenser of liquid beverage has arrived at the conclusion that it pays to put up a corking good lunch, often hire a one or two-man orchestra and bank on keeping a steady trade during the day.

This year Christmas comes on Sunday, and that fact is going to cut into the saloon trade and also deprive the floating population of a many-sided amusement feature. To the working man without home or relatives, who comes here the present Christmas to celebrate his holiday, there will be shut off the usual features.

True it is that the Bethel and other charitable organizations throughout the city have provided entertainment for the homeless laborer; and yet, it is a trite and true fact, that on the majority of Christmas days you will find the saloons the only place where scores of the roaming nomads of industry care to make free.

In the past the saloons have provided handsomely for their patrons and for the patrons that have come and spent the one day. There was Tom and Jerry, which is a national Christmas drink. There was music and there was also dancing among the men, and singing, for the word singing has come to cover a multitude of sounds and almost sins.

To be frank, there are many who come to spend Christmas here with one great thought consuming them and that thought is to "get pickled, plastered, or spiflicated," is the right and proper celebration of the day.

Christmas On Sunday.

But Christmas is coming on Sunday, the day when the elbow joint is supposed to rest and lie at ease. What will the several hundreds of men who usually flock in during the few days before Christmas do?

That is a question. It has been a problem, too. Where will they go and what will they do? These two

questions assume large importance to the man who seeks pleasure and often forgetfulness on the day when the people of the earth are supposed to give thanks to the memory of a day when the Savior was given unto the world.

Did you ever stop to realize how many men live in the cheaper lodging houses of this city? The West Superior street district is filled with lodging and boarding houses of the cheaper class, as is Lake avenue and West First street, down in the incline district.

Here are the places where many a poor soul will spend his Christmas with the scant cheer provided. In many cases these lodging house are inhabited by foreigners. They "rush the can" and play some of the queer cards games that they have learned in their native land, for these men are clannish to that degree where they often have little conception of the customs of this country.

Many of these men spend Christmas in their rough abodes, taking such pleasure as they can afford; sometimes one grand and glorious jubilee on peculiar smelling and tasting liquor, and at other times their celebration consists of a feed where they partake of all the dishes that they have learned to relish at home, far across the blue Atlantic.

Christmas in these modern days is mostly of opportunity. The true significance of the day has been in many instances overlooked. Therefore men and women celebrate the day as they have the opportunity. In the case of the poor foreigner, who makes up a large part of the floating labor of this country, the opportunity often is confined to the four walls of his small room; again, often to the celebration that is planned by the owner of the boarding house.

It is small wonder that these men seek that artificial and made-to-order enthusiasm that comes stealing on one through the fumes of the liquor glass. It is not to be wondered at in the least. There is mirth, joy perhaps, for the moment, merriment and riotous pleasure to be found in the saloon for this nomadic class of men.

There are saloons where the foreign class hang out; there are others that cater to the men of the camps, where time checks are eagerly honored, and often money advanced on the promise of an old customer, who has made good on former touches. When Christmas comes the present season, the closing of the saloon will be a real grievance to some of these men.

There are the restaurants to be remembered. Many of the restaurants where you get something for the advertised price of 15 cents, are run by Chinamen. These restaurants carefully calculate the Christmas trade. They raise the price and expand the menu, and here are many Christmas dinners eaten.

Many of these men possess no imagination. The quality of the ethical is missing. The material makes the sum and substance of life for them. Were they possessed of a keen and vivid imagination, they would suffer. Therefore, they look for the material on a day that commemorates the greatest spiritual and religious event in the history of the birth of man or nations, and they are happy, as joy goes, and are satisfied in their own way.

After Christmas.

Said the Christmas tree by the old back fence
To the one just over the way:
"It seems to me it is hard to be
Out here in the cold today.
Last week I stood in a brilliant room,
With children dancing by,
And beautiful candles warmed me through."
Said the other tree, "So did I."

Said the Christmas tree by the old back fence
To the one just over the way;
"I wish out there on the mountain side
They only had let me stay.
My roots were strong, I was warm and green,
While the merry snow flew by,
But now I am trembling, old and weak."
Said the other tree, "So am I."

Said the Christmas tree by the old back fence
To the one just over the way:
"A little boy threw a rock at me
As he passed along today.
And last week, up by a beautiful doll,
A sled was hanging high
For that bad little boy. I'm tired to death."
Said the other tree, "So am I."

Said the Christmas tree by the old back fence
To the one just over the way
"A little girl that I gave a ring
Came by, and I heard her say,
'You ugly old tree, who cares for you!'
And she made up a face so wry
I wouldn't believe folks could so forget."
Said the other tree, "Nor would I."

Said the Christmas tree by the old back fence
To the one just over the way:
"It's hard to die so far from home,
But I guess we've had our day,
And the children maybe in years to come
Will think of us with a sigh
And the joy it gave. I am reconciled."
Said the other tree. "So am I."
—May R. McNabb in Pittsburg Dispatch.

Making Appropriate Gifts.

The year just closing has been so prosperous that the spirit of philanthropy will find very large expression in the giving of Christmas cheer at home and abroad, writes Cyrus P. Jones in Success. The trans-Atlantic mails are already burdened with the money

letters sent from America to "the old folks at home."

Next to the gifts which brighten the home of the American citizen, those given to worthy charity are important to consider. Too many people give indiscriminately. They mean well, but so did the committee which sent $20,000 worth of fireworks to the Irish famine sufferers.

Still others give something of no value whatever. An instance of this was made manifest at a public gathering in New York, where one of the speakers called attention to the sufferers from a prolonged strike and suggested the advisability of giving them something. One of the sympathetic audience got up and said, "I move that we give them three cheers!" Let us select our gifts with reference to their appropriateness and utility.

NO CHEAP RATES THIS CHRISTMAS

Those Planning Holiday Jaunt Must Pay Straight Two-Cent Fare.

Holiday travelers this year will have to pay the regular railroad rates in Minnesota and all two-cent territory.

That is the information given out by the railroads for the benefit of those who are planning a Christmas or New Year's trip. The railroad fare will be just the same as it is every day in the year—2 cents a mile.

Holiday rates were abandoned when the 2-cent fare became effective. Regular rates prevailed last Christmas and also on Thanksgiving. The railroad men say the 2-cent fare is equivalent to the reduced rates formerly given under the 3-cent fare.

Missouri probably will be the only state in the Middle West which gets a reduced holiday rate. It probably will be a fare and a third for the round trip. As the regular rate there is three cents a mile this is equivalent to the 2-cent rate in Minnesota.

WHERE TOYS COME FROM

Germany Was Formerly the Chief Center of Production.

United States Now Competing in Metal Toys at Least.

Where do the Christmas toys come from? is the question often asked by those who have passed the age of thinking about the big Santa Claus factory in the far North. In spite of the fact that its products occupy the attention of the public for only a few weeks each year, the toy industry is among the greatest in the land. Up until a short time ago Germany led all other countries in the production of Christmas delights, but the United States is fast coming into its own in the matter of toy manufacture. The great factories in this country are proving to be too great a competition for the peasants of the foreign countries. There is an exception to this rule, however, in the wooden animals, the weird-looking occupants of Noah's ark and other strange forms of the animal kingdom. No machine has been constructed that can duplicate the menageries as whittled out by the poorer classes of Germany and other foreign countries.

Taught From Childhood.

The peasant children are taught to make toys from the time they are able to walk. They commence by making little rolling pins or some such simple contrivance. It is a life work with them and they follow it the whole year round. Representatives of wholesale houses come around at certain periods of the year and buy their products. The toys they make are the best that can be procured because they take so much pains with them, yet they are bought at ridiculously low prices. A full barnyard set, with an array of half a dozen different varieties of animals, will net the maker about 4 cents. It can be purchased in Duluth for perhaps 25 cents.

The more substantial articles, such as wash sets, furniture, hobby horses, etc., are nearly all made in the United States. Nearly all the metal toys are also made in this country. That is because the factories here are equal, if not superior, to the German factories, and there is no duty to pay on them.

The Question of Duty.

The question of duty brings out another point in the toy industry. The German children receive much finer presents for Christmas than their cousins, the American "kiddies," and all because the import duty is so high. It practically prohibits the very finest toy products from being sold in this country, and it goes without saying that the best there is, is made in Germany, the birthland of toys.

The next question is, where do all the brilliant ideas come from which result in a marvelous array of strictly new toys each year? It is true that the factories employ designers who devote their entire time to designing new toys. But the more radical ones come from geniuses in different parts of the country who work out new ideas and have them patented. The manufacturers keep a tab on the new patents that are taken out and if they run across an item that appeals to them, the inventor has already made a fortune.

Take, for instance, the new baseball game that is making such a hit this year. The idea originated in the mind of a young man by the name of Crawford some three years ago. A manufacturing concern took it up but did not make a go of it. The young inventor figured out that the failure was due to the fact that the balls did not curve as in a regular game. He overcome that difficulty, made a contract with a new company and is now reaping the reward from his brilliant idea.

Dolls are made in nearly every country on the globe. The Parisian dolls are perhaps the most famous, for they are made at the center of the world's fashions. In this country they are duplicating babies' faces in making dolls. A child's photograph is transmitted onto a special kind of cloth, much as an impression is made on a camera film. The picture on the cloth is then retouched, filled out with sawdust or other form of packing, and the doll is as lifelike as can possibly be made.

TWO AUTHORS INSPIRED ALIKE.

Travel and Exploration: Sir Arthur Conan Doyle once walked over the Gemmi. He was much impressed by the desolate appearance of the lonely looking Schwarenbach inn. Here, it seemed to him, was an ideal scene in which a novelist might locate a story of mystery and crime.

He proceeded to invent a story of mystery and crime suitable to the creepy environment. It was a story of a murder, the murder of a long lost son just home from the wars, by his own father, the needy innkeeper, who did not recognize him until after the deed was done, but had resolved to kill and rob the first lonely stranger who passed that way with money in his pocket.

"The very thing," thought Sir Arthur, and he went down the hill cheerfully revolving the morbid conception in his mind. Then a strange thing happened.

After dinner, in the hotel at Leukerbad, he picked up a volume of Maupassant's short stories, and he found that the French author had not only been to the Schwarenbach inn before him but had actually located there a story practically identical with the one which he himself had just devised.

When Your Hair Is Dull and Dusty

(From the Montreal Tribune.)

"Washing the head requires time, exposes one to catching cold, and when all is done it is a question if you have helped the appearance of your hair Too much moisture injures the hair.

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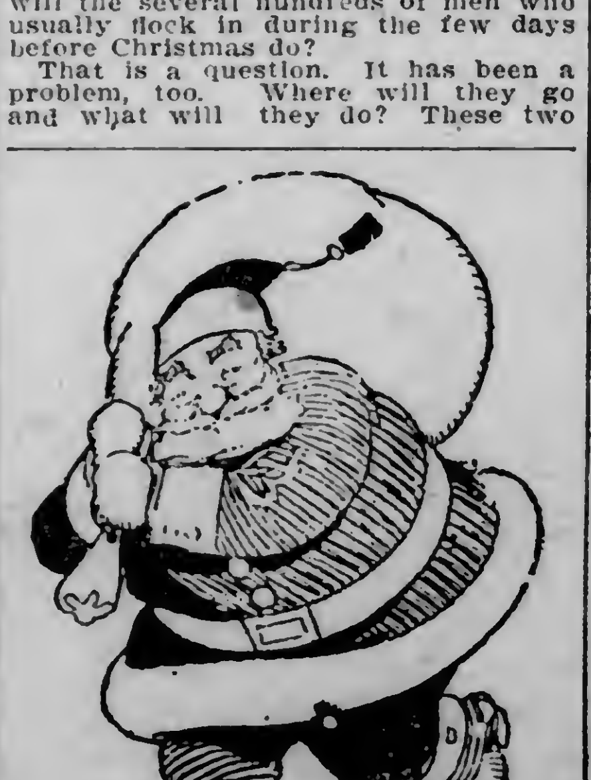

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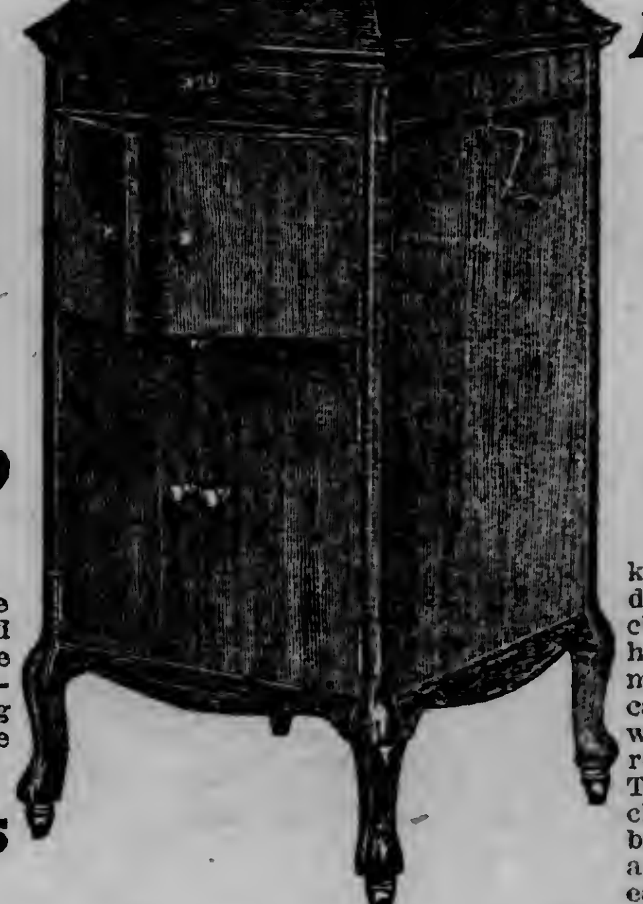

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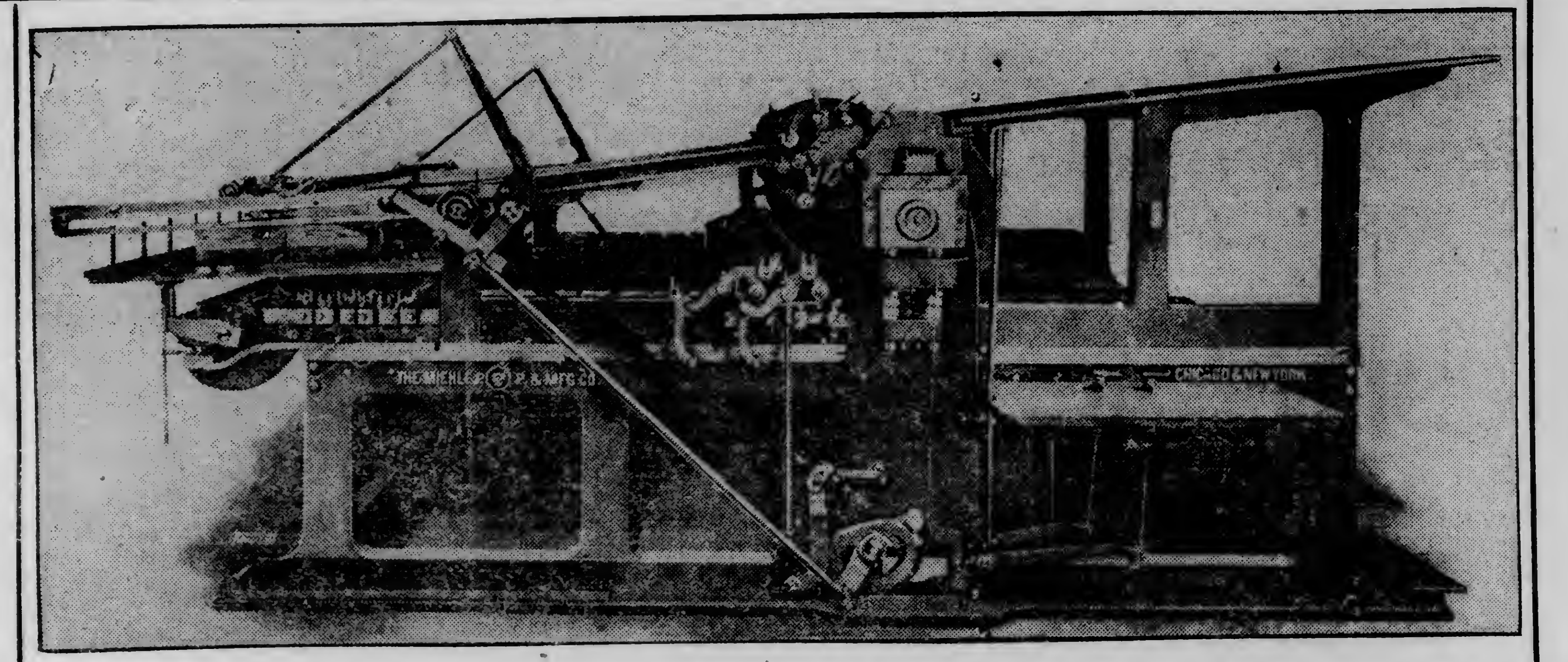

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WILL PLAY SANTA CLAUS

"Good Fellow" Receives Many Replies to His Christmas Appeal.

Duluthians Anxious to Give Poor Children a Real Christmas.

"If your 'Good Fellow' stunt is a fake, count me out," said a letter to The Herald, "but if it is on the square, count me in. I'll be glad to give a Christmas to three or four kids. Send along the names."

On the back of this letter, which was turned over to "Good Fellow," the names of some children were written and the letter was mailed to the writer. Others will be treated in a similar fashion this week by "Good Fellow," so that the writers will know to whom they will play Santa Claus in plenty of time to make whatever purchases may be necessary.

The Herald got this letter today from "Good Fellow:"

"Dear Herald: Thanks for the space you gave me for my letter of last week. From the number of replies I got to my appeal for full Christmas stockings, there will be considerable joy spread around this town without everybody knowing who is playing Santa Claus.

"If any 'Good Fellows' want to provide a Christmas for some little folk who may not be remembered by old Kris Kringle, they can have the opportunity by writing to me in the care of your paper. Nobody will know about their charitable ministrations, unless they care to spread the news about themsevles. No real 'Good Fellow' would boast about what he was doing, anyway, so I guess there'll be no publicity.

"Any more Santa Clauses, Good Fellows?"

"Good Fellow" told The Herald that he received a letter from a well-known Duluth man who said he would play Santa Claus to half a dozen youngsters. He said the Duluthian wrote that Christmas had never brought a Santa Claus to him because there was nobody to help Santa Claus shop. "I never had a Christmas when I would have enjoyed it most," wrote the Duluthian, "and I do not want any boy to go through the same experience if I can be the means of his avoiding it."

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DATE-GROWING IN AMERICA.

Los Angeles Herald: The date industry in California promises to become a great factor in the fruit markets of the world, for it has been proved that the conditions in the Coachella valley are more favorable for the development of the date of first quality than of any other country where the date is grown. It has also been demonstrated that a much larger percentage of first quality dates can be produced from the seed than in the Saharan oases.

In planting the date seed plant in rows thirty feet apart, placing the seed about eighteen inches apart in the row, thus planting about 1,000 seed to the acre. During the first few years any kind of crop can be cultivated between the rows. When the palm is 3 years old it begins to blossom. At this time the process of thinning begins and the male plants can be taken up and sent to the city to be planted as ornamental trees.

From this time until after the fifth year the thinning and rearranging in rows must be properly attended to, and according to the best authority, growers may expect at least 100 plants of the best quality of dates out of the 1,000 seeds planted to the acre, and as plants should be at least thirty feet apart each way when 12 or 15 years of age, they will have fifty good plants to the acre to dispose of; but when one considers the profit to be derived from the first offshoots which may be expected from a 5-year-old plant, one will be tempted to leave the plants fifteen feet in the row for a few years at least.

A conservative estimate places an average of four offshoots to the plants 5 years old and an average of one offshoot to the plant a year for the next five years. The offshoot always bears fruit identical with the parent tree. In this way the parties who plant the first seedling orchards will be in line to reap a rich harvest for their surplus offshoots, for the imported offshoots will be very expensive for several years to come. After transporting the offshoots on the backs of camels across the burning sands of Sahara desert to the ocean liner, lying upon the docks at both ends of the line, then transported by rail to the indicated farms, the plants will certainly be considerably weakened and will require a year of tender nursing.

MERRY XMAS & HAPPY NEW YEAR

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"CENTRAL" MUST BE SERIOUS.

The young women who want to be telephone operators and are admitted on probation into the school of instruction of the New York Telephone company get $5 a week while learning the business. Formerly they got $3, says the New York Sun.

The increase was made because it was desired to attract a class of young women from the country who are well equipped for the business in every respect and who can manage to live on $5 a week while learning, whereas eking out an existence on $3 a week was impossible to some of them.

The telephone system is more complex now than formerly and the public is more exacting. More than 4,500 women are employed at the fifty-five centrals of this city and year by year an effort is made to make the operators more efficient.

As a result of late only 5 per cent of the applicants at the school have been accepted and some of those admitted are discharged after a week's instruction, not having come up to the standard in alertness or general intelligence or dignity of deportment.

On the last score the management is very particular these days. The manifestly frivolous young person has no chance at all of being kept very long at the telephone school.

"There was a time," said an official of the company, "when telephone girls, whether they merited it or not, were not classed with the serious, hard workers of the community. Rather they were a synonym for trifling, unbusinesslike behavior. That day is past.

"Today recruits to the service must have not only a fair education, considerable intelligence and a wide awake, alert manner, but they must show a first class aptitude for attending strictly to business in business hours.

"The country girl is bound to make good as a general thing. She is deadly in earnest, her manners are good and what she may lack in alertness at first is more than offset by her dogged perseverance.

"There are New York girls who conceive the idea of taking up telephone work who make a splendid impression at first by their intelligence and alertness, but who haven't perseverance enough to go through the school, nor patience enough to master the complexities of the work.

"About 20 per cent of the telephone girls employed at our centrals drop out every year, some to get married, a good many to fill better positions with other business concerns and some to move to other cities."

The greater number of operators needed and the greater care given to the service increases, it was learned, the number of supervisors at centrals, thereby giving more chances to girls seeking promotion. Supervisors get $15 a week.

Girls ambitious to get beyond the $10 wage, which with a few exceptions is the maximum paid to women operators at the centrals, look for and usually find employment at private switchboards in conjunction with some clerical work. A young woman who has spent three years or so in a telephone exchange is a pretty good all around business person, business men find.

THE POETS.

Chicago News: "I saw your advertisement in the public prints offering steady employment to a competent man to do chores and take care of your horses," said the long-haired individual, "and, although I am fitted by education and temperament for a higher occupation, I am compelled, by the pressure of adversity, to present myself as an applicant for the position. Not that such work is degrading—far from it! You recall the words of the poet Gray, 'Let not ambition mock their useful toil——'"

"The poet Gray be hanged!" interrupted the prominent citizen. "Do you know anything about horses?"

"No man in the United States knows more. I am familiar with the history of every celebrated steed from Bucephalus down to the wild charger of the Ukraine that bore Mazeppa on its back, 'with its long, hard gallop, which can tire the hound's deep hate and hunter's fire,' as the poet Byron says. I am familiar with all varieties of horses from the massive animals of Belgium and Normandy to the fleet-footed coursers of the Bedouins.

"Ah, those Arab steeds! How fully one can sympathize with the poet when he cried: 'My beautiful, my beautiful, that standest meekly by, with proudly arched and glossy neck and dark and fiery eye!' It is a far cry from that tender sentiment to the passionate demand of King Richard: A horse! A horse! My kingdom for a horse!'"

"What sort of freak are you, anyhow? Do you really want a job, or are you giving free lessons in elocution?"

"I have explained my errand. I am driven to seeking menial employment by unmerciful disaster, which has followed fast and followed faster, as the poet says. Hands that the rod of empire might have swayed now seek a chance to wield a hoe or spade, if I may be permitted to paraphrase Gray, a poet whose merits are not properly recognized. It is true that his claim to immortality rests upon one poem—but what a poem! Yet he is not alone in this distinction. The poet Wolfe, who wrote "The Burial of Sir John Moore,' produced nothing else of consequence. Collins wrote sundry eclogues which were meritorious, but his fame rests upon the noble poem beginning: 'How sleep the brave who sink to rest by all their country's wishes blest.' There were many others who, like the angels of wind and of fire, 'sang but one short hymn and expired with the song's irresistible stress,' as the poet phrases it, or who, like Israfel——"

"For heaven's sake, are you wound up for eight days? Can you wash buggies? Do you know the front end of a harness?"

"Sir, I can do anything that man has done. Although created for higher spheres, I have done much manual labor. 'None better knew to guide the plow or wield the rattling flail,' as the poet says. 'I wrought full well in the burning sun and smoked my pipe when the day was done,' to quote a humbler bard, whose songs, however unpretentious, have touched many hearts. I cannot say that I am fond of labor requiring muscular exertion. As Father Ryan says, 'My feet are weary and my hands are tired, my soul distressed; and I desire what I have long desired, rest—only rest.'

"But one cannot rest in this world. A man may claim to be captain of his soul, as the poet says, but he is not captain of his stomach. That gross organ makes imperative demands which must be obeyed, and so I must find work of some sort. If not in the sanctuary, then in the stable. For what says the poet? 'Tricked by vile insidious chances, beaten down by circumstances——'"

"You take the biscuit—also the bakery," said the citizen. "Try your hand at washing that buggy!"

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LUCINDA'S EXPERIENCES.

New York Sun: "Girls," said Lucinda, "I certainly did have an extraordinary experience this morning in a Madison avenue car. Crowded, this car was, full of people, but it seemed not quite so full at the middle, and so I worked my way there, gently; the best I could.

"Standing about a third of the way down the car on the right was a woman who was holding on to a strap and facing outward, so that her back was toward me as I worked along past her. She was about the same height as I, and when I passed her my hat caught on hers and it seemed to cling there for a minute, but then it got free and I passed on, to reach up for a strap myself when I had got just beyond her, and then what do you think?

"When I raised my arm up to reach for the strap, there, lying on the top of my arm was a hatpin, a hatpin from the hat of the woman I had just passed! When my hat caught in her hat it caught under the head of that pin and drew it out and snapped it forward just so that it lodged on my arm.

"Well, I handed the hatpin back to her and she smiled and I smiled and that's all there was to it; but really, now, wasn't that extraordinary?"

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PIGEONS THRIVES ON MUSIC.

Chicago Tribune: Here's a pigeon that loves piano music. The bird is known as Blue Eye and hangs around the fire station at the corner of Washington street and Michigan avenue. Several weeks ago a boy shied a stick at Blue Eye and broke his wing. Jim Galvin gathered up the wounded bird and converted a portion of the station sitting room into a bird hospital ward.

In this same sitting room is a piano and when nothing else is done Tom Scanlon pounds it for the benefit of the other inmates of the station. As convalescence progressed Blue Eye was discontented unless some one helped him up on top of the instrument, where he would strut back and forth marching in time with the melody.

Later the bird recovered and one day flew away. The next evening Scanlon was seated at the piano playing his star piece, "The Fifth Nocturne," by Leybach. The melody had been flowing out of the window toward the lake no more than five minutes when in on the breeze came Blue Eye. He alighted on the piano and remained until the music ceased. This performance has been repeated several times since.

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A GOOD JOB.

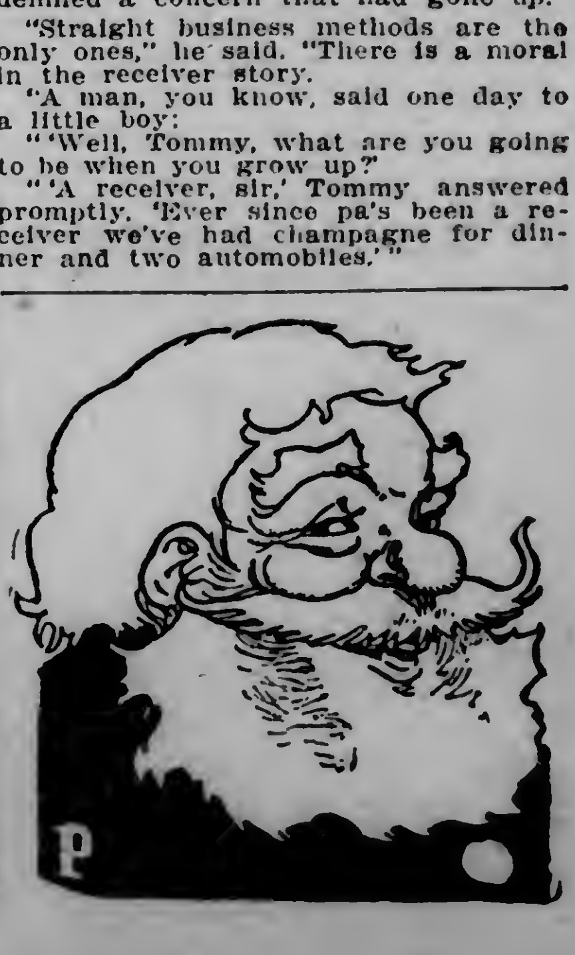
Los Angeles Times: Jacob H. Schiff, at a dinner on the yacht Ramona condemned a concern that had gone up.

"Straight business methods are the only ones," he said. "There is a moral in the receiver story.

"A man, you know, said one day to a little boy:

"'Well, Tommy, what are you going to be when you grow up?'

"'A receiver, sir,' Tommy answered promptly. 'Ever since pa's been a receiver we've had champagne for dinner and two automobiles.'"



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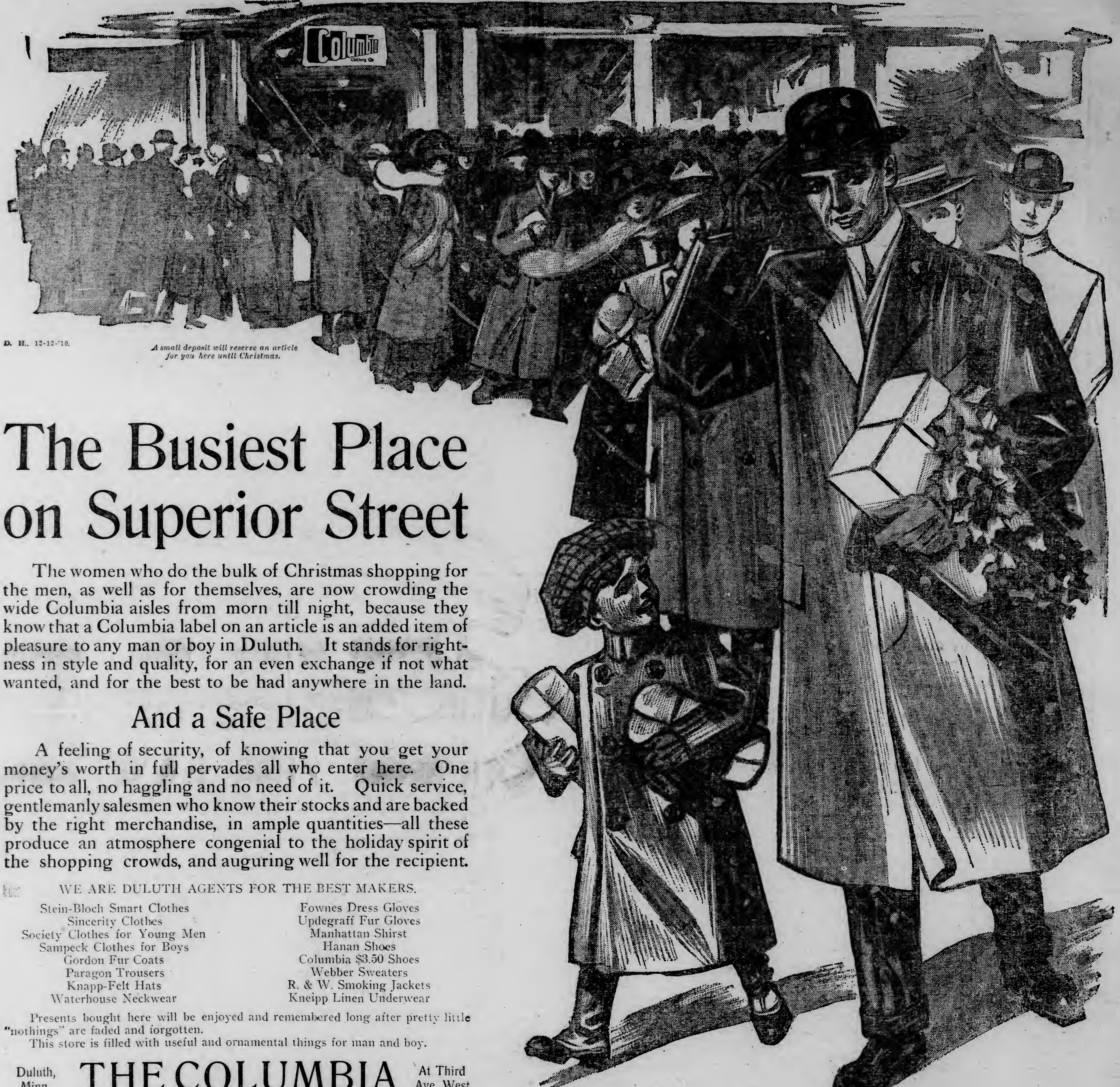

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WALK SIXTY MILES IN THE BITTER COLD, AND WITHOUT FOOD

Woodsmen Forced to Tramp Back From Dibell Siding.

Arrive Completely Exhausted, One With Feet and Hands Frozen.

Walked Day and Night to Keep From Freezing to Death.

Thinly clad and minus his cap, which he claims was stolen from him in the lumber camp to which he alleges he was sent under misrepresentation, Joe Zareck, a Russian Pole, reached Duluth this morning after walking over sixty miles to the city.

His ears, face, hands and feet were frozen from exposure to the bitter cold. Since Sunday morning he asserts that he has been without food or shelter, walking and running to keep from being frozen to death.

On the way he says he crawled into a haystack beside the road half dead from want of food and sleep, but he got so cold that he had to keep moving. With the mercury down below zero he spent two nights and two days on the road, without rest except for the two hours in the haystack in a bleak field.

Zareck claims that he was sent out to work for Hagstrom Bros.' camp, seven miles from Dibell Siding, on the D. M. & N. railroad. He explained through an interpreter, to Walter F. Dacey, prosecuting city attorney, when brought to his office at the city hall today, that he had shipped to the camp under the impression that he would be put to work swamping. When he got there he alleges that he was told that he would have to cut ties at so much

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NEARLY $1,000,000 FROM STATE TAX

Estimate Is Made of Next Year's Receipts Under Auto Law.

Albany, N. Y. Dec. 13.—Receipts aggregating $750,000, it is expected, will be realized next year from the operation of the so-called Callan automobile law, providing for the licensing of chauffeurs and the registration of motor vehicles. This estimate is based on the receipts from the new law for the first six months of its operation this year. All licenses this year expire on Jan. 31.

During the six months the new law has been in operation this year, 63,000 owners and 1,200 manufacturers registered their cars with the secretary of state, while 27,000 chauffeurs were licensed the total receipts aggregating $325,000.

GIVEN LIFE TERM; BEGS TO BE HUNG

Eighteen-Year-Old Michigan Murderer Dreads Prison Life.

Kalamazoo, Mich., Dec. 13.—When 18-year-old George Bloohas, convicted of the murder of Eftimias Stergiouslas here last summer, was sentenced yesterday to life imprisonment in Marquette prison, he begged the officers to hang him. He said he would rather die than face the prospect of spending the rest of his days behind the bars. Bloohas confessed he dropped a boulder on the head of his victim while the latter was asleep.

ARGUE LE BLANC MURDER CASE

Girl's Attorney Turns Bitter Invective on Glover's Widow.

Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 13.—The trial of Hattie Le Blanc for the murder of Clarence F. Glover opened today with the greatest crowd yet in attendance endeavoring to obtain admission to the Middlesex county superior court room. Lawyers from all over the state filled the witness seats and benches reserved for spectators as well as the bar enclosure. Attorney Johnson, the defense's counsel, expected to finish his plea before lunch adjournment.

In his opening remarks yesterday Mr. Johnson devoted the principal part of his efforts in support of his claim that the defendant was an innocent child. The speaker made Mrs. Glover the target for bitterest invective. He said that the little girl was brought from the province solely for "white slave" traffic, and then turning to Mrs. Lillian M. Glover, who induced her to leave her home, Mr. Johnson denounced the widow as a vampire and recited Kipling's poem to emphasize his point.

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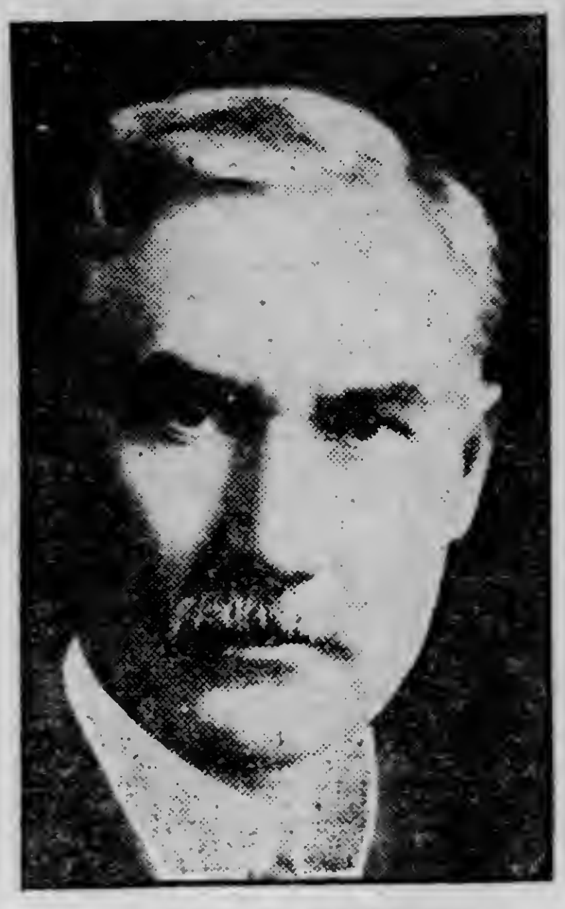

GEORGE E. ROBERTS.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Two years ago George E. Roberts resigned the post of director of the mint to go into banking. Recently his successor was promoted to be assistant secretary of the treasury and Mr. Roberts was persuaded to return to the mint bureau.

PUT LID ON CANDY SHOPS

Indian Bureau Agents Stop the Sale of Malt Extract.

Last Towns on the Cuyuna Range Are Made Dry.

Brainerd, Minn., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—United States Deputy T. E. Brents, having charge of Minnesota Indian territory and operating under W. E. Johnson, and H. E. Coggeshall and James M. Quinn on Monday closed two malt shops at Ironton, one saloon and two malt shops and a confectionery store at Cuyuna. They were accompanied on this trip by Sheriff Reid of Crow Wing county. The confectionery store had been handling malt extract. All goods were ordered shipped out and are being boxed and shipped by the proprietors of the places closed.

In the vicinity of Ironton a resort was raided and closed.

This morning the deputies closed one saloon at Crosby operating in the Spalding hotel and two malt shops. At Deerwood four malt shops were closed and a drug store was raided. All goods are being boxed and shipped away.

Cuyuna Range Dry.

These four towns constitute the Cuyuna iron range towns, and with the closing of these the entire district covered by the treaty of 1855 is now dry. Deputies Brents and Coggeshall leave tonight for Bemidji. Deputy Quinn remains in Brainerd. The brewery at Brainerd is continuing business.

CLAIM FRAUD IN COOPER'S TRIAL

Attorneys for State Are Not Allowed to File Their Petition.

Nashville, Tenn., Dec. 13.—A petition asking that the Davidson county criminal court declare illegal and void the proceedings by which Robin J. Cooper, charged with the murder of Senator Edward Ward Carmack, was dismissed, was filed this morning by all the attorneys who represented the state in the trial, in which Robin J. Cooper and his father, Duncan B. Cooper, were convicted, and by Sam C. Carmack, brother of Senator E. W. Carmack.

It charges that the effort to acquit the defendant was a fraud upon the state, done without the knowledge of any lawyer representing the state and without conference with any witnesses for the state.

After hearing the petition Judge A. B. Neil refused to allow the petition to be filed. The next move to be made will be to take the case before the supreme court on a writ of certiorari.

FEAR JOEL COOK CANNOT RECOVER.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Representative Joel Cook of Pennsylvania, who suffered a second stroke of apoplexy here last Saturday, was taken to his home in Philadelphia today. His wife and relatives accompanied him. There is little hope of his recovery.

Melvin Sheppard Ill.

New York, Dec. 13.—Melvin W. Sheppard, the half-miler, is seriously ill with pneumonia at his home in Brooklyn. His illness began with a cold contracted a week ago.

PUSH WORK ON WARSHIPS

Utah Will Be Ready for Launching in About Three Months.

Florida Will Be Completed in Another Half Year.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Each of the four great dreadnoughts being built for the United States navy progressed about 3 per cent toward the finishing point during the month of November. At this rate the battleship Utah will be complete in about three months and her sister ship, the Florida, in about six months. The Utah is being built by the New York Shipbuilding company and is 92.3 per cent completed, while the Florida, at the New York navy yard, is 83.65 per cent finished. The navy department has announced that it will require an appropriation of about $600,000 more than the $6,000,000 originally authorized in order to complete the Florida.

Wyoming and Arkansas.

The sitser ships, Wyoming and Arkansas, both of which are being built by private contract, are 46.3 and 52.8 per cent completed, respectively.

The torpedo boat destroyer, Sterett, is practically complete and will be delivered to the government within a few days. She has already reached her acceptance trial and the navy department today issued orders that she be placed in commission at the Boston navy yard as soon as practicable after her delivery by the contractors.

McCall Ready for Service.

The torpedo boat destroyer McCall will shortly be ready for naval service. She went through her acceptance trial on Saturday but the official report of the event had not been received by the department. Nearly all of the torpedo boat destroyers are in an advanced stage of completion.

The submarine torpedo boat Barracuda, which is 75 per cent completed, heads the list of that class of vessels so far as the advancement of work is concerned.

TWO SENTENCED TO HANG IN MISSOURI

One Is to Pay Penalty for an Attack on a Woman.

Jefferson City, Mo., Dec. 13.—The Missouri supreme court today sentenced Mort Holman to hang in Pike county, for an attack on a woman, an dEugene Tucker to hang in Green county for murder. Both executions will be on Jan. 26, 1911.

SUGAR WEIGHING IN SOUTH INVESTIGATED.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 13.—Beginning today the federal grand jury was reported to have undertaken an exhaustive investigation into the methods of sugar weighing at this port. Special agents of the department of justice are in New Orleans to assist in the inquiry.

ROOSEVELT IS TO CUT LOOSE

Will Speak "as the Spirit Moves" at New Haven Banquet.

Governor-Elect Baldwin Is Not Expected to Attend.

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 13.—The coming here this evening of Col. Theodore Roosevelt to be the guest and only speaker at the chamber of commerce banquet in the Yale dining hall, gives promise of ranking among the notable occasions which have marked the progress of the chamber in the affairs of the city. A year ago Mr. Taft was the guest, and in his speech advanced the idea of old age pensions. This subject later received much attention from him in his message to congress.

"As The Spirit Moves."

The subject on which Mr. Roosevelt will talk this evening will be of his own selection, and as he has stated in a letter just received here that he "will speak as the spirit moves," anticipations run high that he will deal vigorously with recent happenings in politics and national affairs.

President I. M. Ullman of the chamber will preside. A place is reserved for Governor-elect Simeon E. Baldwin, but his attendance is not looked for. President Hadley of Yale will be a guest but will not speak.

SEEK MEXICAN IN MURDER CASE

Clew Is Obtained in Death of Nathan B. Hyde in Chicago.

Chicago, Dec. 13.—The authorities of Cincinnati, St. Louis and Louisville were today asked to co-operate with the Chicago police in a search for Matthias Emil, a Mexican cornet player who the police think may have knowledge of the murder of Nathan B. Hyde, 76 years old. The victim of the crime was beaten to death with a crowbar in his rooming house last night, apparently while writing a letter at the dictation of the slayer.

According to the police the motive was robbery. The Mexican, who had a room at the place, was said by other lodgers to have been seen pacing the hall outside Hyde's door shortly before the discovery of the body. Emil when looked for later, could not be found.

Hyde was at one time United States commissioner for the Southern district of Wisconsin. His grandfather was a governor of the state of Massachusetts.

Nine Earthquake Shocks.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 13.—Nine earthquake shocks were recorded by the St. Louis university seismograph between 6:10 and 7:30 o'clock this morning. The center of the disturbance was estimated to be 240 miles southwest of the lower coast of California.

EACH PARTY GAINS TWO

Government Maintains Its Advantage in English Election.

Protestant Named By Redmond Wins in the Tyrone.

London, Dec. 13.—Two gains each in yesterday's elections, the results of which were announced today, leaves the coalitionists with an advantage still of one in the total of seats gained.

The Liberals captured the Newmarket division of Cambridgeshire and the Nationalists the mid-division of Tyrone, while the Unionists ousted the Liberals from the Torquay division of Devonshire and the Bodmin division of Cornwall. The totals are: Coalitionists, 296. Unionists, 240.

The coalition aggregate is made up thus: Liberals, 193; Nationalists, 58; Independent Nationalists, 9; Labor members, 36.

Is Redmond's Protestant.

McGhee, winner in the mid-division of Tyrone for Nationalism, is a Protestant, who was put up by John Redmond to show that the Ulsterites' fears of religious persecution were groundless.

Sir C. D. Rose, who brought the New-

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ASSASSIN TAKES POISON IN PRISON

Sasonoff and Five Others Kill Themselves in Russian Bastile.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 13.—The report that M. Sasonoff, who on July 28, 1904, assassinated Minister of the Interior Von Plevhe, had died in the prison at Zarantui, was officially confirmed today. He is said to have committed suicide. Recently rumors that Sasonoff had been fatally injured by a flogging were in circulation.

According to the governor of the prison the officers discovered a plot to release the political prisoners en masse. A large sum of money had been collected, of which $250 had been smuggled to Sasonoff. The authorities thereupon reinforced the prison guards and stopped all communication between the convicts and the outer world. They also ordered corporal punishment of two convicts.

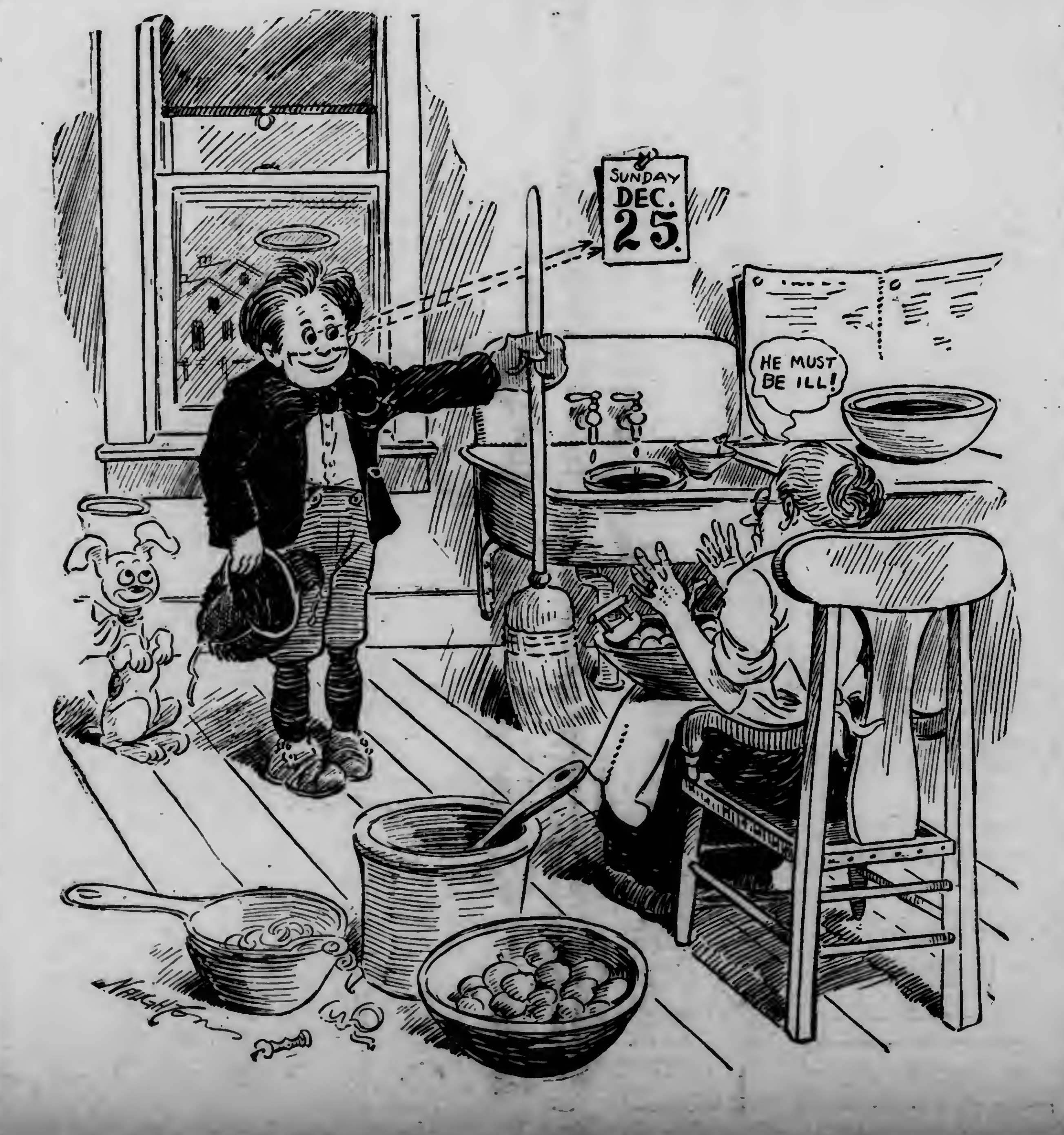
As a protest against these measures three of the prisoners severed the arteries in their wrists and three others, including Sasonoff, took fatal doses of morphine.

THREE HOMESTEADERS ARE KILLED BY GAS.

Winnipeg, Dec. 13.—Don Burriall, P. Thon and John Hornby, homesteaders, who lived together in a shack twelve miles north of Luseland, Sask., were found dead in their shack today. They had been asphyxiated by coal gas from a stove, the drafts of which had been closed when they retired last night.

'LONG 'BOUT THIS TIME O' YEAR.

Little Phil:—"I've cleaned the cellar, piled the wood, shoveled the snow off walks and now I'm waiting for it to snow again."


SUNDAY DEC. 25.
HE MUST BE ILL!

GEORGE E. VINCENT IS TO BE PRESIDENT OF GOPHER UNIVERSITY

He Has Accepted the Place to Succeed Cyrus Northrop.

New Prexy Is Dean in the University of Chicago.

Has Been in Educational Work for Score of Years.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—Dr. George Edgar Vincent, dean of the faculties of arts, literature and science in the Univeristy of Chicago, has been chosen by the regents to succeed Dr. Cyrus Northrop as president of the University of Minnesota, and has accepted the office. Formal announcement of his selection was made today.

Dr. Northrop resigned two years ago, but the regents prevailed upon him to retain the chair of president till they could find a fit successor. The choice of Dr. Vincent is said to meet with Dr. Northrop's hearty approval.

The new president is a son of Bishop John Heyl Vincent, the founder of the Chautauqua institution. He is 46 years old and is regarded as one of the most effective orators in the country. He has been engaged in educational work for twenty years.

Negotiations Kept Quiet.

Negotiations between Dr. Vincent and the Minnesota board of regents have been carried on quietly.

The only other candidate for the position was Dr. A. R. Hill of the University of Missouri, but when it became known that Dr. Hill would not accept the offer the regents began quietly looking around for another. The fact

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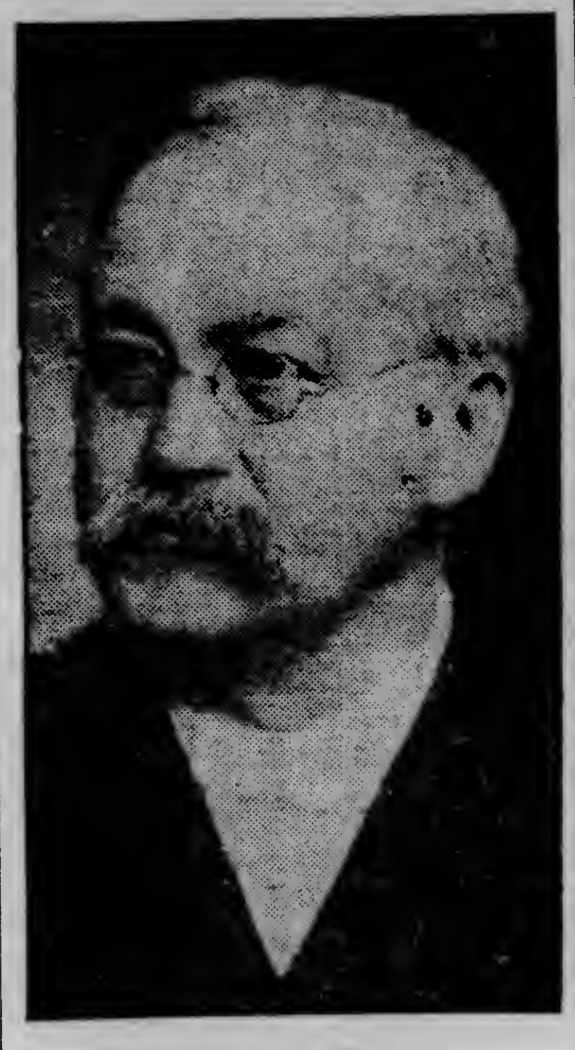
SUCCESSOR AS HEAD OF UNIVERSITY PICKED



CYRUS NORTHROP,
President of the University of Minnesota.

MONEY FOR THE NORMALS

State Board Passes Budget for the Various Schools.

Only $500 Net Increase for Support of Local Institution.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—The state normal school board yesterday passed the budget for the biennial period commencing Aug. 1 next, and decided to ask the legislature for appropriations totaling $937,638 for the two years for the five schools. This is a net increase of $11,435 over the previous two years, as an increase of approximately $70,000 in the amount asked for the support of the schools is nearly offset by a decrease of about $60,000 in the amount asked for new buildings, repairs and special purposes.

For Duluth School.

The Duluth normal gets a net increase of only $500 a year in the support fund, or from $31,500 to $32,000 a year. For special purposes it gets

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APPOINTMENT OF NEGRO OPPOSED

Proposal to Make Him Federal Attorney Meets With Protests.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Objections to the proposed appointment of William B. Lewis, a negro attorney of Boston, as an assistant attorney general, are being presented to Attorney General Wickersham. President Taft's intention to appoint Lewis, was learned semi-officially at the White House, several weeks ago.

Booker T. Washington, the negro educator, called upon Mr. Wickersham today to urge his approval of the appointment.

TRY SIX-DAY WEEK IN STEEL PLANTS

Iron and Steel Institute Proposal Is to Be Given Test.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 13.—Acting under a plan proposed by the American Iron & Steel Institute, a test of the six-day week in the mills of the companies comprising that organization is to be made. James A. Campbell, chairman of the committee and president of the Youngstown Sheet & Tube company is about to inaugurate a system with this end in view in his own plants at Youngstown, Ohio.

It is proposed to have employes work the six accepted working days of the week, and at blast furnace plants, where work is continuous, each employe is to have a day of rest during the week.

FIFTEEN-YEAR-OLD SUICIDE FOR LOVE

Girl Writes Note and Then Hangs Herself in Barn.

Lake City, S. C., Dec. 13.—Susie Gore, aged 15, of Vineland, N. C., who was visiting here, went into a barn mounted a barrel, tied a rope around her neck and jumped off. When found she was dead. She left a note mentioning the name of a young man for love of whom she was suppsed to have ended her life.

MILLER'S DAM BILL REPORTED

House Committee Favors Work Planned at Coon Creek Rapids.

Washington, Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—The committee on interstate and foreign commerce of the house today reported favorably Representative Miller's bill providing for the construction of a dam across the Mississippi river at Coon Creek Rapids.

CLAPP MAY NOT DIE OF WOUND

Wife Says She Shot Him in Struggle Over Revolver.

Philadelphia, Dec. 13.—Although he is still in a serious condition, hospital physicians say that Herbert Mason Clapp, the clubman and grandson of Mason, the "shoe blacking king," will probably recover from the bullet wound he received yesterday.

Mrs. Marie Clapp, his wife, who was arrested by the police after a statement made by the wounded husband that she shot him, was released on $2,500 bail late last night. Mrs Clapp spent the night at her father's home and today returned to her apartments, where the shooting occurred. She maintains the shooting was accidental. Mrs. Clapp admitted that she and her husband were struggling for the possession of a revolver at the time he was shot. One bullet went wild, smashing a mirror, but the other entered the man's mouth, emerging near the left ear.

Clapp is 38 years old and his wife is 23.

Much Before Public.

Clapp has had a career which has frequently brought him before the public. He inherited much money from Mason. Four years ago his wife divorced him in New York, securing yearly alimony of $3,500 and the custody of their child. Shortly after the divorce Clapp married Marie Leakell of this city. In August, 1908, they went to Texas, where Mrs. Clapp left her husband. She went to New York and Clapp followed her there, causing her arrest. The case was dismissed and they were temporarily reconciled.

WEATHER—FAIR WEATHER TONIGHT AND WEDNESDAY; WARMER TONIGHT; MODERATE SOUTHWESTERLY WINDS.—U. S. FORECAST.

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Van Wagner's Shirts for men	75c and 50c	35¢
Van Wagner's Cluett Shirts	$2.50 and $2.00	95¢
Van Wagner's Wilson Bros.' Shirts	$2.00 and $1.50	95¢
Van Wagner's Monarch Shirts	$1.25 and $1.00	75¢
Van Wagner's Fleece-lined Underwear	75c and 50c	39¢
Van Wagner's All-wool Ribbed Underwear	$1.50 and $1.00	79¢
Van Wagner's Collins Wool Underwear	$1.50	$1.19
Van Wagner's Collin's Extra Ecru Underwear	$2.00	$1.25
Van Wagner's Genuine Camel's Hair Underwear	$2.50	$1.25
Van Wagner's Plain Gray All-wool Underwear	$1.50	95¢
Van Wagner's Union Suits	$1.50	95¢
Van Wagner's Union Suits	$2.00	$1.15
Van Wagner's Silk and Mercerized Union Suits	$6.00	$3.45
Van Wagner's Lewis Union Suits	$8.00	$4.95
Van Wagner's Lewis Union Suits	$9.00	$5.75
Van Wagner's Hosiery, heavy weight	25c	12½¢
Van Wagner's Interwoven Hosiery	25c	18¢
Van Wagner's Kid Gloves	$1.50	79¢

Holiday Suspenders, Garters, Mufflers, Sweaters

Van Wagner's Caps, all colors	$1.50	95¢
Van Wagner's Caps, all colors	$1.00	69¢
Van Wagner's Stetson Hats	$4.00	$2.95
Van Wagner's Gordon Hats	$3.00	$1.95
Van Wagner's Gordon De Luxe Hats	$4.00	$2.95
Van Wagner's Suit Cases	$7.00	$5.00
Van Wagner's Suit Cases	$8.50	$6.00
Van Wagner's Suit Cases	$12.00	$8.00
Van Wagner's Suit Cases	$1.50	95¢
Van Wagner's Reed Suit Cases	$2.75	$1.35
Van Wagner's Hand Bags	$6.00	$4.00
Van Wagner's Hand Bags	$10.00	$7.00
Van Wagner's Telescopes	75c and $1.00	20¢
Van Wagner's Hand Satchels	$3.00	$1.95
Van Wagner's Hand Satchels	$1.85	95¢
Van Wagner's Shoes	$4.00	$2.75
Van Wagner's Arctic Overshoes	$3.00	$2.25
Holiday Suspenders, in Christmas boxes	35c	22¢
Holiday Suspenders	50c	35¢
Holiday Garters	$1.00	69¢
Holiday Silk Mufflers	$2.00	$1.29
Holiday Flannel Shirts	$1.50	89¢
Holiday Sweaters	$1.50	95¢

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DEFECTIVE PAGE

FALLING OFF IN TRAVEL

Passenger Business Is Quiet at the Head of the Lakes.

What has become of the passenger business of the Duluth railroads? That is what passenger agents of the local roads are asking, as well as the traveling passenger agents who make the city. As far as is known at the present time the business has disappeared for the time being.

Until after Thanksgiving the passenger business on the Duluth roads was very heavy. Since the passing into history of the turkey day, the business has dropped off, until at the present time there is hardly any in sight.

The holiday layoff of the commercial traveling public is the cause, according to the railroads, and after the first of the year there will be an increase that will bring the traffic back to the normal status.

There are a number of passenger men here today, and they all state that as far as passenger business in this district at the present time is concerned, there is little in sight. Harry Lewis, assistant general passenger agent of the Soo is here, as is Bob Haase, Northwestern passenger agent of the Baltimore & Ohio. "Billy" Mitsch, traveling passenger of the Chicago Great Western is also in the city, vainly searching for business that does not at present time seem to be in sight.

Commercial Men Called In.

Most of the large commercial houses have taken their men off the road for the annual inventory, or are calling them in; while the Eastern commercial men are off the road by the present time or are on their way home. As a railroad man said today, "The public is not in the market for railroad tickets."

Not for a long time has the passenger business been as quiet as it is the present time. However, passenger men say that they have a large number of reservations for Christmas travel. At the present time the passenger employes, those who sell tickets at least, are having a comparatively easy time.

Rates were announced today for Christmas travel that may have the affect of stimulating the present dull passenger travel. These rates apply from Duluth to various points in Canada and are announced by the Omaha, the Duluth South Shore & Atlantic, and the Soo. The tickets will go on sale Saturday and will be good for a return trip until Jan. 15.

Rates For Christmas.

The tickets of the Omaha are sold via Chicago and the Grand Trunk from Chicago on. The South Shore and the Soo will take the more direct line to Canadian points. The round trip fare is approximately one fare and a third. The Christmas excursion rates are made only in 3-cent territories, for it has been generally agreed among the railroads not to cut regular rates in the straight 2-cent passenger territory.

Passenger men here are of the opinion that general travel will show a heavy increase after the first of the year. Christmas affects travel as it does other things, and after Christmas a heavy pickup on the St. Paul-Duluth travel is looked for as well as on the travel between Chicago and Duluth.

RUNAWAY CAUSED BY SNOWBALLS

Boys throwing snowballs caused a serious runaway accident on Third avenue west this afternoon. As a result M. Levine, a fish peddler living at 19½ Second alley east, is in St. Luke's hospital and it is feared he is seriously injured internally.

Levine was driving his horse down Third avenue when the boys threw snowballs, hitting horse and driver. The horse ran down the avenue and collided with a pole at the corner of Third avenue and Second street. Levine was thrown to the ground and he was unconscious when picked up. He was hurried to the hospital and an examination disclosed no broken bones. It is feared he is internally injured, however.

ARGUE DULUTH LUMBER TAXES

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—A hearing was held this morning before State Auditor Iverson on the question of taxation on timber removed from Beltrami, Koochiching and Aitkin counties by Duluth lumber companies.

The counties contend that as the lumber was cut in their jurisdiction they should levy and collect the taxes. Duluth contends that as long as the companies are located there the city is entitled to the taxes. E. J. Bradley, president of the Duluth Logging company, appeared for the companies.

No decision was given this morning.

FIGHT CONTINUANCE OF THE DIETZ CASE.

Hayward, Wis., Dec. 13.—The application of the attorneys for John, Hattie and Leslie Dietz, charged with murdering Deputy Sheriff Oscar Harp, for a continuance of the case was strenuously resisted by the state's attorneys today. The state's counsel will offer no objection to the application of the defense to have their witnesses summoned at the expense of Sawyer county.

V. O. F. Officers.

Officers were elected for the coming year last night at Court North Star No. 49, U. O. F. The highest honors of the order were given to A. E. Paul as chief ranger.

The other officers are as follows: Past ranger, R. A. Cullum; vice ranger, M. E. Bain; secretary, Philip Thorstad; treasurer, Ernest N. Hallock; chief archer, Clara E. Paul; chaplain, Hattie Du Vall; inner warden, Ida Wink; outer warden, William Trembath; finance committee, Edna Carrall and Sarah Ashworth; musician, Theresa Carrall.

The installation of officers will take place Jan. 9.

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$200.00 Fur Coats at	$170.00	or	$160.00
$245.00 Fur Coats at	$208.00	or	$196.00
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$25.00 Fur Sets at	$18.75	$120.00 Fur Sets at	$90.00
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"HACK" ARRIVES IN THE CITY

"I want to meet Gotch and the sooner the match is made the better I will be satisfied."

These were the words of George Hackenschmidt, the famous Russian wrestler, as he reached his room in the St. Louis at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The Lion came up from Minneapolis this morning. Last night at the Auditorium in Minneapolis the Russian Lion tossed five men in thirty-six minutes.

He threw the five wrestlers in less than the stipulated time and made a wonderful impression in the Mill City, according to Jack Curley, the sport impressario, who is here with the Lion.

"They never made a man like him," said Curley this afternoon. "I have seen them all and this fellow is the most wonderful athlete that I have ever seen. He is the strongest man in the world and he is surprising students of physical culture by his wonderful muscular development."

"Hack" is short and in citizen's colthes does not look the powerful athlete that he is. When he strips his wonderful muscles seem herculean in their proportions. He is pleasant and affable and is genial of countenance. Hackenschmidt speaks several languages, is well read, has traveled in every country in the world and is always ready to chat with new found friends.

The big Russian and his party are quartered at the St. Louis.

A TRIPLE RUNAWAY

There was a spectacular triple runaway on Garfield avenue this afternoon. A dray horse started the trouble by violating all precedents of his class and running away. A collision with a milk wagon took the top off the wagon and started the team on a mad dash. The milk wagon collided with a horse attached to a cutter and that horse also ran away, running through the Alger-Smith mill and, after passing through rows of machinery, coming out on the other side of the mill with the cutter still attached. Nobody was injured.

There was also a runaway on Nineteenth avenue west this afternoon, a horse attached to a cutter getting beyond the control of the driver. The driver was not injured.

ENGINEERS' ULTIMATUM GIVEN TO RAILROADS.

Chicago, Dec. 13.—The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers' ultimatum of higher wages or a strike was delivered yesterday to the Railroad Managers' association by President Warren S. Stone of the Brotherhood. He advised the employers that the recent vote had been 97.5 per cent in favor of a strike if the demands were not granted.

During the negotiations previous to the strike vote the engineers' demands approximated an increase of 27 per cent of the present wage; the employers agreed to 10 per cent raise and the engineers receded to a 17 per cent increase basis.

FARM SCHOOLS GET $1,300,000

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—The board of regents of the state university at its meeting today appropriated $1,300,000 for the use of the agricultural college and stations at St. Anthony Park, Crookston, Morris and Grand Rapids.

Of this sum about $1,100,000 will be used at the college proper. Among the projects for which it will be spent are $165,000 for an engineering building; $200,000 for dormitories to accommodate 200 students, $100,000 for the enlargement of the drill hall and gymnasium, $68,000 for the enlargement of the dining hall, $10,000 for the enlargement of the domestic science building, $14,700 for the enlargement of the power plant, $50,000 in general improvements, $100,000 for additional instructors, $50,000 for general agricultural extension work, $200,000 for special appropriations and about $15,000 in miscellaneous items, with $2,000 for an architect to submit a plan for rearranging the buildings.

About $1,500,000 was asked for by Dean Woods and $200,000 was sliced off. These appropriations are to serve the farm school and stations during the years 1911 and 1912.

In an inventory submitted by Accountant Sprague the personal property of the university, including books, supplies, machinery, etc., was listed at a value of $1,566,650.27.

Leaves St. Cloud School.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—Karl Mathie, resident director of the St. Cloud normal school, has given his resigntaion to Governor Eberhart. It will be accepted, as Mr. Mathie will soon move to Wausau, Wis., where he has extensive paper milling interests.

Two applicants for his place are already in the field—C. L. Atwood, president of the Security National bank of St. Cloud, and J. E. Jenks, an attorney of that place. A delegation waited on the governor today to indorse Mr. Atwood.

EASTERN SHORE LINER DESTROYED BY FIRE.

Mobile, Ala., Dec. 13.—The Eastern shore liner Gen. Lee, valued at $30,000, was totally destroyed by fire early this morning lying at the wharf at Fairhope. The crew had a narrow escape, losing their clothing and personal effects.

Gifts

In Gold and Leather--And Other Gifts as Well.

There's real pleasure in selling Exclusive Gift things in an atmosphere of comfort, where you can select at leisure any hour of any day, even up to the last hurried moments—and more than that, the most exacting gift list can be filled with little trouble, less expense, and more refined and suitable selections here, than in the crowded, jostling places, where all sorts of things are found. Our selections are well chosen, and characteristic of the true gift spirt.

Gifts in Leather.

Leather Hand Bags	$3.50 to $27.50
Traveling Sets	$5.00 to $21.50
Picnic Sets	$2.00 and up
Leather Cased Bottles	$2.00 to $10.00
Traveling Pillows and Bags	$3.25 to $7.50
Collar Bags	$1.75 to $3.00
Cigar and Cigarette Cases	$2.25 to $7.50
Belts	50c to $5.00

Gifts in Brass.

Ink Wells, Desk Sets, Calendars, Trump Indicators, Pin Cushions, Pencil Holders, Note Slates, Hasty Lines, Picture Frames, Bridge Rolls, etc. Prices, $1.00 to $15.00.

Miscellaneous Gifts.

Neckwear	35c to $10.00
Ladies' Handkerchiefs	35c to $12.50
Silk Hose	65c to $10.00
Silk Underwear	$2.00 to $12.00
Silk Umbrellas	$3.00 to $15.00
Auto Veils	$1.50 to $7.50
Fancy Scarfs	$200 to $1500
Cordeliere Bags	$3.50 to $12.50
Gloves	$1.00 to $5.00
Marabou Sets	$25.00 and up
Shoulder Throws	$5.00 and up
Fans	$1.00 to $10.00

Garments as Gifts.

Furs (at 1-4 off)	$10.00 to $500.00
Gowns (at 1-3 off)	$25.00 to $150.00
Coats and Wraps (1-4 and 1-3 off)	$15.00 to $100.00
Waists	$3.50 to $25.00
Sweaters	$4.50 to $25.00
Silk Petticoats	$3.75 to $10.00
Negligees	$1.50 to $65.00
Bath Robes	$3.50 to $15.00
Dainty Aprons	50c to $5.00
Hand-made Undermuslins	$1.50 to $50.00

Gifts in Gold.

Brooches, Bracelets, La Valliers, Chain Bags, Card Cases, Chatelain Sets, Belt Pins, Hair Ornaments, etc. Prices, 50c and up.

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Gift Choosing Is Easy Here!

Just One Visit to This Vast Storehouse Will Settle Many Vexing Gift Problems. Try it.

Gifts ranging in price from **15 cents up**—large selections at a dollar and two dollars. Every article one of real value and usefulness—the kind of gifts people like to receive because they bear the hall mark of **quality.**

Come in and look around—upstairs and down—you can't help but get useful suggestions from a visit here.

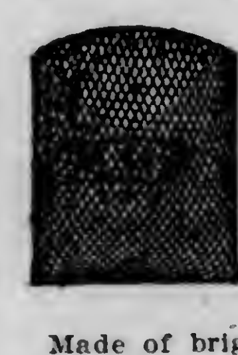
Mission Reading Lamps *A Splendid Value* **$1.58**

These lamps have 11-inch shades—of art glass—the bases and frames are of rich, dark Early English finish—making a very artistic, serviceable lamp. Note our price—only $1.58—a splendid value—not to be found elsewhere.

With 15-inch shade—for **$2.98**

With 15-inch shade—and beaded fringe—for .. **$3.68**

The above lamps are all in Mission style—similar to cut—ONE-THIRD OFF on a few higher priced sample lamps.



Fire Place Spark Guards.

30x36	$1.68
30x30	$1.15
28x28	98c

Made of bright wire, heavy frames—a good, serviceable spark guard—one of these will often save a handsome rug or dress from being burned.

Mahogany Case Clocks $6.50

Beautifully finished in genuine mahogany, with high-grade, fully guaranteed works—a beautiful present. A constant pleasure in any home. Be sure to see these great values.

$4.98 For a large, metal frame cabinet clock that usually sells for a much higher price.

Brass Electric Portables— *Christmas Price* **$4.50**

Has a square brass base with square shaped art glass shade, in amber and green. A lamp that would cost you at least $6.75 in other stores. A beautiful, useful gift.

See the Lamp We Offer at... $3.28

With dull brushed brass stand and green-white lined shade, suitable for reading or sewing lamp.

Small Desk Lamps....... $2.18

Beside these we have a splendid stock of beautiful art lamps with silk shades—bronze carved bases, candle sticks, in glass, brass and mahogany, etc. Useful, appropriate gifts for Christmas.

Brass Five o'Clock Tea Kettle **$2.18**

These Five oclock Tea Kettles are beauties—they have a good reliable alcohol lamp, are handsomely finished and come complete with standard as the cut shows—only, $2.18.

Cut Glass Pitcher **$3.18**

A beautiful cut—very heavy, clear, sparkling glass and a pitcher most stores would ask $5 for. Cut class of all kinds at money-saving prices.

A Set of Andirons or Fire Set In Brass or Iron

We are showing a very complete line of these things, and at prices easily within your reach for Christmas time. They make handsome, practical gifts. We have hearth brushes, andirons, fire screens, bellows, etc.

Showing the Handsome and Popular "La Vigne" Pattern

William A. Rogers high-grade plated silver in this beautiful pattern—for this week at special prices. Note these values:

6 Teaspoons for	98c
6 Dessert Spoons for	$1.75
3 Table Spoons for	98c
6 Knives and Forks to match	$3.98

Nickel Plated Percolators **$4.75**

One of the greatest values ever offered in a high-grade Coffee Percolator. These articles generally sell for $8 or $10. This one has a good alcohol lamp—makes ideal richly flavored coffee, right at the table.

KARNAK BRASS

Smokers' Sets in Brass

With tray, cigar holder, match safe and ash tray—all of solid brass. A splendid Christmas gift for any one who smokes.

A New Set of Dishes

You can find something that will just suit you in the wonderful collection of decorated, plain or gold band china you find here. Why not buy a new set of dishes for Christmas?

Electric Dining Room Dome *Like Cut* **$14.75**

Dull Brushed Brass Frame, with art glass shade, all complete, wired ready to hang. A splendid value.

15c Table

Plates, all sizes, Bon Bons, Cream, Ash Trays, Candle Sticks, Mugs, Salts and Peppers, etc. Pieces worth up to 35c.

25c Table

Pipe Racks, Vases, Mugs, Plates, Jardinieres, Cups, Saucers, Cream and Sugars, Tea Tiles, Fern Dishes, Ash Trays, etc. Pieces worth up to 75c.

35c Table

Fine China Plates, Baby Plates, Fern Dishes, Steins, Bread and Milk Sets, Vases, Trays, Sugar and Creams, Salts and Peppers, Bon Bons, etc. Pieces worth up to $1.00.

50c Table

Salad Bowls, Ash Trays, Sugar and Creams, Plates, Vases, Cigar Jars, Tobacco Jars, Steins, Ring Stands, Hat Pin Holders, etc. Pieces worth up to $1.25.

75c Table

Vases, Nut Bowls, Cool Bakers' Comports, Plates, Cups and Saucer Trays, all kinds of Candle Sticks, Syrup Pitchers, Mayonaise Dishes, etc. Pieces worth up to $1.50.

$1.00 Table

Salad Dishes, Footed Sugar and Creamers, Celery Trays, Spoon Trays, Nut Bowls, Cigar Jars, Pitchers, Hair Receivers and Puff Boxes, etc. Pieces worth up to $2.00.

Special Christmas Tables

Have been arranged on which are displayed hundreds of seasonable Christmas bargains, at prices from **15 cents to a dollar each.** These are in our avenue salesroom. See them.

"SKY PILOT" TO GIVE LECTURE

Frank E. Higgins Will Speak at the First Presbyterian Church.

Frank E. Higgins, the sky pilot, will speak Thursday evening at the First Presbyterian church. The lecture will be free and will begin at 7:45.

The announcement that Mr. Higgins will speak here should be enough to bring out a large crowd, as Mr. Higgins has not appeared before a Duluth audience in more than a year.

Mr. Higgins is one of the most interesting characters in Northern Minnesota. He has been identified with its history for a number of years past and he is undoubtedly better acquainted with the Minnesota lumberjack than any other person.

For years he did nothing but make rounds of the camps. There each evening he held religious services. He and his dog team and the little organ were welcome visitors at any and all the camps.

Higgins has had many interesting experiences in camp with which he illustrates his lectures.

NOTES OF BOYS' DEPARTMENT

Wednesday evening at 6.15 the Sunday club, music, social, entertainment, and Boy Scouts committees will meet for dinner and arrange the program for the Christmas vacation.

The committee will plan a program of outdoor and indoor activities that will last throughout the entire vacation. On Thursday evening the Bible, study, membership, outing, and athletic committees will meet for dinner to arrange their part of the program.

The entertainment committee has secured Leo French for an evening of fun. Friday, Dec. 16, at 8 o'clock, Mr. French will give a program including impersonations, ventriloquist stunts and imitations, whistling, character sketches, bird notes, and dialect sketches. The entertainment is one of the popular Friday nights at the club. Refreshments are served in the Dutch kitchen at the close of the entertainment.

Saturday evening at 8 o'clock Dr. Winfield Hall of Chicago will talk to the older boys on sexual hygiene. This meeting will be open to boys 15 years and over. All the boys in the city of that age and over are invited. Monday morning Dr. Hall will speak to the high school boys. Monday afternoon a meeting will be arranged for the grammar school boys. Dr. Hall is a leading authority on this topic. His subject for the older boys will be "From Youth to Manhood," and to the younger boys "The Secret of Manhood."

Frenchman Is Wounded.

Paris, Dec. 13.—The French charge d'affaires at Rio Janeiro cabled the foreign office today that a French merchant, M. Francfort, a borther of the French consular agent at Curitiba, Brazil, was wounded during the recent bombardment of the city by the naval mutineers.

ESSAY CONTEST WILL CLOSE FRIDAY

Supt. R. E. Denfeld has announced that the school contest for the sale of the Red Cross seals will be closed Friday of this week at the same time as the essay contest will be closed. The schools have been very busy competing in the sale of the little seals and during these few remaining days there will be renewed efforts. Every boy and girl in Duluth is determined that his or her school will do the very best of which it is capable and it is thought that a great many thousand seals will be disposed of. But the boys and girls are especially asked to notice that the contest will close this week instead of continuing until Dec. 23 as was first planned. The prize to the school that sells the most seals will be $10.

"The Uses of the Red Cross Seal" will be the subject about which the essays are to be written. They also must be completed and handed to the teachers by Friday of this week.

"I think that the sale of seals at this time has reached 100,000 in Duluth," said E. A. Silberstein today. "And when you consider that that is 47,000 more than was sold during all of last season in this city, it would seem that Duluth is anxious to do its share in this work. Fifty-five per cent of the money goes to local work, another large per cent is set aside for state work and a small amount of the money is used for national educational purposes. During the three weeks remaining until Christmas we expect a sale of many thousand more."

The Red Cross seals are for sale everywhere and the people who are onw writing Christmas letters and sending Christmas bundles are urged to remember to affix the seals.

In all of the department stores of the city yesterday the sales people wore the Red Cross arm band on their sleeves and this touch of color called attention of the buying public most forcibly to the little stickers. The proprietors and the salespeople are entering most heartily into the plan to help and the arm bands will be worn until the holidays are over.

SPECIAL OFFER!

One latest tone arm, double spring motor Graphophone, with six double records, twelve selections, for only **$28.90,** on easy payments.

Remember this is the only place in the city where you can get a machine of this description, with twelve selections, for such a low price. If you want one for Christmas, come in at once and have it put aside, because they will not last long.

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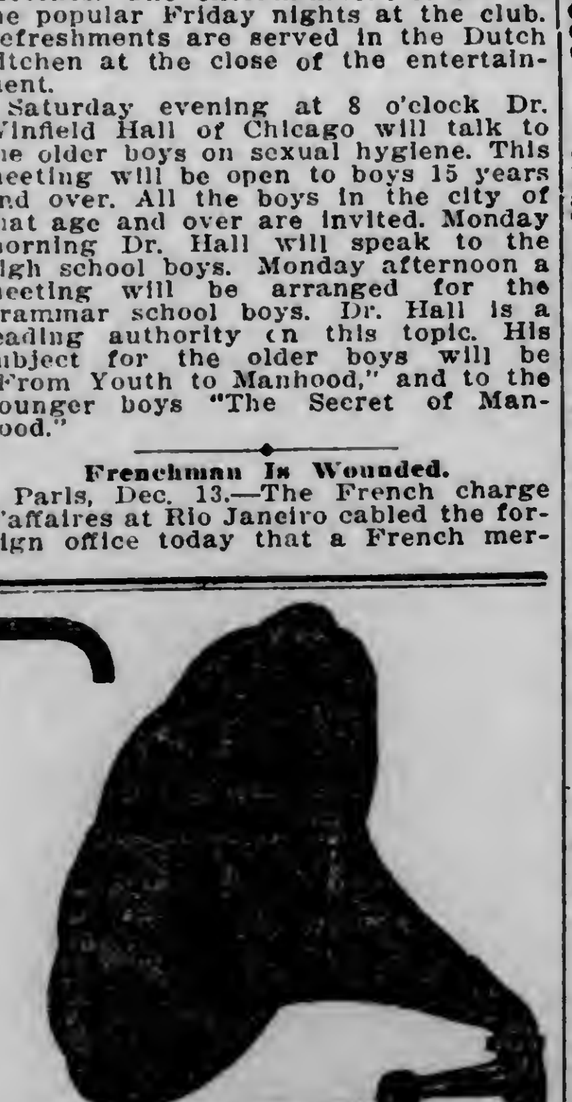
330 WEST SUPERIOR STREET.



SATURDAY NIGHT "POP"

First of Series Will Be Given at Y. M. C. A. This Week.

Musical Program Will Be Followed By Indoor Baseball Game.

The first of the Saturday night "pops" at the Y. M. C. A. will be held next Saturday night and the committee has arranged a good program. The best local talent available will be obtained for the entertainments and the committee hopes that members of the association will get together and "mix" every Saturday night.

Ladies are invited to the "pops" and the committee is busy working up enthusiasm so that the first of the series may set a high standard. The object of the affairs is the promotion of social intercourse between the members of the association and the addition of social features to the association work.

An orchestra will furnish music. M. F. Jamar, Jr., baritone, and Miss Ruth Brown, soprano, are on the program for next Saturday night. John Sinclair will give impersonations and A. B. Wegener, physical director of the association, will give an exhibition on the horizontal bar. The program will conclude with an indoor baseball game between the teams of the Y. M. C. A. and the Cathedral high school.

The lineup for the indoor baseball game follows:

Cathedral H. S.	Position.	Y. M. C. A.
J. Hock	c	R. Flaaten
H. Summers	p	Jamar, Simpson
T. Patterson	1b	W. N. Hart
M. Ahern	2b	G. R. Briggs
W. Daugherty	3b	B. N. Wheeler
J. Patt	r.s.s.	F. Crassweller
L. S. Twohy	l.s.s.	Charles Persons
A. McDowell	r.f.	Dr. Coventry
J. McDermott	r.f.	Dr. Olson

INJURED MAN IS IDENTIFIED

Friends Believe Isanti County Farmer Attempted to Commit Suicide.

Andrew Anderson, who was picked up near Eighth avenue west and Superior street by the police several days ago and taken to St. Luke's hospital, is a farmer of Isanti county, according to two neighbors who came to the police station this morning looking for him. The police thought that he had fallen over the embankment along the railroad tracks in that vicinity after trying to climb the fence. His friends declare that he never drinks, but they said that he might have tried to kill himself. They were unable to state any reason why he might want to end his life, but they explained that his mind has been slightly unbalanced.

He came to Duluth to make some purchases. His goods arrived all right, but his family and neighbors became nervous when he failed to put in an appearance. They came to Duluth this morning to locate him, finding him in the hospital in serious shape. He had a bad cut on the head and his body was bruised in numerous places. It is expected that he will recover.

CREDITORS ARE AFTER PATENT

George Decker Is Claimed to Have Rights Worth $15,000.

Claiming that the conveyance of his rights in a car loading apparatus patent to George W. Decker to his wife was made to defraud his creditors, the P. H. & F. M. Roots company has filed suit in United States court against Decker, his wife and the Clyde Iron Works to have the conveyance set aside and a contract between Mrs. Decker and the Clyde Iron Works nullified.

The plaintiff charges in the complaint that Decker became indebted to the company in 1900 for $14,000, of which $6,000 had been paid on July 3, 1907. It is alleged that during 1907 Decker gave two promissory notes for the balance, but has never taken up the notes.

The company alleges that the patent on the car loading apparatus was granted to Decker in 1900, and in 1904 he conveyed his rights to his wife. Mrs. Decker made a contract with the Clyde Iron Works for the manufacture of the apparatus and it is alleged the royalties are paid to Decker. The company alleges the patent is worth $15,000 and that it should be sold to pay the claim it holds against Decker.

"Dead"—Comes to Life.

Mason City, Ia., Dec. 13.—D. C. Gardner, a farmer of Dodge Center, Minn., fell while running to catch a train here and remained unconscious over an hour. For a time it was thought he was dead and he was taken to an undertaker's. His head struck against a stone.

Great Garment Selling!

The dispersal that started this morning on the garment floor—lookt like a holiday rush in a bargain store on Christmas eve.

Selling continues without intermission comprizing

Annual Sale of Dresses

(None Reserved.)

ALL	Dresses up to $25	$15
	Dresses us to $35	$25
	Dresses up to $42.50	$29.50
	Dresses up to $57.50	$35

All higher priced dresses at proportionate reductions.

All Evening Coats 1/4 Off

from a simple Cape of broadcloth at **$19.50,** to the finest function Wraps.

None reserved.

Half Price Suit Sale

(Except Custom Mades.)

Our Suits are mostly blacks and blues—the assemblage is freshly new—not one "sale suit" in the store.

Because of extraordinary reductions—this Sale will be for cash only.

Uphill Work

It is uphill work to try to squeeze all the Christmas shopping into the last week.

It is uphill work to have to give more costly things than you feel you can afford, because you cannot find the right things at moderate prices.

It is uphill work in the average store—finding the unique thing that does credit to your individuality and delights the cultured friend.

It is uphill work running to half a dozen stores and then not finding what you like.

May we suggest that you make it easy for yourself by beginning at once and **beginning at Silberstein & Bondy Co.—**

the store that is rich in suggestions for unique gifts that cannot be found elsewhere.

Christmas Furs

It is bad policy to deceive oneself into believing that one knows furs.

However, an expert knowledge of furs is not necessary when one is sure of the dependability of the store.

We could tell about hundreds of fur coats and sets of furs—but mere descriptions do not suffice.

Look at the Russian Pony Coat in our window markt **$57.50,** that sells regularly at **$75.**

Moderate prices are the perpetual rule of S. & B. furs, making it unnecessary to have perpetual "Sales" in order to dispose of them.

Silberstein & Bondy Company

Men's Pure Linen Handkerchiefs

Plain H. S. Handkerchiefs, all widths, **25¢** upward.

Initials, **$1.50** and **$3.00** for box of six.

Novelty Silk Handkerchiefs, **50¢** up.

Ladies' hand-embroidered Handkerchiefs (Swiss), Welch, Margetson & Co.'s fancy linen Handkerchiefs, **50¢** up.

Our Handkerchief stock embraces almost everything one could desire.

Genuine Seal, Walrus and Alligator

Bags and Suit Cases

$15.00 upwards.

Fine calf or bridle leathers, **$10.00** up.

BEAR RUGS—Russian and Siberian—**$50.00** upwards.

Silk knitted **Cravats, Scarfs** and **Mufflers.**

Suit Case Silk Umbrellas, for both ladies and gentlemen.

Bath Robes, Jackets, and **Lounge Robes,**

Pajamas, Unajamas, Night Robes, Cravats-de-Luxe, Silk Hosiery, Fownes' Gloves, Dunlap and Stetson Hats.

SHOP EARLY!

A. B. Siewert & Co.

304 WEST SUPERIOR STREET.

WALRUS BAGS

that are genuine, and at a price within reach of all

Don't pay $20 to $25 when you can buy a genuine walrus (not walrus grain) at **$16.50.** We carry a full line of Seal Grain, Box Calf and Cowhide Bags, at exceptional low prices.

Come in and look at the largest stock of Trunks, Bags and Suit Cases carried in Duluth.

DON'T FORGET TO BOOST DULUTH
BUY FROM THE MAKER

NORTHERN TRUNK CO.,

228 WEST FIRST STREET

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Fixtures and Electrical Supplies. Wiring and Repair Work a specialty. Zenith 'Phone 3143-D. 5412 Ramsey St.

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Why not You? For information, call Nernst Lamp Company, 304-5-6 New Jersey Building.

There is nothing more appropriate than a PORTRAIT for Christmas.
F. E. GREEN STUDIO,
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BANK BOOK FOR CHRISTMAS!
THE tendency to present PRACTICAL gifts becomes more pronounced each year, and there can be no doubt concerning the appreciation of such gifts.
For members of your family what gift could prove more acceptable than a bank book showing a substantial deposit in this strong bank?
Call and confer with us on this subject.
3% Interest Paid
On deposits, compounded every six months.
AMERICAN EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK,
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The most modern, most comfortable apartments for single men in the city.
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320 West First Street.
The surroundings and attendance you would expect in a first-class club for less than half the cost. You are invited to call and view them.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS
Scotch and Irish One Pound Notes,
English Sovereigns,
German Mark,
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Swedish & Norwegian Kroner,
New Gold & Currency
—at—
FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF DULUTH

DIAMONDS.
We are placing on sale a large stock of unredeemed Diamonds.
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KEYSTONE LOAN CO.,
22 West Superior Street.

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A. Jensen, 330 North 57th Ave. W. J. J. Moran, 316½ North Central Ave.

PLAYING FOR ESTERLY CUP

Curlers Assigned for Second Trophy Event---Squad Style Prevails.

Hurst Event Into Semi-Finals "Kid Rink" Meets Defeat.

A drawing has been made in the Esterly event at the West Duluth curling rink, Fifty-seventh avenue west and Bristol street, and last evening the first games were played. Olson took Method into camp, 10 to 5, and Zauft out curled Holland, 16 to 7.

In the Esterly event, the games will be played in squad style. There are three squads as follows:

Squad one—Method, Wade's "Kids," Macauley, Olson and Scott.

Squad two—Zauft, Strand, Holland and Buckley.

Squad three—Wade, Evered, Iltis and Keyes.

The usual handicaps will prevail and the rinks taking part in the affair have been classified into five classes. A, B, C, D and E. A rink in Class E is allowed a handicap of four points when matched against a Class A rink; a Class D rink, three points; Class C, two points, and Class B, one point.

The following is the classification of the rinks entered: Class A—Wade, Evered, Iltis, Keyes, Zauft and Macauley. Class B—Method, Olson, Scott and Holland. Class C—Wade's "Kids." Class D—Strand. Class E—Buckley.

In the Hurst event, Wade's "Kids" last evening met their first defeat this season, when Macauley teased them along to a 13 to 12 defeat. The play was exciting up to the last head, when the Macauleyites broke the spell and put one over. This put Macauley into the semi-finals with Keyes.

Keyes and Maculey will play tomorrow evening and the winner will met Wade in the finals. The event will probably be brought to a close this week. This evening three games will be played in the Esterly event. Wade will meet Iltis, Evered will clash with Keyes and Olson will furnish the opposition for Zauft.

The curlers are gratified with the early start that they had this season and interest in the sport seems to be growing among the West Duluthians. This evening there will be music for the skaters at the rink.

ELEVENTH CHILD IN THE FAMILY

County Supports Frank Koski's Numerous Offspring, Physician Reports.

A son, the eleventh child, has been born into the family of Frank Koski, laborer, residing at 5911 Nicollet street.

According to the birth certificate filed by County Physician Robert Graham at the health office today, Koski has not been supporting the family and they have been receiving aid from the county. A notation to this effect was made on the certificate.

Koski has caused no end of trouble to the police at West Duluth and the other authorities. He has been arrested a number of times for drunkenness, and once, two years ago at Wolf, Minn., for non-support.

The police say that his wife has refused to appear against him and will not swear out a warrant for his arrest on a non-support charge.

BARN AND CHICKEN COOP ARE BURNED.

Fire broke out at an early hour today at a barn at the rear of the home of S. H. Hansen of 5723 Tacony street. The barn and a chicken coop burned, entailing a loss of about $250. The adjoining building, another barn, was also scorched but the blaze was put out by firemen from No. 8. The fire started from a stove left in the hencoop.

PRESBYTERIAN YOUNG MEN IN MOCK TRIAL.

A mock trial entitled "The Case Against Casey" will be presented at Victor hall, Fifty-sixth avenue west and Grand avenue, Friday evening by young people of Westminster Presbyterian church. In the cast will be a number of those who successfully performed the sketch, "Modern Justice" last winter at West Duluth.

The cast of characters follows:

Judge O'Flanagan............ Himself
Attorney Skin, for the plaintiff...... ....L. F. Schober
Attorney Takethecoin, for the defense .... Earl Brooks
Clerk of court.....William McClelland
Dennis Casey, defendant............ ....William M. Ritchie
Miss Dotty Perkins, plaintiff........ .... J. Sorenson
Ruben Louder, witness....E. Anderson
John Gunn, witness..William Axelrood
Claw Hammer, witness.............. .... Leonard Wingren
I. C. Uno, witness....Fremont Schober

JURY.

I. M. White, negro.......Roland Clark
One Lung, Chinaman.............. .... Laurance Sorenson
Michael Mulcohy, Irish.Willie Anderson
Fritz Bumblesburger, Dutch......... .... Charles Zaiser
Wear Goodclothes, tramp............ .... Stanley Allen
Hiram Hearsay ....Floyd Borreen
Izy Marks ....Frank Shanko
Jonathan Judkins.......Donald Krantz
Jimmie Spikes..........Ralph Strevel
Welldone Macaroni.....Earl Galbraith
Count de Crackerjack..Albin Peterson
Ole Oleson..............Roy Winness

Annual Supper.

The annual supper of the Ladies' Aid Society of the West Duluth Baptist church will be held Friday evening at the church, Fifty-ninth avenue west and Grand avenue. The program for the affair is now being arranged.

Sewing Circle Meets.

The Busy Bee Sewing circle, a joint organization of the girls of Immanuel Norwegian Lutheran church of West Duluth and St. Paul's Lutheran church of the West end met last evening at the home of Miss Mary Alveson and planned a social and sale of fancy articles to be given tomorrow evening at Victor hall, Fifty-sixth avenue west and Grand avenue. The proceeds will go to the two churches.

West Duluth Briefs.

Christmas cigars. Your choice is here. Big fancy line of Christmas and New Year's cards, booklets, calendars and postals. Spencer Pharmacy company.

Watch repairing. Hurst, West Duluth.

For rent—two furnished rooms; all conveniences. 217 South Fifty-sixth avenue west.

The first quarterly conference of Merritt Memorial M. E. church will be held at the church, Wednesday, Dec. 21, with Rev. E. K. Copper, district superintendent, presiding.

The funeral of Hilda Mary, 15-year-old daughter of Carl Johnson of 5915 Nicollet street, who died Saturday in a St. Paul hospital, was held this afternoon from the residence with burial at Oneota cemetery.

At a meeting of the Philathea club of the West Duluth Baptist church last evening at the home of Miss Georgina Ross of 5822 Grand avenue, plans were made for holding a progressive social shortly after the first of the year.

Miss Adeline Hagen left yesterday for Rochester, Minn., where she will visit with friends.

Miss Mabel McDowell of 410½ Central avenue has as her guests, her cousins, Misses Cosette Deering and Mary Lancourt, both of Virginia.

Mrs. Arthur Bruley is reported to be seriously ill at St. Luke's hospital.

Mrs. Edith Merritt of 4610 Magellan street will entertain the Ladies' Aid Society of Merritt Memorial M. E. church at her home, tomorrow afternoon.

Rev. E. B. Collier, rector of Holy Apostle's Episcopal church, left this morning for Two Harbors, where this evening he will conduct services.

Miss Eunice Forbes is reported ill at her home, 116 North Fifty-sixth avenue west.

Mock trial, Victor hall, Friday night, Dec. 16.

SUPERIOR

BLOCK TO COST ABOUT $22,500

Condemnation Board Fixes Value on Proposed Third Ward Playgrounds.

A valuation of $22,500 was placed on a block of land in the Third ward this morning by a board which is hearing the condemnation proceedings started by the city for the acquisition of the property by the city for park purposes.

The block will be between Sixth and Seventh streets north and Baxter and Grand avenues. The hearing is being held before Justice French.

The block will be converted into a park and public playground for the children.

FAIL TO CONVICT EMPLOYMENT MAN

Charles Frank, employment agent, charged with obtaining money under false pretenses from Max Kramer, was cleared of the charge yesterday in municipal court.

Kramer was sent by Frank into a Northern Minnesota lumber camp having paid Frank to secure him a job. When he arrived there, he found no work.

Thomas Kileen, owner of the camp was in court and testified that he had given Frank orders for men. This let Frank out.

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H. E. Glendorf, auctioneer, was arrested yesterday for the second time within two weeks, on a charge of conducting an auction at the Klimek Jewelry store on Tower avenue without a license. He was arraigned in court and the case was set over until Dec. 16.

POULTRY MEN ORGANIZE.

Superior Chicken Fanciers Elect Officers and Plan Exhibition.

N. S. Beardsley was elected president of the Superior Poultry association last evening at the Commercial club. H. J. Hammerbeck is secretary-treasurer and E. G. Wilson was elected vice president. The board of managers includes E. J. St. Onge, chairman; F. Shipp and F. E. Connor.

The purpose of the meeting last evening was to effect a permanent organization and to make preliminary arrangements for a poultry show which will be held Feb. 14 to 17, inclusive. The exhibition is to follow the one which will be held at Duluth next February.

THE FORMAL ACCEPTANCE.

School Board Will Take Over New $300,000 High School Wednesday.

A formal acceptance of Superior's $300,000 Central high school will be made by the school board at a special meeting tomorrow morning.

Arris & Sedlachak are the contractors and this week put the finishing touches on the job. The building, however, has been in use for the past two months.

The board, at its regular meeting last evening, granted the Commercial club the use of the high school auditorium on Jan. 5, 6 and 7, when a series of agricultural lectures will be held by Professors Agvic and Dean Russell of the University of Wisconsin.

ARRANGE GAME WITH CUMBERLAND QUINTET.

A basket ball game has been arranged between the Superior Central high school and Cumberland high school for Jan. 13, the contest to be pulled off in Superior in the new Central gym. Coach McKale has also made arrangements to play Ashland, Jan. 27 and 28 at Ashland and Feb. 17 and 18 at Superior.

Yesterday at the Central high school gymnasium, the seniors defeated the juniors, 23 to 22. Friday the freshmen defeated the sophomores, 28 to 18.

BANQUET IN HONOR OF DEPARTING PRINCIPAL.

A farewell banquet in honor of A. C. Shong, former principal of the Central high school, who has resigned to go to Milwaukee, where he will become principal of the West Division high school, was held last evening at the Commercial club by the Schoolmaster's club. Addresses were made by Supt. W. E. Maddock of the city schools, Principal Schofield, C. H. Crownhart, state normal school regent; W. H. Zwickey, medical inspector of the public schools and Prof. A. D. S. Gillet of the normal school.

Oratorical Contest.

Six young women have entered the annual oratorical contest at the normal school, which will be held tomorrow evening, the winner to represent the school at the state contest to be held at La Crosse in March. Those who have entered are: Misses Frances Robb, Pearl Laurie, Judith Hedquist, Katharine Sarazin, Agnes Akin and May Free.

Michigan Slayer to Asylum.

Bessemer, Mich., Dec. 13.—The medical commission appointed to investigate and report as to the sanity of Thomas Person in killing his father-in-law, finds him irresponsible for his acts. He will go to the asylum for criminally insane.

Minnesota Boy Burned.

Red Wing, Minn., Dec. 13.—By the explosion of a can of kerosene used in lighting a kitchen fire the 8-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Peters, residing two miles west of Cannon Falls, received burns which proved fatal. His mother and 15-year-old sister were pianfully burned.

PHILLIP ACKER
has reopened the grocery store at 727 East Second street, formerly run by J. S. Polski, and is already for Business with a complete line of Fancy and Staple Groceries, Cigars, Candy, etc. We make a Specialty of Home Baking.

FINEST AFRICAN PLUMES HALF PRICE

Tomorrow we offer you choice of our entire stock of finest African Willow Plumes at just half the regular selling prices.

$5.00 Silk Petticoats for $1.98
Just a limited number of $5.00 Black Silk Petticoats—Deep ruffle and flounce; made of good quality chiffon taffeta, for.....$1.98

$1.00 Royal Corsets for 25c
One lot of short Royal Worcester Corsets—The best one dollar corset manufactured; sizes from 23 to 30; to close....................25c

$5 and $6 Silk Waists for This Week $2.98
Tomorrow we place on sale a very choice line of Black and Navy Taffeta Silk—Also Black and Navy Messaline Waists—Also one lot of Ecru Net Waists—Very appropriate for Christmas gifts; regular $5.00 and $6.00 value, all this week..........$2.98

$6 to $8 Voile and Panama Skirts for this Week $4.98
These Skirts are made of finest French Panama and Hard Twisted Voile—Made in very latest style; regular $6.00 to $8.00 values, all this week..........$4.98

$3 Heatherbloom Petticoats for This Week $1.49
Fine quality Black Heatherbloom Petticoats—Made with very deep and elaborately trimmed flounce; regular $3.00 value, for all this week..........$1.49

All Furs at Greatly Reduced Prices
Here is an opportunity to buy a practical Christmas gift at a big saving in price.
$9.00 Brown Coney Muff and Scarf for $5.95. $25.00 Black French Lynx Muff and Scarf for $14.95. $25.00 Black Bear Muff and Scarf for $15.00. $50.00 Natural Wolf Muff and Scarf for $35.00. Also all Jap Mink Sets, Isabella Fox Sets, Sable Fox Sets, Russian Lynx Sets, at greatly reduced prices for balance of this week.

$4.00 Children's Coats for $1.98
Beautiful line of Children's Coats—Sizes from 6 to 12 years; in grey mixture; regular $4.00 value, special price this week..........$1.98

25c and 35c Taffeta Ribbons 19c
Black Taffeta Ribbons, in widths of 80, 100, 120; just the right kind for girls hair ribbon bows; regular 25c and 35c values, for.....19c

$15.00 to $20.00 Ladies' Winter Coats for $9.98
Beginning tomorrow and continuing all this week we offer a beautiful line of Fancy Mixtures and Black Broadcloth Coats—Very latest models; sold regularly at $15.00 to $20.00, take your choice this week..........$9.98

$2.00 Mercerized Waists 98c
Plain Black Allover Embroidered Waists—Also White Allover Embroidered Waists; regular $2.00 values, for..........98c

$20.00 Taffeta Silk Dresses $9.98
Navy, Black and Brown Taffeta Silk Dresses—Very prettily made; regular $20.00 value, all this week the price will be..........$9.98

Over One Hundred Trimmed Hats for $1.98
For balance of this week we offer over one hundred very beautiful Trimmed Hats—In all colors and very latest creations; sold regularly at $5.00, $6.00, $7.00, for all this week, take your choice at one price..........$1.98

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CHRISTMAS SALE OF BEAUTIFUL ORIENTAL RUGS 25% DISCOUNT

ONE of the choicest gifts you could make would be a handsome, real Oriental Rug—We will make a special inducement from now until Christmas—allowing a discount from our regular low prices of 25 per cent. This discount is on our entire stock of large and small Oriental Rugs—it offers an exceptional opportunity to buy at a big saving. Every rug is marked in plain figures—be on hand Monday—our new rug and drapery department on the third floor.

Select your rugs now—they will be delivered later, in time for Christmas. The sale commences Monday, December 12th, at eight o'clock in the morning.

OUR NEW RUG AND DRAPERY DEPARTMENT AFFORDS A RICH FIELD FOR THE UNDECIDED GIFT GIVER. BE SURE AND VISIT IT

Here you will find a wonderful assortment of the very newest, latest things in beautiful Lace Sets, Center Pieces, Plate Doilies, Table Linen, Napkins, Towels, Blankets, Comfortables, Leather Table Covers, Lace Curtains, Portiers, Cedar Chests, Matting Boxes, Sofa Pillows, Silk Comforters, Leather Goods, Wool Blankets, etc. The prices are within easy reach of any one—Liberal Credit if you want it—and the very best of store service.

TAKE THE ELEVATOR **French & Bassett** DULUTH, MINN. TO THE THIRD FLOOR

REPORTS OF RANGE ROADS

Missabe Handled More and Iron Range Less Ore Than in 1909.

Hull-Rust at Hibbing Establishes New Record for Year's Output.

The Duluth, Missabe & Northern in the season recently ended, transported 13,609,155 tons of iron ore from the Mesaba range to Duluth. The Duluth & Iron Range carried 8,271,169 tons from the Mesaba and Vermilion ranges to the docks at Two Harbors. Last year the Missabe carried 13,470,503 tons and the Duluth & Iron Range transported 9,192,127 tons.

The big Hull-Rust of the United States Steel corporation at Hibbing was, as usual, the biggest shipper. The Hull and the Rust broke all previous records and established a new one for the most ore ever produced in one year by any iron property. The Fayal and the Adams of the United States Steel corporation at Eveleth were the second and third largest shippers, respectively.

A feature of the season was the heavy output of ore from the lands under lease from the Great Northern Ore company by the United States Steel corporation. This territory known as the Hill lands, is on the Western Mesaba. The Canisteo, which will be the biggest open pit mine in the world some day, the Holman, Hill and the Walker, shipped heavily. Last year the Holman was a large producer and the Canisteo sent out a small amount of ore.

For the first time in many years a new producer appeared on the Vermilion range. The Section 30 property, known as the Shagawa mine, was placed on a shipping basis after many years of exploration and development.

Following is a list of the shippers for 1910, with comparisons for 1909:

Duluth, Missabe & Northern Road.

	Gross Tons. 1910.	Gross Tons. 1909.
Burt	799,756	1,660,101
Sellers	954,044	926,169
Pool	233,058	......
Rust	682,651	......
Morris	812,062	1,831,187
Morris Burt	184,598	......
Morris Day	368,014	......
Hull	2,507,323	......
Winnifred	53,921	84,614
Winnifred Day	13,765	......
Shenango-Humphrey	33,575	......
Leonard Burt	......	6,857
Tener	......	256,384
Glen	286,051	396,591
Myers	131,440	193,698
Clark	471,871	484,512
Chisholm	552,298	314,597
Monroe	......	147,521
Hartley-Burt	113,512	......
Canisteo	339,057	85,505
Holman	413,873	391,157
Hill	271,967	......
Walker	766,104	......
Norman	920,112	......
Missabe Mtn	7,226	......
Higgins	118,006	322,504
Chemung	33,848	......
Alpena	242,373	......
Lincoln	318,913	303,066
Shenango	962,411	831,099
Iroquois	231,842	152,510
Troy	104,057	86,520
Susquehanna	176,869	243,049
Silver	358,430	256,073
Nassau	......	11,940
Wacotah	35,498	......
Brunt	110,630	14,212
Totals	13,609,155	13,470,503

Duluth & Iron Range Road.

	Gross Tons.	Gross Tons.
Soudan	75,511	74,862
Pioneer	526,434	477,226
Zenith	283,320	321,951
Savoy	59,875	83,167
Sibley	206,386	151,009
Fayal	1,485,098	1,879,357
Genoa	283,299	....
Adams	1,258,295	1,829,372
Spruce	613,946	579,903
Gilbert	110,788	783,683
McKinley	....	89,981
Duluth	57,238	150,501
Norman	57,825	....
Minnewas	963	....
Section 30	51,649	....
Adriatic	135,684	107,317
Spring	31,403	....
Silverton	14,245	....
Virginia	299,046	1,843,450
Mohawk	123,176	216,291
Syracuse	....	5,509
Bangor	17,670	....
Elba	186,982	244,202
Corsica	277,529	135,366
Malta	62,368	92,356
Minorca	66,510	119,154
Yawkey	30,438	45,790
Perkins	80,621	59,029
Hudson	168,552	....
Franklin	31,612	51,393
Bessemer	8,693	227,767
3 shaft Bessemer	106,447	....
4 shaft Bessemer	2,031	....
Monica	69,503	7,614
Schley	13,368	....
Pettit	62,456	83,548
Mariski	23,265	77,690
Victoria	27,592	113,305
Wills	26,711	....
La Belle	20,349	27,216
Miller	216,263	217,119
Biwabik	544,243	542,821
Cincinnati	....	4,537
Fowler	204,639	99,892
Meadow	4,391	....
Hector	82,393	30,726
Kellogg	142,907	165,458
Larkin	21,701	46,651
Knox	50,927	7,464
Roberts	26,915	....
Alberta	19,888	....
Totals	8,271,169	9,192,127

GEORGE E. VINCENT IS TO BE PRESIDENT OF GOPHER UNIVERSITY

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that Dr. Vincent was under consideration was not generally known until the announcement was made today.

Last Saturday Dr. Vincent came to St. Paul and met the regents and was entertained at dinner by the members of the board. It was then that he accepted the presidency. Following this meeting he returned to Chicago to await the formal announcement of the regents.

Dr. Vincent will assume charge of the university April 1, when Dr. Cyrus Northrop will retire.

Dr. Vincent is a Yale graduate of the class of 1885. In 1888 he became vice president of the Chautauqua in that institution; fellow of sociology in the University of Chicago from 1892 to 1894; assistant in sociology in 1894-95; instructor in 1895-96, and assistant professor from 1896 to 1900.

Given Doctor's Degree.

In 1896 he received from the University of Chicago the degree of doctor of philosophy. In 1907 he was chosen president of the Chautauqua institution. In the same year Dr. Vincent was made dean of the faculties of arts, literature and science in the University of Chicago, the position which he has held up to the present time.

Dr. Vincent has been prominent as a writer on sociological subjects, and in collaboration with Prof. A. W. Small in 1895 published "An Introduction to the Study of Society." In 1896 he issued "The Social Mind in Education."

Rheumatism is a blood disease. It can be cured only by ridding the blood of extraneous matter. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures it, as it does other blood diseases. "The necessity for a good blood purifier," writes W. G. Skinner, Wakefield, Mass., "was first impressed on me when I took Hood's Sarsaparilla for a severe attack of rheumatism. As soon as I began to take this medicine, I felt better and in a short time I was entirely cured, and have been in good condition ever since."

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EACH PARTY GAINS TWO

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market division of Cambridgeshire back into the Liberal fold, is a popular racing man with a big following at the racing headquarters.

The victories of the Unionists, Col. Burn and Sir Reginald Pole-Carew, in the Torquay division of Devonshire and the Bodmin division of Cornwall respectively, were anticipated.

Details of Returns.

Following are the detailed election results in the constituencies which were polled yesterday:

Cambridgeshire (Newmarket), Sir C. D. Rose, Liberal, majority 399. Liberal gain. At the last election this seat was a Unionist gain, the majority being 120.

Staffordshire (Northwest), A Stanley, Labor, majority 3,185. No change.

Londonderry (South), J. Gordon, Unionist, majority 333. No change.

Herefordshire (Ross), Capt. P. A. Clive, Unionist, majority 121. No change.

Surrey (Reigate), Col. R. H. Rawson, Unionist, majority 2,516. No change.

Essex (Tilbury), J. H. M. Kirkwood, Unionist, majority 1,217. No change.

Somerset (Bridgewater), R. A. Sanders, Unionists, majority 1,381. No change.

Wicklow (East), J. Muldoon, Nationalist, majority 1,109. No change.

Devonshire (Torquay), Col. C. R. Burn, Unionist, majority 130. Unionist gain. Liberal majority last election 115.

Lancashire (North Lonsdale), G. B. Haddock, Unionist, majority 74. No change.

Glamorganshire (East), Clem Edwards, Liberal, majority 3,485. No change.

Sussex (Rye), G. L. Courthope, Unionist, majority 2,252. No change.

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MONEY FOR THE NORMALS

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only $2,250 a year for the two years, while the last legislature provided $115,000 for the two years, in which was included $65,000 for a dormitory and $50,000 for a new wing to the main building.

The only business transacted by the board outside of approving the budget was to sanction the contract for the proposed new wing to the school at Duluth, the cost of which will be $50,000.

Funds To Other Schools.

For the Winona Normal an increase from $39,500 to $49,750 per year is asked for support, a net increase for the two years of $20,500.

For the Mankato school an increase from $44,500 to $53,200 per year for support is asked, a net increase for the two years of $17,400.

A request of the St. Cloud school for $100,000 for a new dormitory was turned down by the board, but $50,000 was allowed for a model school building and $13,500 for an addition to the grounds. The total asked for special purposes is $80,360, while two years ago it was $13,400.

The budget increases the support fund of the Moorhead school from $45,500 to $50,500 for next year and $51,500 the following year, a net increase of $11,000.

FIVE SQUADS OF POLICE IN RAIDS

Only One Alleged Blindpigger Caught in District Under Suspicion.

Simultaneous raids were made by five squads of police last evening between 6 and 7 o'clock, with the net result that Dan Smolcich was arrested on a charge of running a blindpig. Two cases of beer were found in his place, at 721 West Superior street.

The raids were made for the purpose of running down suspected blindpiggers. The police activities were confined to the territory bounded by Sixth and Seventh avenues west and along First street, and First alley and Superior street. Smolcich will be tried tomorrow morning.

WALK SIXTY MILES IN THE BITTER COLD, AND WITHOUT FOOD

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each. This he claims he is unable to do. His ticket states that he is to do piece work, but being unable to read English, he asserts that he didn't know this, and wouldn't have gone if he had. He says that he paid the agent $1 for the job and paid his own railroad fare, amounting to $1.15.

Worked for Supper.

Getting to the camp at supper time he stated that he had to unload a large load of hay before he could get anything to eat. Then he alleges that he and the three men with him had to sleep on the stable floor.

In the morning after breakfast he says that the foreman asked him for pay. Without a cent he asserts that he was unable to comply with the request, and that the foreman thereupon took his cap away from him, following it up by kicking him out of the camp. Frank Baker, who was with him, and who also appeared at the city attorney's office this forenoon, managed to save his cap, he says, by running away, although several men in the camp gave chase.

The other two also took to their heels, but up to noon they had not reached the city. Bareheaded Zareck set out for Duluth. He and Baker were able to outwalk the others and left them behind after they had traveled several miles. As far as they know they are still somewhere on the road between the camp and Duluth, probably in a serious predicament, none of the men having enough money to purchase a railroad ticket, having spent about the last of their money to get the jobs at Hagstrom Bros.' place.

This is the second experience which Zareck has had. He came to Duluth a week ago Monday after having worked at another company's camp four days, being discharged by the foreman, according to his story. He had a few dollars and this went for board for the few days he was there and to getting the last job, which resulted so disastrously to himself. His feet were so badly frozen that it is thought part of them, at least, will have to be amputated. They were still black and swollen this morning and he had not had the services of a physician. The interpreter who was with Zareck and Baker said that Zareck has a hospital ticket and that he will go to the hospital. He was in pitiful shape, the tears running from his eyes in spite of himself, because of the pain he was suffering.

Prosecutor Dacey will investigate the case thoroughly along with other complaints of a similar nature which have been made to him. He has announced that in convictions for serious violations of the employment ordinance he will ask the municipal court to impose jail sentences without the option of a fine.

Foley Kidney Pills are tonic in action, quick in results, and restore the natural action of the kidneys and bladder. They correct irregularities. Sold by all druggists.

FARM LABORER TURNS BANDIT

Shoots South Dakota Man and Barricades Himself in House.

Yankton, S. D., Dec. 13.—Daniel Courtney, a prominent farmer near Yankton, was shot and probably fatally wounded last night by George Rossteuscher, a discharged farm hand, who then barricaded himself in an upper room of the Courtney home. Rossteuscher allowed no one to approach the house this morning except a priest who is attending Courtney.

Sheriff Hickey is at the head of a large posse which now surrounds the house. Threats of lynching are made if Rossteuscher is taken alive.

Mrs. Courtney, an 8-year-old son and 15-year-old adopted daughter still are in the house.

UNCLE SAM WILL PLANT MORE TREES

Forest Reserve's Permanent Bounds Are Practically Determined.

Washington, Dec. 13.—As many new trees will be planted under the direction of the forest service on the national forests of the country during the present fiscal year as were set out during the last five years combined, said Associate Forester Potter today. This is the beginning of a plan to increase as much as possible each year the number set out.

The eliminations of certain areas from national forests, because after inspection they have been more valuable for agriculture than for forestry, and the additions to the reserves of certain parts of the public domain considered more adaptable for forestry purposes, which have been made by President Taft, practically have been completed, it is said, and some idea may now be obtained of what will be the permanent bounds of the reserves.

FIREMEN SAVE BLOOMER GIRLS

Physical Culture Pupils Have to Be Rescued From Chicago Fire.

Chicago, Dec. 13.—Fifty young women, attired in regulation gymnasium bloomers and sailor blouses, were rescued from the roof of a burning building today at 311-313 Wabash avenue, where they were engaged in gymnasium drill in the school of physical education and expression.

The girls were afraid to descend to the street and the instructors rushed them to the roof, whence, frightened and screaming, they were carried down the fire escapes by firemen. Several of the more daring clambered down alone. None were injured and they sought seclusion in a neighboring office building, where they were supplied with more complete covering.

The damage was estimated at $100,000, chiefly to the building, to the Derby Desk company and the O. W. Richardson Carpet & Rug company. Crossed electric wires are believed to have started the fire.

TALK ABOUT THE TARIFF BOARD

Senators Authorize Aldrich to Pick Committee on That Subject.

Washington, Dec. 13.—The senate committee on finance today considered the various suggestions presented to congress in connection with demands for a modification of the law creating the tariff board. As the session today was the first held this winter, the members of the committee had had no opportunity for an exchange of views.

Several senators expressed their belief that a permanent tariff commission should be authorized and that the membership should be larger than the existing tariff board, which comprises three members. It was the sense of the meeting that some action should be taken during the present session, and Chairman Aldrich was authorized to name a sub-committee to consider the whole subject.

STUDENT INJURED IN WRESTLING, IS BETTER.

Princeton, N. J., Dec. 13.—Harold C. Warren of Swathmore, Pa., the student in the junior class of Princeton university whose spine was injured in a wrestling bout last Friday, shows slight improvement today. He is still in a serious condition. The lower portion of his body remains paralyzed, but the sense of feeling has returned in a very slight degree.

NEW BRIDGE ON TEXAS BORDER IS OPENED.

Brownsville, Tex., Dec. 13.—The international railroad bridge connecting Brownsville, Tex., and Matamoras, Mex., was officially opened to traffic yesterday. The bridge has been completed for several months and has been used for the transportation of freight. For some reason, however, it has been kept closed to pedestrians and vehicles. The ferry boat which has been in operation between the two cities for a half century will be discontinued with the new year.

YANKEE SHIPS RIDE OUT STORM

French Cruiser Is Driven Ashore in the Brest Harbor.

Brest, France, Dec. 13.—A violent storm accompanied by thunder and lightning raged over the harbor today. The visiting American battleships, the Minnesota, Idaho, Mississippi and Vermont, held firm by their anchors, but the French armored cruiser Edgar Quinet parted her chains and was driven on the beach. She was floated later by the tugs and apparently had sustained no damage.

MRS. CHRISTOPHER GETS THIRTY DAYS

Lawyer Who Told Her to Withhold Evidence Also Sentenced.

Chicago, Dec. 13.—Mrs. Aileen Christopher, the government's star witness in the prosecution of the alleged brick trust, today was sentenced to serve thirty days in the county jail for contempt of court in refusing to produce certain information before the federal grand jury. Her attorney, John A. Brown, was sentenced to seventy days' imprisonment for his part in the same refusal.

"NIGHT RIDERS" ARE NOT GUILTY

Kentucky Jury Returns Verdict in Trial of Four.

Eddysville, Ky., Dec. 13.—The jury trying the "Night Rider" cases today returned a verdict of not guilty as to Bart Creekmur, Alonzo Gray, Jim Bozart and Bryan Hawkins.

The men were charged with being accessory to the murder of Axiom Cooper, a witness for the state, in the cases growing out of the Night Rider outrages two years ago. The jury had been out since yesterday afternoon.

CHINESE PROTEST IS OVERRULED

Examination of Immigrants and Lancing of Ears Approved.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 13.—Secretary Nagel, as head of the immigration service of the country, has overruled the protest of the Chinese consul at San Francisco against the mode of examining Chinese immigrants at the station on Angel island. The consul had complained that his countrymen were humiliated by the practice of lancing their ears at night to ascertain from the condition of the blood whether they were suffering from filariasis. Secretary Nagel justifies Dr. W. M. Glover, the medical inspector, in this course, finding that he acted upon common sense and good judgment.

The consul had also charged that there was discrimination against Chinese and in favor of other races in the examinations at Angel island, but the secretary finds the charges unfounded.

Doctors Said He Would Die

A Friends Advice Saves Life.

I wish to speak of the wonderful cure that I have received from your noted Swamp-Root, the great kidney and bladder cure. Last summer I was taken with severe pains in my back and sides. I could not breathe without difficulty and was nearly wild with the desire to urinate. Was compelled to do so every ten minutes with passage of pure blood with the urine. I tried all the different doctors from far and near, but they said it was no use to doctor as I would die anyway. I was at the end of my rope and was so miserable with pain and the thought that I must die that words cannot tell how I felt. One day a friend told me of the wonderful help she had received from Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root. She gave me one of your pamphlets which I read and determined to try Swamp-Root. After taking half a bottle I felt better. Have now taken ten bottles and am well as I ever was, thanks to Swamp-Root. I wish to tell all suffering people that have kidney, liver or bladder trouble, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is the best medicine on the market.

All persons doubting this statement can write to me and I will answer them directly.

Yours very truly,
CLYDE F. CAMERER,
Rosalia, Wash.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of July, 1909,
VERNE TOWNE, Notary Public.

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AND why not. With such a choice stock of dependable suits selling at just HALF their usual price. This is our regular stock, and embraces every garment in the house. No exceptions in this sale, such as numbers manufacturers set selling prices upon, no restrictions such as cash only; just an emphatic clearance with all profits and part of the cost given the public as an inducement to buy now. The price tickets all read..... **Half Price**

Children's Coats Going Quickly—Half Price

IT IS unusual to sell Children's Coats at HALF PRICE, even so late as January. Adherence to our determined policy of greater bargain giving has prompted us to make this great reduction now, and the hearty response Monday proved that we had struck the popular chord. Choosing today will be unusually good. The offer is—ANY CHILD'S OR JUNIOR'S CLOTH COAT IN THE HOUSE—AT.................... **Half Price**

All Millinery Half Price

Plume Hats & Fur Turbans Included

OUR prediction as to consternation in millinery circles came true. Early in the morning there was a furore of excitement in the Millinery department, almost a scramble for the mid-winter styles of trimmed hats, the prices of which were halved. Assortments were large though, and there's very desirable pattern, and plume trimmed hats, fur and fur trimmed turbans quickly selling—at just.................... **Half Price**

Gift Books Galore

There's endless choosing in pretty gift books, either for the child, the high school boy or girl, or the adult. Prices vary, of course, from the colored picture book for the little folks at 10c to the de luxe sets of standard works at up to $20.

Free catalog of Holiday books and Standard works Mailed upon Request.

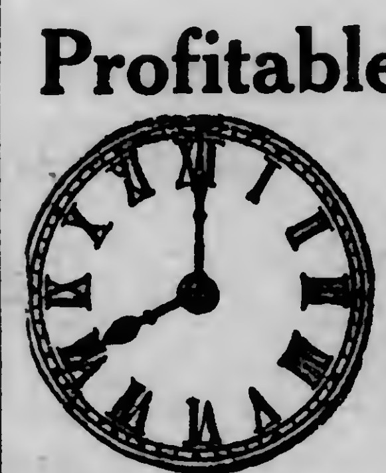
Sewing School Discontinued

Owing to the Holiday rush, the Free School of Sewing will be discontinued until further notice. Due notice will be given of the renewed sessions.

The Silk Sale Brings Choicest $1 to $1.50 Silks at 69c

THEY are uncommon silks, too. There's a wide diversity of popular patterns and many weaves. The purchase involves 5,000 yards of ends and part pieces, secured at less than the actual cost to manufacture. In the lot are lengths from the short pieces for fancy work up to waist and full dress patterns—regular $1 to $1.50 values—closing at, per yard.................. **69c**

Profitable Rewards, These, for Early Shoppers



Big Savings From 8 to 10.

Scores of women (many men, too) are attending these early morning hour sales. They freely remark of the shopping convenience, the leisurely attention and the uncommon savings they effect in these before noon special offerings. The custom spreads and the offerings increase in interest from day to day.

Be among the throngs who come out in response to the following items—enjoy the comfort of early morning buying.

Teaspoons, Per Set 48c

Fancy teaspoons, partly beaded, A1 plate on nickel silver; regular $1.25 per dozen value, special, 8 to 10 o'clock at, per set of six.................... **48c**

Save 27c on each dozen.

Limit Two Sets to Each Customer.

$5 Electrolier, Only $2.98

Pompeian portable or reading lamp 21 inches high, fitted with 10-inch ribbed green dome, key socket, silk cord; regular $5 value, special at.............. **$2.98**

Very appropriate gift and you save $2.02 by shopping early.

Limit One to the Customer.

To $5.50 Rope Portieres, 98c

Splendid quality rope portieres, oriental colorings, store samples that have become somewhat soiled, but are in usable condition; values are from $1.75 to $5.50, take your choice from the lot at, each.................... **98c**

Contemplate the great saving.

Limit One Pair to Customer.

Christmas Hosiery 59c Box

Women's high grade lisle hose, fancy striped patterns; regular 95c values, put up in single pair Holly boxes, special from 8 to 10 o'clock, at............ **59c**

Good gift, save 36c, too.

Limit Three Pairs to Customer.

$1.75 Dressed Dolls at 98c

Full jointed dressed doll, 22 inches high, with sleeping eyes, blondes and brunettes, lace trimmed mercerized dress, pretty lace trimmed hats, each in separate box; regular $1.75 values, special, 8 to 10, at.................... **98c**

Save 77c on each doll.

Limit One Doll to Customer.

$1.19 "Baby Bumps" for 79c

Genuine "Baby Bumps" the character doll hit of the season, exceeding the Billikin success of last year. Made with plush body, unbreakable head, some are dressed in rompers; regular price the city over $1.19, special, 8 to 10, at.................. **79c**

Save 30c on each one by buying early.

Limit One to Each Customer.

Men's $1 Trio Set for 69c

J. B. Williams' Trio Set for men, consists of can talcum powder, cake Jersey Cream Soap, J. B. Williams' Shaving Stick, all in nickeled cans and box, and packed in Christmas box; sold in drug stores at $1, special, 8 to 10 at.................... **69c**

Save 31 cents on "his" gift.

Limit Two Sets to Customer.

Little Money Works Wonders in Our Basement Toyland

LIMITED purses are making great showings in their purchases at our Basement Toyland. Such an imposing collection of lowly priced toys has never been assembled in Duluth before. In the showing one will find the following—

Toys at 5c

Rattles,
Wood Soldiers,
Pretty Horns,
Mechanical Mice,
Dressed Dolls,
Undressed Dolls,
Christmas Tree Ornaments.

Toys at 10c

Stuffed Animals,
Rubber Rattles,
Painted Balls,
A B C Blocks,
Pop Guns,
Set China Dishes,
Set Tin Dishes,
Knives and Forks,
Coffee Grinders,
Wooden Animals,
Iron Banks,
Mechanical Autos,
Dressed Dolls.

Toys at 10c

Undressed Dolls,
Doll Heads,
Pastry Set, including Moulding Board and Rolling Pin.

Toys at 15c

Painted Rubber Balls,
Plain Rubber Balls,
Rubber Rattles,
Rubber Babies,
Picture Blocks,
A B C Blocks.

Toys at 25c

Architectural Blocks,
Enameled Dishes,
China Dishes,
Knife and Fork Sets,
Wash Stands,
Doll Furniture,
Boys' Tool Chests,
Artists' Outfits.

Toys at 25c

Magic Lanterns,
Steam Engines,
Brass Beds,
Railway Trains,
Jumping Jacks,
Wooden Horses,
Tin Stoves, complete,
Hook and Ladder Carts,
Sad Irons,
Noah's Arks,
Cart and Horse,
Rolly Poly,
Tubephones,
Drums,
Accordions,
Mechanical Airships,
Automobiles,

Toys at 48c

Rubber Babies,
Rubber Animals,
A B C Blocks,
Building Blocks.

Toys at 48c

Enameled, China, Pewter and Tin Dishes,
Toy Furniture,
Tool Chests,
Dressers and Cabinets,
Tables and Rocking Chairs,
Brass Beds,
Magic Lanterns,
Steam Engines,
Railway Engines,
Tin Stoves,
Iron Trains,
Hook and Ladder Wagons,
Tubephones,
Drums,
Mechanical Toys,
Balky Mules,
Air Guns,
Painting Outfit,
Horns, Cornets, Trumpets.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

Entire Stock

African Plume Co.

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at 50c on the Dollar

Will Be Put on Sale

Thursday, Friday and Saturday

Those of you who have been wanting a real genuine imported plume, fresh from the Ostrich Farms, but had to forego the pleasure of owning one because of the prohibitive price, can buy one during this sale for considerably less than the original cost.

Men! A beautiful plume, as a Christmas gift, will gladden the heart of some women friend, mother or sister.

Sale starts 9 a. m. Thursday.

Remember the Time and the Place.

GATELY'S

8 East Superior St.

The House Where Your Credit Is Good.

WEST END

SERVICES IN EARLY MORNING

West End Congregations Will Meet Before Daylight on Christmas.

Scandinavian speaking churches of the West end, in accordance with the usual custom, will hold services before daylight on Christmas morning The hour of the meetings has been set for 5:30 o'clock.

"These services are always well attended," says Rev. Carl G. Olson, pastor of Bethany Swedish Lutheran church, "in spite of the fact that they are held at an early hour. Swedish people who hardly ever attend church during the year, invariably turn out to worship on Christmas morning.

Sunday school superintendents of the various churches of the West end are busy preparing programs for the children. Some of the prgrams will be held Sunday evening and others will not be held until Monday evening. At some of the churches Christmas trees will be installed for the children.

HUSBAND CAUSES WIFE'S ARREST.

Elizabeth Hurd, 25 years old, and Thomas Harges, 26, were arrested by the police at an early hour this morning at 122 North Eighteenth avenue west, where they had engaged rooms. They were booked on a charge of adultery and will have a hearing tomorrow afternoon in municipal court.

Ethelbert Hurd, husband of the woman, swore out the warrants. Hurd claims that he and his wife separated a short time ago. He afterward learned that she was living with another man and the arrests followed.

BETHANY CHURCH SOCIETIES ACTIVE.

This is a busy week for the societies of Bethany Swedish Lutheran church, Twenty-third avenue west and Third street.

Wednesday evening the Dorcas Circle will give an entertainment at the church in the interest of the foreign mission work. Rev. Carl Solomonson, pastor of the First Swedish Lutheran church of this city will be the principal speaker. The mission boxes will also be opened at this time.

On Thursday evening, the Men's club will hold its bi-weekly meeting. A social and literary program has been arranged for the evening.

The Busy Bee society has arranged for a social and literary meeting at the church Saturday evening. Rev. Olaf Nelson of Superior will be the principal speaker.

OSCAR HEIAM ELECTED HEAD OF C. E. SOCIETY.

Oscar Heiam was elected president of the Christian Endeavor society of the Second Presbyterian church at its annual meeting last evening at the home of Miss Nathalia Craig.

The other officers named were: Ralph Page, vice president; Miss Edith Miller, secretary; Miss Esther Erickson, treasurer, and Miss Claudia Cox, pianist.

After the business session, a social meeting was held. The hostess served refreshment.

Given Farewell Party.

Members of the Adams Athletic association and the Svea Glee club, about 150 strong, gave Richard Wallin a farewell party last evening and accompanied him to the union depot, where he boarded a train for Esplee, Minn. Mr. Wallin was vice president of the Adams Athletic association and a member of the Svea Glee club. At the depot last evening the club sang several songs in his honor.

West End Shortrails.

Rev. E. J. Nordeen, who has been atending the Lutheran mission meetings at Bethany Swedish Lutheran church, Twenty-third avenue west and Third street, returned this morning to his home at Port Wing, Wis.

Mrs. Hugo Swenson of 1910 West Second street is reported to be seriously ill at her home. She was taken sick suddenly Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Nilsenius of Two Harbors, who have been attending the Lutheran mission meetings at the West end, returned this morning to their home.

The choir of the First Norwegian Danish M. E. church will meet Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Olesen of 320 North Nineteenth avenue west.

Central court, No. 61, United Order of Foresters, will hold its annual election of officers tomorrow evening at Columiba hall, Twentieth avenue west and Superior street. After the business session, there will be refreshments and dancing.

The annual supper of the Ladies' Aid Society of Central Baptist church will be held this evening at the church, Twentieth avenue west and First street.

The monthly business meeting of the trustees of the First Swedish Baptist church will be held this evening at the home of Louis Bergquist of 2030 London road.

Funeral services for Anna, 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Anderson of 1801 West Third street, who died Sunday of typhoid fever, will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from Olson & Crawford undertaking rooms, 2010 West Superior street with burial at Park Hill cemetery. Rev. J. Nervig, pastor of Zion Norwegian Lutheran church will officiate.

Rev. E. S. Ternberg of Moose Lake, Minn., who has been attending the Lutheran mission conference at Bethany Swedish Lutheran church returned to his home this afternoon. Mr. Ternberg and Rev. C. G. Olson, pastor of Bethany church were former classmates.

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ENGAGED TO WED EMILIO DI GORSA

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MME. EMMA EAMES.

Paris, Dec. 13.—A morning paper announces the marriage engagement of Mme. Emma Eames, the opera singer, and the baritone Emilio Di Gorsa. Mme. Eames is the divorced wife of Julian Story of Philadelphia, the artist. The wife of Di Gorsa was Miss Elsa Neumann. She brought suit last year against Mme. Eames, charging her with having alienated the affections of Di Gorsa. Damages of $50,000 were asked.

JUST THE PLACE

For young men out of employment to spend the winter months is the **DULUTH BUSINESS UNIVERSITY.** Commercial, stenographic, English and penmanship courses are taught by specialists. For a limited outlay you can get a practical training that will be an assets to you during life. We can help you. Call at the college office, Christle building, any week day. Both 'phones.

AMUSEMENTS

TONIGHT'S ATTRACTIONS.

LYCEUM—Wrestling match.
ORPHEUM—Vaudeville.
EMPRESS—Vaudeville.
ODEUM AND LYRIC—Vaudeville.

"I realize that I will be taunted for expressing my one wish, but I persist in saying that were I to be granted that one wish, I should be sublimely happy," said Miss Consuelo Bailey, who is appearing in "Baby Mine." "What is that wish that can make me so

A BRADY REHEARSAL IS AN EDUCATION

MISS CONSUELO BAILEY, As "Zoie" in "Baby Mine."

happy? No, it is not jewelry, neither is it an aeroplane. I do not care for squab three times a day, nor do I seek a bungalow in the Catskills, where I may Rip Van Winklize for the rest of my life. What I do want is the privilege of watching William A. Brady rehearse. That will satisfy me.

"Have you ever seen him rehearse? If you have not, make it a part of your life's work to get that opportunity, and once you have watched him, you will want to again. He makes every character actually exist before you. if the actors and actresses whom he rehearses would retain one-tenth of the benefit he gives them at his rehearsals, they would be immeasurably better in every instance. It is immaterial whether he is whipping a farce like "Baby Mine" into shape or directing the dress rehearsal of Robert Mantell's Shakespearean company. In each case, he is the absolute master of every character in the play and he is en rapport with everything that is going."

"Baby Mine" will be in Superior tonight, and will open an engagement of four nights in Duluth, Thursday.

FOUGHT FIVE YEARS FOR RECOGNITION

It took Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Connelly, who are appearing at the Orpheum this week in an artistic little sketch called "Sweethearts," five years to convince vaudeville managers and booking agents that their sketch was worthy of presentation on first-class "time" and would be a success as a vaudeville attraction.

The sketch is by Sir W. S. Gilbert, who was responsible in part for the famous Gilbert and Sullivan operas of a generation ago. Mrs. Connelly is a grandniece of Sir W. S. Gilbert, and she and her husband kept their faith in the sketch, in spite of many discouragements. For five years they played the "small time" with the sketch, without an adequate setting for it. They were unable to secure steady bookings for it, even on the small time, owing to the expense of presenting the act, and during those five lean years played odd weeks in the smaller cities. Finally the real merit of the sketch was recognized by the Orpheum booking offices, and it was given an adequate presentation. It has proved a genuine hit over the circuit.

MRS. ERWIN CONNELLY. In the Vaudeville Sketch, "Sweethearts" at the Orpheum.

"We had many chances to play comedy sketches or go into stock," said Mrs. Connelly yesterday, "but we held out for our sketch, and I am glad we did."

NEW MOVING PICTURE FILMS.

The new programs at the Odeum and Lyric theaters are causing much favorable comment this week.

At the Odeum theater an attractive moving picture bill has been arranged. "A Child's Stratagem" is a dramatic offering that is replete with human interest. "Arms and the Woman" is a dramatic offering that is full of action. "Jackfoot and Slim Jim" is a humorous film. Miss Maddox is singing "My Hero."

At the Lyric theater the "Maid of Niagara" is a dramatic film of intense action, "Popular Turns" is a funny film and "Hank and Lank" is a humorous film that is one of the best obtained by the Lyric in some time. "Greater Love" is a strong dramatic film. M. S. Mistachkin is singing "Lou."

"A JAY CIRCUS," BIG COMEDY HIT.

"A Jay Circus," which is the headliner at the Empress this week, is one of the biggest comedy hits in vaudeville. A number of "supers" are required to present the act, in addition to the regular company, and it is one big, rough-and-tumble laugh from start to finsh. It is probably causing more uproarious laughter than any act which has ever played the Empress.

Take Care!

Remember that when your kidneys are affected, your life is in danger. M. Mayer, Rochester, N. Y., says: "My trouble started with a sharp shooting pain over my back which grew worse daily. I felt sluggish and tired, my kidney action was irregular and infrequent. I started using Foley Kidney Pills. Each dose seemed to put new life and strength into me, and now I am completely cured and feel better and stronger than for years" Sold by all druggists.

TO DANCE OLD YEAR OUT.

Grand Marais Woodmen Plan for Amusement New Years Eve.

Grand Marais, Minn., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Modern Woodmen of this village are planning to dance the old year out at a New Year's ball, to be given the evening of Dec. 31.

In the past this has been one of the principal social events of the season and from present indications it will be of no less importance this year. The following will have charge of the annual ball: Printing and music, J. A. Blackwell and John Woods; decorating, Godfrey Plante, Louis Engelson, Frank Belfoy; lunch, C. G. Stubstad, H. H. Howenstine; floor, John B. Le Sage, Frank Belfoy, George Leng; doorkeeper. H. H. Howenstine.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Counsel, C. H. Carhart; adviser, Frank Belfoy; banker, J. A. Blackwell; clerk, H. H. Howenstine; escort, C. G. Stubstad; watchman, George Leng; sentry, Axel E. Berglund; past counsel, Louis Engelson; managers, Louis Engelson, three years; George Leng, two years.

Le Sueur Judge Dies.

Le Sueur, Minn., Dec. 13.—Municipal Judge Felix A. Borer, of Le Sueur, died here of pneumonia, after a short illness, at the age of 72 years. Judge Borer was one of the pioneer settlers of the county and always prominent in public affairs, having held several offices in the gift of the people.

Wholesale Forgery Nipped.

Appleton, Wis., Dec. 13.—Ten minutes before Charles Deltour, aged 27 years, intended to take a train for the East at midnight Saturday night he was arrested charged with passing seventeen checks to which he is accused of forging the name of his former employer, William Lembke.

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There is such a difference between overcoats and overcoats! Buy a cheap sweatshop-made coat such as is usually sold at "sales" early in the season and you'll be a sorry looking spectacle before you've worn it six weeks. Buy a $40 Stein-Bloch overcoat at the Columbia and if half-ways taken care of, it'll look aristocratic for three seasons. At that rate your overcoat costs you $13.33 a season, although it may need a dry cleaning and a new velvet collar in the third year. As was said in the heretofore, quality alone determines what is a true bargain.

THE COLUMBIA At Third Ave. West

FOOT NOTE: Walk in Hanan Shoes.

For All Ayer's Pills are liver pills. All vegetable, sugar-coated. A gentle laxative for all the family. Consult your doctor freely about these pills and about all medical matters. Follow his advice. He certainly knows best. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

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CONCERNING WOMAN.

There are some people in Duluth who would like to play Santa Claus to the poor farm. This is in no wise a discussion of whether there are cockroaches there or not, or whether food and drink and a place to sleep are all that the unfortunates there are entitled to at the expense of the county, but simply a matter of providing some real pleasure for folks who don't have any too much.

Take yourself for instance. If you had failed miserably in the first effort of existence—providing care for yourself—and through misfortune or weakness in your character that you could not overcome had become a charge on cold, indifferent charity, how would you like to wake up Christmas morning to hear the strains of "Every Little Movement?"

If you had lost interest in life, if hope had deserted you, and according to tradition there is only one place where hope is left behind, don't you think you would have a momentary thrill of interest if—as quite a surprise—the "Merry Widow" waltz should float unexpectedly on the surrounding air?

Maybe you who are reading have heard the "Merry Widow" and "Every Little Movement' until you are surfeited and feel it might be a cruelty to send them to the poor farm, but think of an existence of day after day without the meeting of a real friend or encountering an individual who had a positive interest in you just because you were you: think of receiving no stimulus from outside interest, music or books or pictures, unexpected trips, the meeting of a few friends, being invited out to dinner, the privilege of working,—think now what would your life be with all of these things eliminated. And then think how would the coming of a phonograph appeal to you. Wouldn't it be an event?

It surely would at the poor farm. Part of the old folks there will wonder at the mechanical wonder of it. If the numbers are selected properly they should bring untold pleasure. As a hint to the committee it is suggested that "There's no Place Like Home" be not included.

But the details are not quite settled yet. There is no money to buy the phonograph nor has anyone donated one, after becoming a bit weary of it in his own home. Miss Jean Poirier is especially anxious that Duluth send this gift to the poor farm. If you are suffering from ennui in which owning a phonograph plays a part, Miss Poirier will be glad to receive it. She will arrange to have it called for and delivered if some one will but send word to her at the courthouse. If others would like to contribute money for the phonograph and the records she will receive the contributions and arrange to have the phonograph bought and the records selected. There are plenty of people in Duluth who have no Christmas "list" and a few dollars could easily be spared for this great pleasure for an entire year and longer.

If twenty people who read this article, and that is almost a negligible part of The Herald's circulation, should telephone Miss Poirier that they would enjoy contributing $5 for this cause, the phonograph would be provided for and the sum total of the world's happiness added to materially.

Do it—along with your Christmas shopping and buying your Red Cross seals—now.

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There is another little matter, as long as they are being fixed up for the season.

In Duluth there are a number of children who are attending school through the generosity of individuals. They are going because of labor scholarships. It is like this. A family may be struggling along not able to make ends meet. They can exist and manage all except maybe $5 for rent. So they decide that one of the children must leave school to earn that sum. They apply for the permit to Miss Poirier of the state labor commission, and the need is apparent, but it is a lifelong loss if the child leaves school, so through the generosity of Duluth people or organizations a scholarship is given the family. It is just the amount of their imperative need on condition that the child be kept in school.

There are at present ten scholarships and Miss Poirier has on her list three other children who must leave school unless three more are provided. The effect is most beneficial. The child is impressed with the value that the world places on education when people are willing to pay for allowing him to remain in school. The teacher's attention is called to the condition and she exerts herself especially to have the pupil do his best. The family is also impressed with the value that education has in the world and they take fresh interest. When the boy or girl who has been helped, gets older he or she is most likely to make efforts to keep younger brothers and sisters in school.

The King's Daughters of the city are paying a scholarship, one club of three young men contributes to one scholarship, feeling the value of the work, other individuals maintain single scholarships.

Three more are needed. Miss Poirier will be glad to explain in detail the special needs. The scholarships range from $1 to $3 a week during the school year. Providing for one of these would be a delightful way of observing Christmas.

"EDWIN OLAF"

Is the First to Be Baptized at Y. W. C. A.

The first christening ever held at the local Young Women's Christian association took place last evening when Edwin Olaf Kjelsten received the name which he will wear throughout his life. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Stenberg, pastor of the Norwegian Danish church and forty of the young women residents in the building were guests.

Little Edwin Olaf, who behaved himself as if he knew the peculiar honor that was his in receiving his name in the halls sacred to young women, is the son of Mrs. Tillie Kjelsten, who came to Duluth at the time of the recent forest fires. Her husband died three months previous to the time of the fires and with that disaster her home at Baudette was completely destroyed. She was left without a relative in America. She came to the Y. M. C. A. and assisted in the kitchen work. Three weeks ago Mrs. Kjelsten went to St. Luke's hospital and there Edwin Olaf was born. He is doing much to cheer his widowed mother and they are to be together, for the young mother has secured work where she may have her baby son with her.

The mother was so grateful for the help that had been given her at the Y. W. C. A. during the trying time since her home was burned and she was so alone in a big country, that she wanted her little son christened at the association before she left. The matter was arranged and the christening party was the nicest ever.

Marchioness to Give Earnings on Concert Stage to Charity

MARCHIONESS OF DUFFERIN.

Another titled woman has gone on the concert stage. She is the Marchioness of Dufferin, who was Flora Davis of New York. She married the eldest son of the marquis of Dufferin in 1883, who a few years later inherited the title. She has been appearing in public concerts and it is said will take professional engagements, but all her earnings she will give to charity.

Bazar

Given by the North Star Sister lodge, No. 15, O. D. H. S., at the Kalamazoo hall, Wednesday, Dec. 14. Lunch served all day.

Aid Society.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Merritt Memorial church will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harry Merritt of 4610 Magellan street.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First Baptist church will be held tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. D. Haynes of 1730 East Third street. The election of officers will be held and the reports for the last year presented.

Purdy-Miley.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Purdy of 2031 West Third street announce the engagement of their daughter Anna to Peter Miley, formerly of this city but now of Minneapolis. The wedding will take place Dec. 28.

Bundle Shower.

Mrs. Harry Blake, 2224 West First street, and Miss Hazel Fisher of 415 East Second street, entertained at a bundle shower at Mrs. Blake's home last evening for Miss Anna Purdy, who will be a December bride. The decorations were in red and white. There were games and music. The favors were won by Hazel Kielley and Esther Larson.

Club Meetings.

"The Romantic Revival" was the subject of a lecture presented this afternoon by the Rev. George R. Gebauer before the members of the Ladies' Literature class. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. J. L. Washburn at Hunter's Park, and was the first lecture of the year before the club.

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The Greysolon duLhut chapter of the D. A. R., was entertained this afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. L. Dresser of South Nineteenth avenue east.

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The last regular meeting of the Matinee Musicale before the holiday recess was held yesterday afternoon at the assembly room of the Y. W. C. A. The next regular meeting will be held Jan. 16, 1911.

Temple Assembly.

The series of dances to be given during the winter by the Temple Assembly will be in charge of the following committee: J. W. Kreitter, H. R. Burgo, C. E. Lonegren, C. C. Colton, C. R. Pattinson and P. N. Dennis. The floor committee will be H. L. Dresser, Calvin F. How, Jr., Mason M. Forbes, A. J. Ahrens, Oscar C. Wagner, John E. McGregor, Glen Van Buren, Arthur L. Kreitter, W. H. Hoyt, W. J. Works, Charles O. Applehagen.

The reception committee will be George R. Laybourn, A. C. Volk, Warren E. Greene, R. T. Hugo and W. N. Totman.

The first party of the series will be given Wednesday evening of next week.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

Mrs. T. Holm of 907 East Seventh street entertained the members of the West End W. C. T. U. this afternoon at her home.

Holiday Assembly.

The holiday Assembly will be danced Friday evening, Dec. 30. The party will be given as usual at the Spalding and will be one of the most important events of the holiday week. A large number of the college people will be in the city for the party and as usual this function will be one of the largest of the series given during the year by the members of the Assembly.

Dancing Party.

Miss Doris Crumpton and Kenneth Crumpton of Superior have issued invitations for a holiday dance. The affair will be held at the Hotel Superior, Monday evening, Dec. 26. A number of Duluth guests will be entertained.

Missionary Society.

The Women's Missionary Society of Pilgrim Congregational church will meet tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. S. E. Matter of 2132 Woodland avenue.

COME AND BUY

All friends and members of St. Paul's Guild are asked to buy their groceries at Folz, Wednesday, Dec. 14. Ten per cent on all cash sales.

Personal Mention.

Mrs. Edwin Jackson of Toledo is visiting her sister, Mrs. S. L. Frazer of East Superior street.

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Mrs. Fred White of East Fourth street left this afternoon for a few days' trip to Minneapolis.

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Mrs. Robert Smith will leave next week to spend the holidays in Chicago.

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Miss Edna Erickson will return the latter part of this week from Chicago, where she is attending college.

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Mrs. J. D. Titcomb left today for Minneapolis, where she will spend the holidays.

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A. J. Frey will leave next week to spend the holidays at his home in Cincinnati.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Luster will leave tomorrow for Saginaw, Mich., to spend the Christmas holidays.

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Mrs. John Prosser of 615 East Third street has returned from the East. On her return she visited her daughter at Oberlin college.

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Mrs. Hugh Steele of Hunter's Park will leave Friday for Stanton, Mich., where she will spend two months with her parents.

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Mrs. C. A. Smith of Hunter's Park returned today from a months' visit at Chicago.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Baxter of 923 East Fifth street, will leave Thursday for a month's trip through New York.

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Mrs. G. G. Hartley left yesterday for California where she will spend the holidays with Miss Judith Hartley who is attending school in California.

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Mrs. Katherine Buskirk of Richville, Minn., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. G. F. Naughton, Jr., of East Fifth street.

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George Sjoselius will be home from the University of Minnesota to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Sjoselius.

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Henry Smith of North Branch, one of the oldest pioneers in Northern Minnesota, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Howard.

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Miss Florence Clarke, 1420 East Superior street, and Miss Verna Alexander of Lakeside, who are attending the Thomas normal school in Detroit, Mich., will be home for the Christmas holidays.

THE KITCHEN

Australian Oatmeal Pie.

Boil two tablesponful of oatmeal in one and a half pints of water till it jellies on a plate. Take a tin of Australian mutton, turn its contents into a plate, scrape off the fat and cut the meat into slices. Chop two well boiled onions, two sage leaves and some parsley together and season all highly with pepper and salt. Line the pie dish with the oatmeal, lay on slices of the meat which have been previously dipped into good thick gravy. Scatter the seasoning over the meat, then put another layer of oatmeal, and so on till it is used. Cover the dish with some thin short crust, and bake till the pastry is thoroughly cooked.

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Tomoto Chutney.

Allow seven pounds of tomatoes, one pound of Jordan almonds chopped, two pounds of Valentine raisins seasoned and chopped, three pounds of brown and moist sugar, two ounces of mustard seed, one and a half quarts of vinegar, one-quarter of a pound of ground ginger, half an ounce of cayenne pepper and two tablespoonful of salt. Having skinned the tomatoes, boil them in the vinegar until they are cooked, then stir into it all the other ingredients and boil the whole for half an hour. When it is cool bottle it and it is ready for use.

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Hominy Croquettes.

Take one pint of boiled hominy; if cold, add one-quarter of a cup of milk and heat in a double boiler. Add one tablespoonful of melted butter, salt, pepper and onion juice to taste; one large tablespoonful of chopped parsley and two beaten eggs; then cook until thick. When cold mold in croquettes, dip each first into slightly beaten egg, then roll in fine bread crumbs. Fry golden brown in smoking hot fat.

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Lemon Tart.

Quarter of a pound of butter, one large teaspoonful of granulated sugar, and a pinch of baking soda; whip to a cream, add a breakfast cupful and a half of flour, moisten with water, mix with the tips of the fingers; when ready roll out one-half thin, cover a well-buttered dinner plate, spread over pastry enough crystallized sugar to cover almost to the edge; squeeze the juice of a small lemon over sugar, dripping the juice gently till all the sugar is moistened; then cover over with the rest of the paste. Stick edges well with a little milk. Bake in a moderate oven till a nice golden brown. This lemon tart is both rich and cheap.

THE EVENING STORY

"THE HERRING"

By J. Nideroest.

"Really, Vladimir Auchelevitch, you must put some restraint upon your men. The prison has become the talk of the town. The papers openly hint at deeds of great brutality, and even the 'Novoie Vremia' has taken up the matter. I cannot go out without hearing it whispered abroad. Besides, you forget, we live in Christian Russia and not in heathen Persia."

"It is easy enough for you to talk," the governor retorted to his wife. "We must have confessions, and these revolutionary vermin are such stubborn brutes. Unless some force is used they will not talk. However," he continued after a moment's reflection, "your are right in a way. Things have been a bit lively here, and I'll see what can be done."

Kardoff, the governor's chief assistant, could not see the force in the argument. He firmly believed in the persuasive power of nagaika and screw to loosen the tongues of his obstinate wards.

"Herrings, thirst, pepper eyes," he muttered to himself as he left the chief. "Bah, I set my faith upon our old ways. There is no secret on earth which they won't reveal. However, he has his orders and needs must obey."

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In the small cell of the citadel a prisoner raised himself pitifully from his plank bed. His limbs were aching, his head swam. Yet after awhile he would dimly recall the events of the last twenty-four hours; how he was dragged from his bed, how the police searched his room and found the papers. He recollected the blows he had been dealt by the brutal gendarmes, and the jolting of the cart over the pavements, then his arrival in this cell. He was so hungry.

He buried his face in his hands, when the door flew open and Kardoff, accompanied by a warder, appeared on the threshhold.

"Well, prisoner are you ready for your supper?" the former inquired. "Just tell me the names of your friends and I'll promise you a meal which would be placed before any nobleman.

The prisoner made no reply, but turned his head against the wall. Kardoff's mouth was distorted in a mischievous grin. "All right, your excellency, just as you like. You may fast a little longer," and with a mocking laugh he went away, banging the door behind him.

The prisoner sat down, exhausted. For three days he had tasted nothing but water. He knew he would die—and he was only 17.

In the evening Kardoff appeared once more.

"My pretty bird," he commenced, "you're a stubborn customer; but we cannot allow you to starve. You must, however, be content with plain fare. Here, give him his supper."

The warden put down a dish containing a herring and a chunk of dry bread. The prisoner fell on it like a hungry wolf. The herring, it was true, was terribly salty, and the bread was dry, but yet it was food.

Kardoff watched him with gleaming eyes as he licked the bones, and then withdrew once more.

The prisoner sat down contented. the food had revived him, he already felt stronger. Now he was prepared for his tormentors. He would not betray his associate.

After a while he felt thirsty, and went towards the window recess to have a drink of water.

The jar had disappeared!

"A drink! A drink! For mercy's sake one drop of water!"

As the night advanced his thirst became more unbearable. His throat was dry and sore, and his tongue stuck to his palate.

As last he fell into a restless sleep, dreaming that he rested in the shade of a tree by the edge of a clear, bright brook, whose cooling waters refreshed his burning lips. But alas, it was an illusion, from which he awoke to the awful reality of his agonized thirst. His throat seemed to be on fire.

At eventide Kardoff came. He did not enter the cell, but looked through the trap in the door.

"Water!" the prisoner cried.

"Confess, and you shall drink."

"No!"

He leaped towards the door, but the trap was already closed, and as he walked off Kardoff chuckled. "A capital idea, indeed; and so artistic, too. Who would have thought it? But there, we live in a Christian country and not in heathen Persia!"

The prisoner shook with fever heat. His agony had become unbearable. He knocked and knocked, and feebly whispered "Water!" But all was silence around him.

In his despair, he climbed to the window and pressed his tongue against the cold iron bars. The rough bars lacerated his lips and tongue, and he greedily swallowed the blood that flowed from the wounds.

It was the third day since his meal. Kardoff cautiously opened the door. Behind him stood a warden carrying a bottle of beer. It was uncorked and the froth trickled down the side of the glass.

"Now, then, prisoner, if you confess, you will have this beer, and as much more as you like. Who is your accomplice?"

The prisoner looked at it with greedy eyes. Then with a sob he muttered:

"I will not!"

"Just as you like." To the warden, "Take that beer away!"

The warden obeyed. Now he crossed the threshold—now he had disappeared round the corner.

The prisoner utered a cry of despair, and then, as if automatically, his lips moved:

"Vladimir — Feodorovitch — Matlakoff—"

The next moment he had the beer to his lips. It was cool; it was refreshing; every drop seemed to bring new life into his body. But with his strength returned the consciousness of his deed.

He went on drinking, but the last drop of beer was mingled with his tears.

He had betrayed his friend in the frenzy to save his own life—and the glass fell to the ground with a crash.

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"Well, now," the governor said to the gleeful Kardoff, "you see that it worked, and, besides, it is ever so much more civilized. Indeed, indeed, we live in Christian Russia and not in heathen Persia! Don't you forget that, my friend."

Growing Old.

By ALVA ARMSTRONG.

Why do some women grow old and others keep the secret of perpetual youth? Here is one answer.

One reason why the average woman wears out, grows plain before her husband, is that, through a mistaken idea of duty, she lays out for herself, at the beginning of her married life, a scheme or plan of duty and employment for her time, every hour filled with work, with rare and short periods of relaxation.

This she follows religiously for years, feeling that she has done her duty, because every household event occurs regularly and on time, while she soon becomes merely a machine, a thing without life of itself or volition. She settles into a rut, and goes round and round on the same track everlastingly.

Can a women keep brightness, originality of thought or speech, or even mere prettiness, with such a life? And without those things how can she keep her husband and growing children full of loving admiration, which is the strong chain by which she can bind them to her? How bright and jolly the neighbor's wife seems when she calls.

In nine cases out of ten it is because the surroundings and talk of your home are variety to her, and arouse her to originality and brightness of speech.

Cultivate a broad attitude towards the world and its people. Let your interests be far reaching and there will be renewed vigor when it comes to solve the problems of the home.

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This recipe for making cough remedy with Pinex and Sugar Syrup (or strained honey) is a prime favorite in thousands of homes in the United States and Canada. The plan has been imitated, though never successfully. If you try it, use only genuine Pinex, which is the most valuable concentrated compound of Norway white pine extract, and is rich in guaiacol and all the natural healing pine elements. Other preparations will not work in this recipe.

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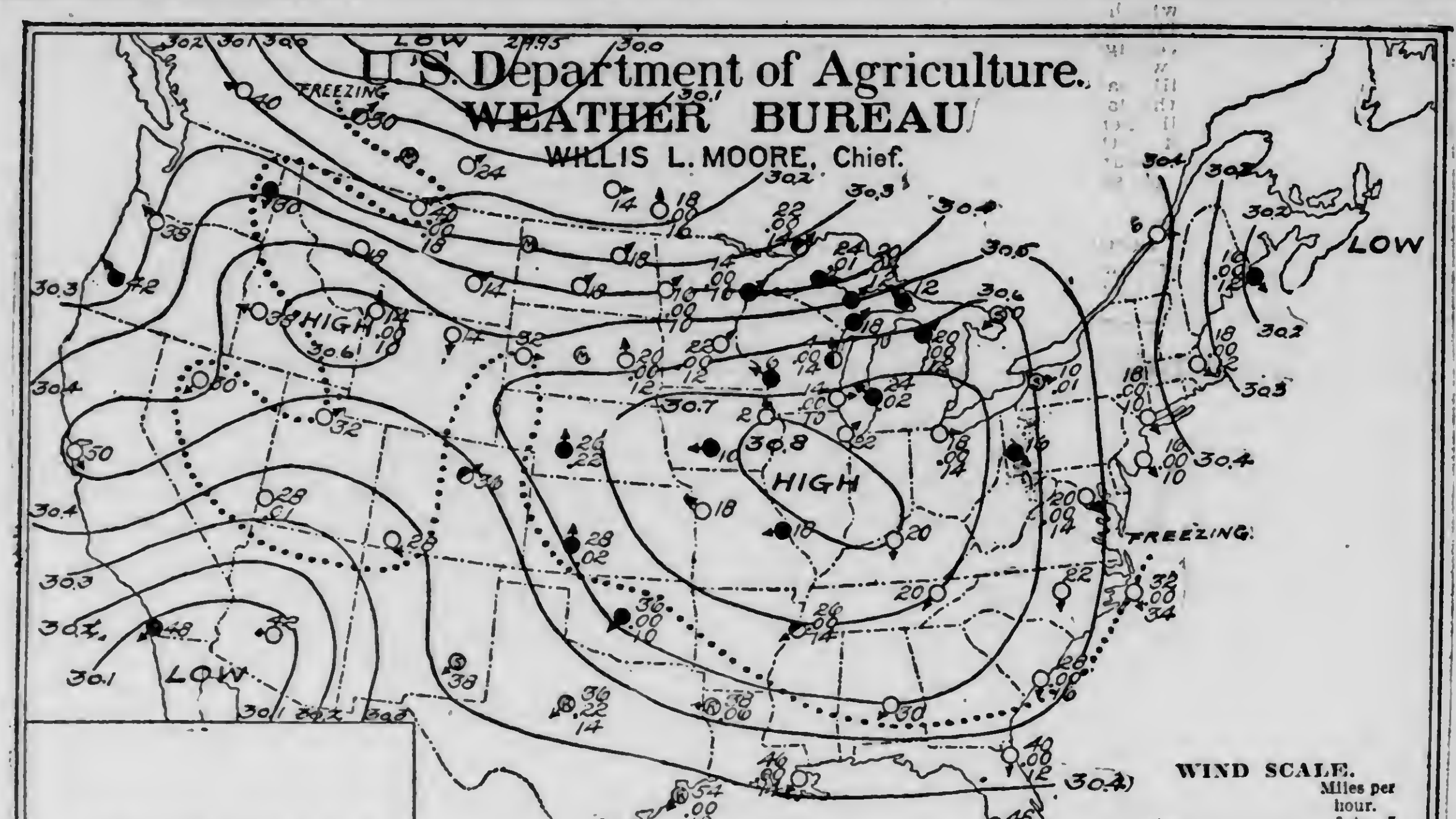


FORECAST TILL 7 P. M. WEDNESDAY.

For Duluth, Superior and vicinity, including the Mesaba and Vermilion iron ranges—Fair weather tonight and Wednesday; warmer tonight with lowest temperature about 15 deg. on the iron ranges and 20 deg. at Duluth and Superior; moderate southwesterly winds.

EXPLANATORY NOTES.

Observations taken at 8 a. m., seventy-fifth meridian time. Air pressure reduced to sea level.

Isobars, or continuous lines, pass through points of equal air pressure. Isotherms, or dotted lines, pass through points of equal temperature; they will be drawn only for zero, freezing, 90°, and 100°.

Symbols indicate state of weather. ○ clear; ◒ partly cloudy; ● cloudy, Ⓡ rain, Ⓢ snow, Ⓜ report missing. Arrows fly with the wind. First figure, temperature; second, 24 hour rainfall, if it equals .01 inch; third, wind velocity of 10 miles per hour or more.

WIND SCALE.

	Miles per hour.
Calm	0 to 5
Light	5 to 15
Moderate	15 to 25
Brisk	25 to 35
High	35 to 50
Gale	50 to 65
Hurricane	65 and above

H. W. RICHARDSON,
Local Forecaster.

FAIR

The fair, crisp, winter weather continues and the devotees of outdoor sports rejoice. A bright moon shone out of a clear sky last night, and the temperature was not so low, the low mark being 6 deg. Continued fair weather is promised by the prophet on the hill.

Mild, cloudy weather was Duluth's portion a year ago today.

The sun rose this morning at 7:46 and it will set at 4:19 this evening, giving eight hours and thirty-three minutes of sunlight.

Mr. Richardson makes the following comment on weather conditions:

"The disturbance overlying Northern Alberta has caused much warmer weather over the greater portion of the Northwest. The zero temperature conditions has advanced to Northeastern Ontario. The Red river valley high pressure has moved its center to Illinois and has resulted in colder weather over Gulf and Atlantic states, the line of freezing temperature extending southward to including Alabama, Northern Georgia and South Carolina. Light snow fell over portions of the lake region and rain or snow over the Southwest in connection with low pressure areas centered off the North Atlantic coast and over Lower California respectively. Indications favor moderate temperature and generally fair weather at the Head of the Lakes during the ensuing thirty-six hours."

General Forecasts.

Chicago, Dec. 13.—Forecasts for twenty-four hours ending at 7 p. m. Wednesday:

Wisconsin—Fair tonight and probably Wednesday; rising temperature.

Upper Michigan—Generally fair tonight and Wednesday; warmer tonight except in northwest portion; warmer Wednesday.

Minnesota — Fair tonight and Wednesday; warmer tonight and in north portion tonight.

Iowa—Fair tonight and Wednesday; warmer tonight and in east portion Wednesday.

North and South Dakota—Fair tonight and Wednesday; warmer tonight.

Montana—Fair tonight and Wednesday; warmer in south portion tonight.

Shippers' forecast: Protect thirty-six-hour shipments against temperatures varying from 15 degs to 25 degs above zero in the Dakotas, Minnesota, Wisconsin and the Michigan Copper country.

The Temperatures.

Following were the highest temperatures for twenty-four hours and the lowest for twelve, ending at 7 a. m. today:

	High.	Low.		High.	Low.
Abilene	48	36	Miles City	30	12
Alpena	24	18	Milwaukee	26	12
Atlantic City	26	16	Minnedosa	16	10
Battleford	14	10	Modena	46	20
Bismarck	26	14	Montgomery	50	30
Boise	38	36	Montreal	12	4
Boston	32	18	Moorhead	18	12
Buffalo	24	10	New Orleans	56	46
Calgary	46	28	New York	24	14
Charleston	52	28	North Platte	28	24
Chicago	24	18	Oklahoma	44	36
Corpus Christi	76	68	Parry Sound	18	—4
Denver	42	36	Phoenix	70	42
Des Moines	22	8	Pittsburg	24	14
Devils Lake	26	16	Port Arthur	22	8
Dodge	24	28	Portland, Or	44	30
Dubuque		0	Prince Albert	20	12
DULUTH	14	6	Qu'Appelle	24	12
Durango	50	28	Raleigh	42	22
Eastport	24	14	Rapid City	34	22
Edmonton	44	14	Roseburg	48	42
Escanaba	20	10	Roswell	40	38
Galveston	70	50	St. Louis	26	16
Grand Haven	34	20	St. Paul	16	8
Green Bay	24	4	Salt Lake City	46	32
Hatteras	46	30	San Diego	60	48
Havre	40	36	San Francisco	58	48
Helena	24	18	Sault Ste. Marie	20	10
Houghton		10	Sheridan	40	12
Huron	20	16	Shreveport	46	38
Jacksonville	50	38	Spokane	42	38
Kamloops	40	32	Swift Current	34	24
Kansas City	28	16	Tampa	68	46
Knoxville	38	20	Toledo	30	11
La Crosse		0	Washington	34	20
Louisville	28	16	Williston	30	..
Madison	18	6	Winnemucca	40	30
Marquette	24	14	Winnipeg	18	12
Memphis	44	24	Yellowstone	36	14

MERCER CAN NOT ATTEND

Two Members of Commission on Employers' Liability Are Coming.

Will Address Open Meeting Under Auspices of Builders' Exchanges.

H. V. Mercer, a member of the commission appointed by Governor Johnson two years ago to study employers' liability and workingmen's compensation acts, will not be in Duluth tomorrow, but George M. Gillett and W. E. McEwen, the other two members of the commission, will address the open meeting to be held at the Commercial club tomorrow evening under the auspices of the State Association of Builders' Exchanges.

The meeting at the Commercial club will be the feature of the annual meeting of the State Association of Builders' Exchanges, which will be held in Duluth tomorrow. As employers, the members of the association are interested in the subject of employers' liability and workingmen's compensation. They have arranged the meeting and are anxious that as many Duluth employers and employes as can crowd into the assembly room of the club attend to hear the addresses of two of the three men in Minnesota best qualified to speak on the subject.

The member of the commission have spent two years studying the methods in European countries and the different states having acts on employers' liability and workingmen's compensation. Mr. Gillett headed the Employers' association of Minnesota for a number of years and Mr. McEwen has been labor commissioner of the state and secretary of the State Federation of Labor, so that both have an intimate knowledge of industrial conditions in the state. The commission will, at the coming session of the legislature, make its report and will probably submit a draft of a proposed law on the subject, so that their utterances tomorrow night, based on their findings after two years' investigation, should be interesting.

The meeting of the Association of Builders' Exchanges will open at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning in the rooms of the Duluth Builders' exchange in the Lyceum building. The business of the meeting will be largely routine in its nature and the principal subject for discussion is expected to be that of legislation at the next session of the legislature as it affects employers in the building trades.

Delegates are expected from St. Paul, Minneapolis, Stillwater, Faribault and other cities of the state, while a number of members of the Duluth exchange will attend the meeting.

GRAND MARAIS HOSPITAL BUSY

About Twenty Patients in Institution at the Present Time.

Grand Marais, Minn., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—There are many patients in the Grand Marais hospital. There has been an average of twenty patients there for the past six weeks. A few days ago a man was brought from the Alger-Smith camp suffering from pneumonia and died shortly after reaching the hospital. Peter Miller is still at the hospital where he has been almost constantly since September. He has tuberculosis and is in a critical condition.

D. B. McAlpine and family have decided to move to Western Canada and will leave probably about the middle of January. Mr. McAlpine has served the county for the past six years as county attorney.

A committee from the Commercial club waited on the village council recently to impress them with the desirability of installing a street scale in the village. The council instructed the committee on streets to order a 6-ton scale at once.

PETITION FOR DITCHES.

Steps Taken for Reclaiming Much Land in Roseau County.

Roseau, Minn., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—The first steps have been taken toward constructing an extensive road and drainage system in the territory lying north of the Great Northern railroad between Warroad and Roseau lake. Two petitions are in circulation, one in the Mud Creek region and the other in the Warroad section. This important work has been delayed until the western and central part of Roseau county could be surveyed and suitable arrangements made for building roads and providing for outlet of surface water. The country between Warroad and Roseau lake is rich in fertile land and well adapted to grain and stock raising. Because of an impassable tract lying south of this valuable land no attempt has been made to develop the country thus far, although several tracts have been proved up.

HILL GOES TO COAST.

Railway Magnate to Look Into Oregon Railroad Situation.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—James J. Hill, accompanied by George B. Harris, chairman of the board of directors of the Burlington, Chicago; W. B. Dean of St. Paul, W. H. Dinwoody and E. C. Cook of Minneapolis, left by special train for the West Monday afternoon on a ten days' tour. It is said that the trip has no special significance other than that Mr. Hill will investigate conditions throughout the territory adjoining his line and look into certain matters in connection with the construction of invading lines in Oregon.

Mr. Hill will visit nearly all the important cities on the North Pacific coast. It will be a personal trip, in that he will not be called on to deliver any addresses. While it is not expected that he will traverse much of Oregon, traveling over the Oregon Trunk line, the Hill extension from Clark, Or., south toward California, he will spend a day or two at Portland, Or., and take up some matters in connection with the work under way. John F. Stevens, president of the Hill steam and electric roads on the Pacific coast, will meet him en route and discuss important subjects in regard to the invasion of Oregon.

IS THINNESS EMBARRASSING

Undoubtedly It Is to Many a Maiden and Youth—While Even Those Well Along in Years Prefer Well Rounded Figures.

Prescription Increases Weight.

A scrawny, gangling youth or maiden is almost invariably slighted, overlooked or ridiculed in any social gathering. There is something about a plump or well proportioned figure which attracts not only friendship, but love and adulation as well.

People with a proper amount of flesh are favored in all walks of life, while the thin are unblessed, unwelcome and frequently miserable for life. The difference lies in the power of the digestive functions and the ability of the blood and nerves to absorb and distribute over the body the nutrition extracted from tho food eaten.

The thin person is abnormal and lacks the power to absorb and retain the flesh and fat elements which the gastric juices in the stomach and intestines should extract or separate from all kinds of food and drink.

A recent accidental discovery has proven that tincture cadomene when blended with certain other drugs, will add from one to three pounds of flesh per week during treatment, while the general health and strength also improves wonderfully.

Get in a half pint bottle, three ounces of essence of pepsin and three ounces of syrup of rhubarb; then add one ounce compound essence cardiol; shake and let stand two hours; then add one ounce tincture cadomene compound, (not cardamom). Shake well and take a teaspoonful before and after meals, drinking plenty of water between meals and when retiring.

DIX PLANS TO KEEP REPUBLICAN ON JOB.

New York, Dec. 13.—Governor-elect John A. Dix has decided to reappoint Gen. William Verbeck, a Republican as adjutant- general. A number of Democrats have been seeking the place. Mr. Dix said:

"The state appropriates $1,500,000 a year for its military establishment, and it is of the utmost importance that we have a man at its head who will see that this money is expended to the best advantage. I have given a great deal of attention to this appointment and have come to the conclusion that Gen. Verbeck should continue this work."

Capt. John F. O'Ryan of the First light battery of New York, was mentioned as a candidate for the office and it was said he had the support of Tammany Hall.

DICKINSON ELKS TO CONSTRUCT FINE TEMPLE.

Dickinson, N. D., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—Dickinson Elks will spend about $50,000 in the construction of their new temple, plans for which are already under way. The building will be three stories above the basement. The contract for the erection of the structure will be let early next spring and the work is to be completed before the fall months arrive.

WORLD CONFERENCE ON OPIUM NEXT MAY.

Washington, Dec. 13.—The state department has announced successful completion of long continued negotiations looking to the gathering of an international conference with the object of suppressing the opium traffic. With one exception, all of the nations addressed on this subject have agreed to the conference, and word came from The Hague that May 30 next had been unanimously accepted as the date and The Hague as the place for the conference.

The nations which have accepted the invitation besides the United States are China, Great Britain, France, Germany, Italy, Japan, the Netherlands, Persia, Portugal, Russia and Siam. Austria-Hungary declined for lack of commercial interest in the opium traffic, but expressed a willingness to abide by any reasonable regulations adopted by the conference.

MRS. WHITELAW REID GETS $250,000 CASH.

San Francisco, Dec. 13.—In a distribution of part of the estate of the late D. O. Mills, ordered in the superior court, Ogden Mills and Mrs. Whitelaw Reid, wife of the American ambassador to Great Britain, were given $250,000 each in cash.

KILLS STEPFATHER TO PROTECT MOTHER.

Spartanburg, S. C., Dec. 13.—While protecting his mother from an attack from his stepfather, James Chambers shot and killed Corry Palmer near this city. Husband and wife were quarreling when the son walked in and attempted to quiet them. Palmer, it is claimed, was in the act of striking his wife when Chambers fired.

Kris & Rose Co.
COR. FIRST AVE. EAST AND SUPERIOR STREET.

Half-Price Sale of SUITS!

HERE is a sale that's really worth attending. Tomorrow all our Tailored Suits for women go on sale at Half-Price. The price list given below shows all the price range of our suit stock—values guaranteed as represented. We stake our most valuable asset on it—our reputation.

Women's Tailored Suits that were $14.50, now for **$7.25**
Women's Tailored Suits that were $16.50, now for **$8.25**
Women's Tailored Suits that were $18.00, now for **$9.00**
Women's Tailored Suits that were $19.50, now for **$9.75**
Women's Tailored Suits that were $22.50, now for **$11.25**
Women's Tailored Suits that were $25.00, now for **$12.50**
Women's Tailored Suits that were $27.50, now for **$13.75**

All Cloth Coats at ⅓ Off!

This includes each and every one of our long coats, (except plush, caracul and fur coats). Most of the coats are black; then there are some navy, brown, tan, etc., all in winter weight materials.

$7.50 Coats are now only .. **$5.00**
$10.00 Coats are now only .. **$6.66**
$12.50 Coats are now only .. **$8.33**
$14.50 Coats are now only .. **$9.66**
$16.50 Coats are now only .. **$11.00**
$18.00 Coats are now only .. **$12.00**
$19.50 Coats are now only .. **$13.00**
$22.50 Coats are now only .. **$15.00**
$25.00 Coats are now only .. **$16.66**

Trimmed Hats at Half Price

$3.00 Hats, cut in half **$1.50**
$3.50 Hats, cut in half **$1.75**
$4.00 Hats, cut in half **$2.00**
$4.50 Hats, cut in half **$2.25**
$5.00 Hats, cut in half **$2.50**
$5.50 Hats, cut in half **$2.75**
$6.00 Hats, cut in half **$3.00**
$6.50 Hats, cut in half **$3.25**
$6.95 Hats, cut in half **$3.98**
$7.50 Hats, cut in half **$3.75**

Tailored Hats and Untrimmed Shapes at Half Price!

$1.25 Shapes are now .... **63¢**
$1.48 Shapes are now .... **74¢**
$1.75 Shapes are now .... **88¢**
$1.98 Shapes are now .... **99¢**
$2.25 Shapes are now **$1.12**
$2.50 Shapes are now **$1.25**
$3.00 Shapes are now **$1.50**

RUSSIAN RESTRICTIONS ON JEWS ARE LIGHTENED.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 13.—An imperial order has been issued confirming a resolution recently adopted by the cabinet permitting Jewish merchants of the first guild to reside in the city and province of Moscow.

Emperor Nicholas on Nov. 1 approved the opening up of new sections for the residences of Jews. Heretofore legal residence of Jews had been restricted to that section of the Polish provinces and the Ukraine determined by the original Jewish segregation law and known as "The Pale." The new sections embraced twelve districts in the provinces of Vitebsk, Volhyna, Mohilev, Poltava and Kheron, and the town of Yekaterinodar.

It Is Possible to Reduce Flesh Without Dieting or Exercise

It is not only posible, but being done everywhere. Exercise, unless carefully superintended by a physician and expert Athletic Director, may easily do a deal of harm to the great overburdened fleshy body. The untutored fat man and woman determined to get thin are only too likely to overstrain their fat encumbered muscles by their awkward, ill-advised gymnastics, and so cause nerve and muscle troubles that may develop into something for worse than a little too much flesh. Same way with dieting. Starvation is certainly effective if kept up long and faithfully enough, but it is almost certain in injure the nutritive process and so weaken the patient constitutionally, while it is abominable torture, of course, especially to a good-natured, high-living, fleshy man or woman.

Fortunately neither dieting nor exercising are required or desirable if one uses the right remedy for reducing fat, and strange to say, the remedy is a simple, wholesome home mixture, the ingredients of which are obtainable at any drug store for a few cents. This mixture is as follows: ½ oz. Marmola, ½ oz. Fluid Extract Cascara Aromatic, 3½ ozs. Peppermint Water, and the proper amount to take is one teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime. This mixture takes the fat off rapidly but naturally, so that no wrinkles are formed and no harm is done to the stomach, as is so frequently the case with "Patent" or "secret" advertised remedies.

ADMITS BIGAMY BUT CANNOT BE PUNISHED.

New York, Dec. 13.—Although Charles W. Harrer is a bigamist and admits it, he can neither be freed from either wife, nor punished for his offense. Harrer was taken into court on a charge of bigamy, and admitted that although he married Jennie Green in Newark, N. J., in 1893, he took Edna Cooper as his wife in New York in 1904.

His confession was useless as testimony unless corroborated by another witness. The first wife could not be found and the second wife has disappeared since last week, when she was in court in an action to annul her marriage. Harrer was accordingly set free.

A divorce was refused the second wife on the ground that she knew that Harrer had a wife when she married him.

LOW WATER MENACE TO BRAINERD'S SAFETY.

Brainerd, Minn., Dec. 13.—The water in the Mississippi river is at an abnormally low stage and in case of a big fire the city would soon run out of a supply. The crib in the river is surrounded by a 5-foot wall of rock through which the water seeps very slowly, so slowly in fact that it would never flow strong enough for a sudden heavy demand as in case of a fire. The water and light board advises people not to waste water or it may have to install a system of meters. The shortage of water coming to soon after Johnson's dry order makes the city gasp for breath.

Thousands More Methodists.

Chicago, Dec. 13.—The entire membership of the Methodist Episcopal church increased 36,047 last year, according to a statement made to the Chicago Methodist Ministerial association by Rev. David G. Downey, corresponding secretary of the board of Sunday schools.

A REGAL HEAD

How often do we hear or see this expression used in describing a beautiful woman!

Denude that head of its hair and instead of a queenly, royal bearing we have a fright. The hair makes all the difference. To have that glorious abundance of radiant hair which always crowns "a regal head," one should use Newbro's Herpicide.

Herpicide represents the last word in scientific hair culture. It destroys the dandruff germ, checks falling hair and corrects generally, disease of the hair and scalp.

The positive results and its delicate but refreshing odor recommends Newbro's Herpicide to ladies of refinement everywhere.

Send 10c in postage for sample bottle of Herpicide and booklet to The Herpicide Co., Dept. R., Detroit, Mich.

One dollar size bottle sold and guaranteed by all druggists.

Applications made by the best barbers and hair dressers.

Lyceum Pharmacy and Lenox Drug store, special agents for Duluth.

MEANS DELAY IN RATE DECISIONS

Taft's Appointments Break Up Interstate Commerce Commission.

Washington, Dec. 13.—A perplexing, if not serious, situation is regarded as having arisen out of the change in the personnel of the interstate commerce commission made by President Taft's appointments yesterday. The two new commissioners proposed, C. C. McChord of Kentucky and B. M. Meyer of Wisconsin—named in succession to Commissioner Cockrell and Chairman Knapp, respectively, have heard none of the testimony in the important rate cases recently heard by the commission.

The cases have been set down for argument on Jan. 9, 1911. By that time the court of commerce will be in process of organization and Chairman Knapp, if confirmed by the senate, will have retired from the commission. Commissioner Cockrell's term presumably will expire on the 31st inst., although his commission appears to extend the term until Jan. 12.

May Extend Order.

In any event, two of the commissioners who have studied the rate cases and have heard the testimony at the hearings will have retired from the commission before the arguments are completed. It is the opinion among officers of the commission that it probably will be necessary further to postpone the effective date of the commission's order in the rate cases so as to afford the incoming commissioners opportunity to examine the testimony.

The proposed advance in rates were suspended until Feb. 1, 1911. The changes in the personnel of the commission make it almost certain that no determination of the important proceedings can be had by that time.

Clements Next Chairman.

Commissioner Judson C. Clements, Democrat, of Georgia, will be chosen as chairman of the interstate commerce commission. He is the senior member and every precedent points to his selection. The commission elects its own chairman.

THIRTY KILLED IN THE MINE

One Is Rescuer Who Gave Up Oxygen Helmet to Another.

Fernie, B. C., Dec. 13.—All the bodies of the miners killed in the Bellevue explosion last Friday evening have been recovered. Thirty men lost their lives. All were employes of the West Canadian collieries, except Fred Aulderson, fire boss at the Hosmer mine, who sacrificed his life by giving his oxygen helmet to a companion who was about to succumb to after-damp.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.
Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c

PAYS THREE TIMES FOR HER $8,000 NECKLACE.

New York, Dec. 13.—A pearl necklace worth $8,000 has cost Mrs. Ada F. C. Adriance of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., more than $25,000 because she attempted to smuggle it into the country on her return from Europe last August. The terms of the settlement in the case are announced by Collector William Loeb.

Mrs. Theodore P. Shonts, wife of the president of the Interborough Rapid Transit company, from whom jewels worth $30,900 were taken when she arrived from Europe last week, was too ill to appear for a hearing.

A Simple Safeguard For Mothers.
Mrs. D. Gilkeson, 326 Ingles avenue, Youngstown, Ohio, gained wisdom by experience. "My little girl had a severe cold and coughed almost continuously. My sister recommended Foley's Honey and Tar. The first dose I gave her relieved the inflammation in her throat and after using only one bottle her throat and lungs were entirely free from inflammation. Since then I always keep a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar in the house. Accept no substitutes. Sold by all druggists.

"HANK" BOYLE LEADS BUCKET BRIGADE.

Michael Henry (Hank) Boyle, formerly a star member of the Central high school football team, is a hero down at Dartmouth university, where he is attending school.

The Zenith City lad broke into a burning college building and with other undergraduates checked a fire which for a time looked as though it would spread to the other buildings.

Boyle was not injured. His home is at 224 Fourteenth avenue east.

He was the leader of the amateur bucket brigade. The boys held the flames in check until the department came.

KEEPING A LINE ON WASHINGTON DOINGS

Miller's Tax Bill Passed.

The house of representatives has passed an inheritance tax bill for the District of Columbia. The measure was introduced by Representative Miller of Minesota. It provides that all collateral inheritances amounting to more than $3,000 be taxed 5 per cent, while the direct inheritances up to $10,000 be exempt; those from this amount up to $50,000 be taxed 1 per cent; those from this up to $200,000 2½ per cent, and those above $200,000 be made to pay 5 per cent.

Naval Militia Bill.

The general board of the naval militia has practically perfected a bill governing the militia organization, which will be presented to congress. The bill will be drawn along the lines of the Dick bill, which controls the organization of the army militia with changes necessary to meet the requirements of the navy.

Clark Stock Going Up.

Several state delegations formally have indorsed Champ Clark of Missouri for the speakership of the next house and his friends now claim that his nomination will be unanimous. The Virginia delegation is among the more conspicuous of those that are holding aloof by reason of the attitude taken by Mr. Hay, who is for Mr. Clark if he will pledge himself to the naming of a committee on committees. Mr. Henry of Texas, who was at one time a prospective candidate for the speakership, has formally withdrawn from the fight. The Democrats of Kentucky, Missouri, Illinois, Georgia, Arkansas and Tennessee already have so far pledged themselves for the Missourian.

Pay For Militia.

Service pay for members of the national guard is provided in a bill introduced by Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania. All men in the ranks who attend forty-eight drills during the year, or such equivalent duty as is prescribed, are to be entitled to 25 per cent of the pay of a man in the regular army. No allowance will be made when less than twenty drills have been attended, and between that number and forty-eight the pay is to be proportionate to the 25 per cent.

All officers below the rank of general officers are to have 15 per cent of the pay that goes to a regular army officer of like rank. General officers are to receive 5 per cent of the pay of like grades in the regular army.

No militiamen can secure the allowance during the first year of his enlistment, unless he makes a record score with the arm used in his branch of the service.

The pension appropriation bill, carrying $153,688,000, has been ordered reported to the house by the appropriations committee. The amount is identical with the estimates submitted by the interior department and about $2,000,000 less than appropriations for the current fiscal year.

The bill probably will be passed tomorrow.

Permanent Tariff Commission.

The start of the fight for a permanent tariff commission began in the senate when Senator Beveridge asked what action the finance committee proposed to take upon his tariff commission bill. Whether the fight develops will depend upon the action of the finance committee, of which Senator Aldrich is chairman. The latter said in reply to Senator Beveridge's questions that the committee will report out a tariff commission bill satisfactory to Mr. Beveridge while the latter and Senator Aldrich are still members of the senate. The terms of both men expire March 3. Upon this assurance the Indiana senator did not press the commission issue further.

Revision By Sections.

Senator Cummins of Iowa, will again offer his resolution for a change of senate and house rules to permit the revision of the tariff by sections.

MAY AMEND NEW YORK LAW AS TO INSANITY.

New York, Dec. 13.—Dr. William A. White, superintendent of the government hospital for the insane at Washington, D. C., told the New York Society of Medical jurisprudence last night that the discharge of lunatics in habeas corpus proceedings by juries composed of laymen was a disgrace to society and modern civilization.

"I have seen many patients discharged by a layman jury," he added, "who are in every respect insane, while at the same time others, perfectly sane, were committed."

John Brooks Leavitt, a New York attorney, said there should be a law similar to that in England, which provides that the insane criminal shall be committed "until his majesty's pleasure to release him shall be made known." Then he added, "his majesty's pleasure is never made known."

A committee was appointed to investigate the advisability of recommending such a law.

FIREMAN HOOKED TO DEATH BY MAIL CRANE.

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 13.—Fred Dessatcher, a fireman on the Chicago & Northwestern road, was accidentally killed near South Milwaukee yesterday.

His train was running at a high rate of speed and he happened to look out of the cab window to get a view of the track. The hook of the mail crane of a passing mail train caught him by the neck and dragged him from the cab, death resulting from his neck being broken.

Beats Death Two Hours.

Grand Forks, N. D., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—Summoned here by the serious illness of his wife who was visiting her relatives in this city, Otto Oeder of Kewaskum, Wis., beat death only two hours, but had the satisfaction of seeing his wife before she died as she was still conscious.

Kelley HARDWARE CO. Is the Helpful Christmas Store!

118 & 120 WEST SUPERIOR ST. DULUTH, MINN.

THIS list of Christmas gift hints makes it clear why you should bring your holiday list to be filled at the Kelley Hardware Store. There is a feeling of satisfastion and confidence which attends every purchase and each customer knows that he will receive full value for the money spent.

A store like Kelley's is a store that you can safely do the most of your Christmas shopping in, and we know no good reason why a visit to the big Kelley Hardware Store should be delayed.

Large and complete stocks of Sporting Goods, Tools, Silverware, Tableware, Cutlery, Kitchen Utensils, Firearms is now on display ready for the Christmas gift purchaser.

Kelley's Christmas Store Service

Kelley's aim to have their store service the very best that is possible for it to be. They want it to be a pleasure for you to do your Christmas shopping at the Kelley store. Their salespeople will put forth every effort to make your visit a pleasant one, whether you come with a definite intention of making a purchase, or whether you are just gathering suggestions to help you decide the gift question, you are welcome and no effort will be spared to give you the information you seek, or to show you all their large stocks afford.

Whatever you buy at the Kelley Hardware Store, you may rest assured that everything is thoroughly reliable and dependable, or Kelley's will see to it that you are perfectly satisfied.

If you do not know exactly what to buy from our large and varied stock of suitable gift things, let us suggest the purchase of a

Gift Certificate

which entitles the recipient to choose the gift personally. These **Kelley Gift Certificates** are good for any amount you wish.

During last Saturday's rush a lady left a package of gloves at our store. The owner may have same by calling at the store.

Kelley's Window Displays

contain many helpful gift hints. Each article bears a plainly marked price ticket. You should look at this display for we think you will find something therein which might be suggestive.

Next week's display will be devoted to the boys and girls. Watch for it.

It Is a Pleasure to Shop in a Brilliantly Lighted Kelley Hardware Store

Realizing the fact that many new customers—as well as all our regular customers—will choose Kelley's to do their Christmas buying in, and to make the first impression a favorable one, we have had installed a new lighting system, thereby making our store much lighter and much more cheerful. The combined lighting power is 30,000-candle power.

You will like to shop at Kelley's now more than ever, under these new bright lights.

Buy Some of Kelley's Exquisite Cut Glass For Christmas Giving.

For Yuletide giving nothing is more appropriate than delicate and sparkling cut glass. We carry real diamond cut pieces, and our assortments are surprisingly large and complete. Visit the Kelley store and view this stock for nothing is so sure of delighting the recipient as rich and beautiful cut glass.

Sugar and Creamers, $2.75 to $7.50.

Vases, $1.50 to $5.75.

Water Sets — with pitcher and six glasses, from $8.25 to $25.

Tumblers—six in the set, $3.25 to $15.

Puff Boxes, from $2.25 to $4.50.

Cologne Bottles, from $2.50 to $8.50.

Fern Dishes, from $4 to $12.50.

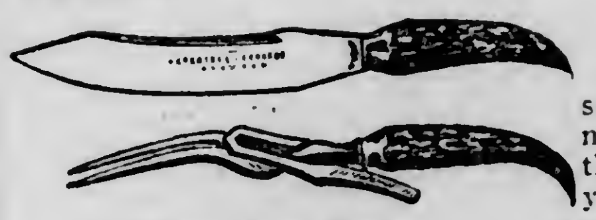
Bon Bon Dishes, from $1 to $6.50. (Eleven styles to choose from).

Comports, from $2.25 to $23.50.

Nappies, from 90c to $4.50.

Reliable Cutlery and Tableware —Makes Good— Christmas Gifts

The Kelley Hardware Store is recognized as headquarters for **Reliable Cutlery** of all kinds. We are displaying everything that is most desired in Table Cutlery, Scissor Sets, Carvers, Silverware, etc. If you decide on anything in this line we ask you to visit our store first, for we are only too glad to show you our large lines.



Carving Sets

Many different styles and at almost any price you wish to pay. The line must be seen to be appreciated. Our prices are from 98c to $25.

Table Silverware

We have the complete assortments of five different makes. We are confident therefore that we can suit your fancy, as well as your purse. We have Roger's 1847, Wm. Roger's, Holme's and Edwards, and the United Silverware.

Do not forget that we also carry the Genuine Sterling Silverware.

For the Sports Women

Moccasins at $3.
Skates from 85c to $5.
Skating Shoes, $4 to $6.
Skis from $1 to $4.

Sweaters, a large line of the famous nationally known "Bradley" line, from $4.50 to $10.

"Bradley"
FULL-FASHIONED
MUFFLER

The **"Bradley"** Mufflers, in different styles, at **50c to $1.75.**

Collapsible Cups, from **50c to $1.50.**

Thermos Bottles at **$3.75,** and including the complete lunch sets, up to **$50.**

KEEPS CONTENTS HOT 24 HOURS
THERMOS
KEEPS CONTENTS COLD 72 HOURS

The Thermos Goods lead all others in quality. No automobile or traveling outfit is complete nowadays without one of these useful vacuum bottles or complete sets. Your choice is unlimited.

These Are Gifts of Practical Utility and Will Always Be Appreciated By the Busy Houseworker

Women are as anxious for the new and improved household innovations as men are about up-to-date devices for their business work. Much of the drudgery of housework may be changed to pleasure by the use of the articles listed below. Men should buy these for wives and mothers.

Let us show you how much time can be saved by the use of a fireless cooker; and let us show you how easy our Thurman Vacuum Cleaners work. We want to explain to you why you should buy a Lisk Self-Basting Roaster for the Christmas turkey. Also, if you prepare the coffee in one of our Percolators you will note the fine flavor, the delicious aroma. The percolator way does away with the bitter taste caused by boiling. You should also become acquainted with the famous Guernsey Earthen Ware. These are but a few hints, but enough to show you that these modern method articles are bringing a new era to the busy housewife and giving her more time to enjoy other things.

No store is so well prepared to show you the labor-saving utensils as the Kelley Hardware Store, and we will be glad to show you our complete stocks.

Size 14x15x23 inches. Weight about 55 pounds.

Fireless Cookers

A 2-compartment Jewell, aluminum lined, fireless cooker at

$15.50

Other styles of Fireless Cookers, from

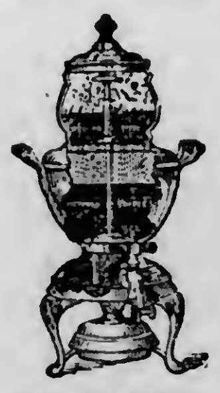
$6.50 to $18.50

Tea Kettles for Afternoon Tea

An ideal Christmas gift to your goody lady friends. You will have plenty to choose from, for we quote the price here for 12 different styles—$2.25, $2.50, $2.75, $4.50, $6.00, $6.50, $6.75, $7.50, $8.00, $8.75, $9.50, $10.50.

Percolators

In four different makes; all sizes; from our special $1.75 Percolators up to as high as $7.25.

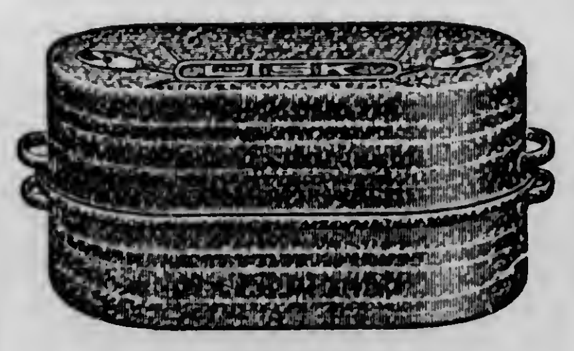


FOR MAKING COFFEE ON THE TABLE

Coffee Machines

from our $5.85 Christmas special to the many different styles of complete sets, (including creamer and sugar bowl, flagon and tray) up to $25.

Electric Coffee Machines, from $12.75 to $16.50.



Imperial LISK Roaster

A No. 2—Sanitary, seamless and self roasting, each **$2.25.**

Baking Dishes from **$2.25 to $5.**

A No. 9 cast illuminum **Tea Ketle,** each **$4.50.**

A six-pound **Hot-Point Electric Flat Iron,** each **$5.**

Lander's New Samavar Tea Machines—Both nickel and silver plated, from **$8.00 to $10.50.**

New Tea-Ball Tea Pot—This is something quite new, yet it is practical. These tea pots you must not fail to see. Just the thing for a Christmas gift, **$3 to $5.**

Universal and Keystone Meat Choppers and Meat Grinders—A complete assortment of many sizes, from **98c to $2.00.**

Horning Glass Jar Spice and Cereal Cabinet—With a separate covered jar for all spices and cereals. To place either on the wall or table, each **$4.50.**

Home Comfort Bread and Cake Cabinets—In four convenient sizes, at these prices, **$2.50, $3, $5 and $6.**

Christy's Improved Mixer for mayonaise salad dressing, at **$1.50.**

Silver Blade Cream and Egg Whips—If you use the "silverblade" the cream or eggs will not spatter over the dish and on to your clothes. Only **85c.**

Asbestos Sad Iron Sets—No. 70, at **$1.75;** other styles at **95c to $2.00.**

Imperial and Universal Bread Workers—Once used, always used. Baking is a pleasure with these. Different styles at **$1.35, $2.00 and $2.50.**

Pie Dishes—These are something new and make a useful gift for the good cooks you may know. They are heavily nickel plated, the receiver provided with Guernsey ware, inset. Sold at **$3.50 and $4.00.**

Casseroles—Undoubtedly you will find here at the Kelley Hardware Store the largest line in the city. All provided with the Guernsey insets. Many styles at **$3.75 to $10.50.**

Fine Scissor and Manicure Sets Are Always Acceptable

You are assured of the quality for one thing, and our large stocks make it easy for you to find exactly what you want.

Fine Sewing Sets from **75c to $3.**

Scissor Sets from **$2.25 to $6.25**

Embroidery Scissor Sets at **50c to $1.50.**

Manicure Sets

Buy them here, at Kelley's. We are showing nineteen different styles. You will surely find something saitable from this big line. Prices from

$1.50 to $20

Crumb Tray and Scrapers, from

$1.25 to $2.75

These Things Are Sure to Please a Lady:

Toilet Water, Ed. Pinaud's famous goods, from **75c to $1.00.**
Whist Sets at **$2.00** and **$2.50.**
"500" Sets at **$5.00.**
Card Cases at **75c** and **$1.00.**
Cribbage Boards at **25c to $2.50.**
Handy Desk Clocks at **$2.50.**
Purses, 75c to $1.50.
Flash Lights, 50c to $5.00.
Pennants, 75c to $1.25.
Pillow Covers, $2.00 to $3.00.
Reading Glasses, $1.50.
Genuine Imported Syderol Vases at **$3 to $10.**
Book Racks, from **$1.25 to $4.00.**
Desk Sets, from **$1.50 to $3.25.**
Electric Toasters at **$3.50.**

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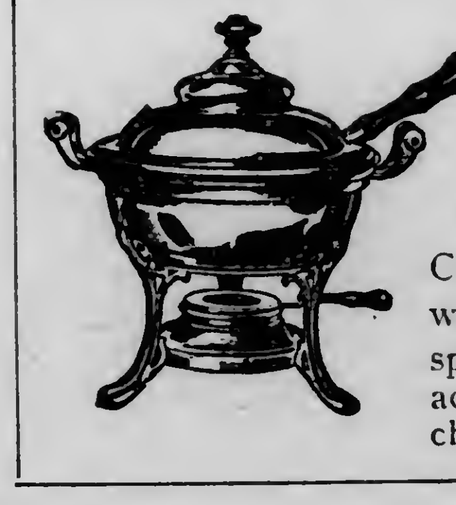

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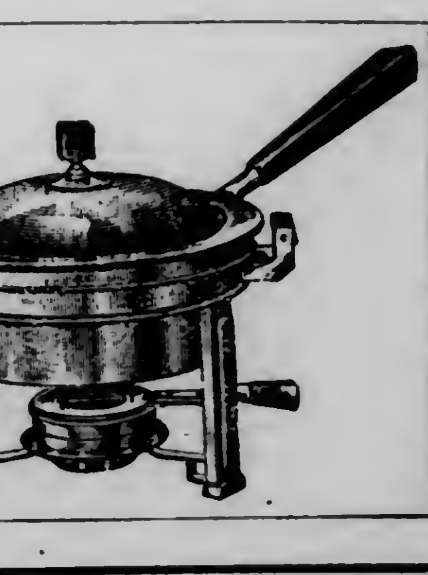

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Where sin and death abound,
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Will paradise be found.
—*James Montgomery.*

THE COMMISSION PLAN.

No. 25.—Duluth's Opportunity.

A month ago The Herald started its discussion of the commission form of city government, with a view to enlisting public interest in a study of the plan and to bringing about official action looking toward the preparation of a new system of government for this city.

Both of these objects have been accomplished.

The community, which was ready for it, has entered eagerly upon a discussion of the proposed change.

The city charter commission, upon which devolves the work of studying the many varieties of the commission plan now in use and the preparation of a system that seems applicable to the peculiar needs of Duluth, has begun its task.

Practically no opposition to the plan has appeared publicly. Discussion, in public and private, has been almost unanimously favorable. The Herald has published a series of interviews with citizens in all parts of the community, men from every walk of life and from every profession, business and calling; and all but one or two of these interviews have favored the plan warmly.

The Herald will continue to publish such matter touching upon the commission form as comes to its hand. It has made an elaborate inquiry among the cities now using the commission plan. Many of the results of this inquiry have been published, and more will be published from time to time.

Aside from this, however, The Herald's duty in the matter is done, for the present. The information it has secured will be turned over to the charter commission, which is making an independent study of the subject that can be depended upon to be thorough and exhaustive.

The commission will take plenty of time for its investigation, and will not fix upon a plan for submission to the people until a most careful study has been made. When its work is done, and a new charter is submitted to the people, the real contest will come—a contest against opponents of the plan, both open and secret, and a contest against the natural public lassitude which must be overcome before any radical change of this sort can be made. To this contest The Herald pledges its best efforts.

Duluth, in the opinion of The Herald, needs the commission plan, and should adopt it after giving it such thorough study that the chance of mistake in details will be practically eliminated. It is the duty of every citizen to study the subject as thoroughly as he can, and to make up his mind about it before the time for action at the ballot box arrives.

It must not be supposed, because there has thus far been but one voice on the subject, that there will be no opposition to the adoption of the commission form of city government in Duluth. There will be opposition. If there isn't, it will be the first case on record where the commisson form was adopted without very strong opposition. But if the public-spirited citizens of Duluth continue to advocate the plan as heartily as they are advocating it now, opposition will be overcome and Duluth will face the future now broadening before it, equipped with a system of government that will enable it to make the utmost of the splendid opportunities that are unfolding.

STOCKHOLDER AND CORPORATION.

Secretary of the Treasury MacVeagh says that the affairs of the large corporations should be carried on in the full light of publicity, not only in the interest of the public, but in the interest of the stockholders.

Wise and timely thought! Truly, here is a Daniel come to judgment.

As most large corporations have been carried on in recent years, the public has been treated as a lamb to be sheared, and the stockholder's position has been but little better.

One of the greatest needs of the country is publicity of corporation affairs, and a need hardly less important is that of greater democracy in the management of corporations.

Just who is this public, which corporations have treated with such contempt? Just who are these stockholders who have been given so little heed by the arrogant managers of the corporations?

The public is the creator of the corporation, and its master. The stockholders are the owners of the physical property of the corporation.

Surely the corporations owe something to their creators and masters. Surely they owe something to their owners. Yet as they have been operated in recent years, neither the stockholders nor the public have been given even courteous treatment.

Said Secretary MacVeagh in an interview: "Anything that will promote the confidence of the investing public is a good thing for business institutions. I know of no other one thing which would tend more in this direction than for the corporations to deal frankly and fairly with their stockholders by revealing their actual financial and physical conditions. Shareholders have an unquestioned right to know how the company in which their money is invested is being conducted, and how the business stands. There was a time, not long ago, when officers and directors of a corporation treated such organization almost as their personal property. That day has passed. Now the demand is for fair dealing and open books.

"Legitimate corporations could have nothing to lose and probably much to gain by following this policy, and the public would soon become wary of investing their money in enterprises which were afraid or unwilling to do the same thing."

This is sound business sense and sound public policy. Arbitrary power has always been ruinous alike to those who ruled and those who were ruled. Centering absolute and unchecked power in the hands of corporation managers has led to a horde of evils that afflicted the public and the stockholders alike. Many a fat fortune has been built up by corporation directors at the expense of corporation stockholders and the public, and it has been made possible only by the fact that the average corporation is a thorough autocracy with stockholders and public locked on the outside.

The United States Steel corporation, with its voluntary reports to stockholders and public, has set an example in this respect which all corporations should follow, and which they should be forced by law to follow if they will not do so voluntarily.

LETTING EVERYBODY HELP.

Whoever invented the Red Cross Christmas seal idea—may glory crown his name—did a feat that was marvelously ingenious. It lets everybody help in the splendid fight against tuberculosis; and that it is not only good for the fight—it is good for everybody who participates.

It is the easiest possible way to co-operate in a campaign that is going to lift from the highways of humanity the menace and the doom of consumption.

The Red Cross Christmas seals cost only a cent apiece, and everybody can afford to add that much to the cost of each of their Christmas gifts and to the cost of sending Christmas letters. It is but a few cents from each person, yet in the aggregate, judging from the way the sales of stamps are going, a large sum will be raised for the benefit of the local anti-tuberculosis organization.

The seals are to be had anywhere—literally anywhere. Almost every place of business sells them—and buys and uses them, too, for scarcely a letter comes from a local business house that is not adorned with the green and red of the Christmas seal. The children in the public schools are selling them, at home and in the neighborhood. There is little excuse for anybody's not buying, for everybody has plenty of chances to buy.

If you haven't done so already, lay in a stock of Red Cross Christmas seals and put one on every holiday letter and package. You will be contributing thus to a noble cause, and the stamps you send out will carry the suggestion of health for humanity.

THE EASE OF ISSUING BONDS.

The average city government spends all it can get out of the taxpayers by direct taxation, and when it gets all it can hope for that way it resorts to the easy method of issuing bonds.

This makes it easy for those who are handling the city's finances, but if it is carried too far it builds up trouble for the future; for these bonds have to be met and paid some time, and in the meantime interest and sinking funds keep adding to the tax rate.

Duluth probably has issued no bonds that were not absolutely necessary; though it is to be hoped that when the commission form of government is adopted, it will be possible under the new system to get the desired results out of regular revenues, and that the resort to bond issues will be less frequent. That has been one of the most important results of the plan in other cities.

In the Open Court last evening a communication was published from Charles R. Haines, a well known local citizen, who touched pointedly on this subject of bond issues as affecting the credit of the city and its tax rate. What he said should be considered carefully by every taxpayer and every public spirited citizen.

There isn't the slightest doubt that bond issuing is so easy that there always is danger that a city will overdo it, and many cities have overdone it to their bitter cost. No bond issue should be made or proposed without the absolute assurance that it is necessary, or without a thorough realization that interest on the bonds issued must be met and that they must be paid at maturity.

There is a very serious question whether, in view of the fact that recent bond issues have been sold with some difficulty, and that the large bonded indebtedness of the city makes it impossible to dispose of them at low rates of interest, it is wise to talk of a bond issue for a municipal electric lighting plant. Certainly it is unwise unless the need of such a plant is thoroughly established. An issue of bonds that is authorized, even though it may not be issued, has an inevitable bearing on the credit of a community when it comes to issuing bonds that are actually needed; for the fact that it is authorized compels bond buyers to assume that it may be issued and offered for sale any time.

Issuing public bonds isn't a business that should be entered into with blithe disregard of the future day of reckoning that inevitably must arrive. It is a business that should receive the most thoughtful care and the most thorough study.

THE SPOTLESSNESS OF LORIMER.

The sub-committee appointed by the senate committee on privileges and elections to look into those rumors from Illinois that Senator Lorimer had gained his seat by bribery has decided on its report.

It will report back to the main committee its belief that the charges against Lorimer have not been sustained.

Though half a dozen men, more or less, have confessed that they were paid for their votes for Lorimer; though the shame of it has dragged several of these venal lawmakers into the gutters of disgrace; though there isn't a man, woman or child in Illinois or the country that does not believe that the Illinois legislature was buried in dishonest dollars at the time of Lorimer's election; though the whole affair smells to heaven; still this committee finds the charges not sustained.

We should hate, if we were an offender against the law, to leave behind in our lawbreaking a trail so stupidly plain that a political investigating committee would discover it and admit its discovery.

CHIEF JUSTICE WHITE.

If the selection of Judges Van Devanter and Lamar as associate justices of the supreme court is as wise as the selection of Justice White for chief justice of that body, President Taft is emerging with credit from the mighty responsibility that has rested upon him. The appointment of Judge Van Devanter will hardly be pleasing to those who hope to see the government lose its case against the oil and tobacco trusts, because he joined in the decision in the lower court dissolving the Standard Oil company as being a persistent violator of the Sherman anti-trust law. Justice White is a broad-guaged jurist, and was one of the minority that held the income tax law to be constitutional.

THE OPEN COURT.

(Readers of The Herald are invited to make free use of this column to express their ideas about the topics of general interest. Letters should not exceed 300 words—the shorter the better. They must be written on one side of the paper only, and they must be accompanied in every case by the name and address of the writer, though these need not be published. A signed letter is always more effective, however.)

ROLE OF INFORMER NOT A PLEASANT ONE.

To the Editor of The Herald:

In a recent issue of your valuable paper, in the Open Court column, I read the article of the gentleman who told of the condition in a certain district where vice flourished and liquor was sold quite openly.

In a later issue a party pointed out that the informer of those conditions should go before the authorities and lay the case before them so that proper action could be taken. Now, then, it does not always happen that a person can make an open complaint. Some times conditions might be so, and honorable at that, that he can't divulge his name in connection with such matters, even if it is his desire to do something for the betterment of humanity. I know of a case where a Mrs. A. complained to the health department in a certain town about the neighbor's garbage, and a well-founded complaint at that. The neighbor was told by the health inspector that Mrs. A. complained, etc., and maybe you think there wasn't much trouble for poor Mrs. A. Let me ask, isn't it silly to believe that the police department, with all their secret service, does not know of existing conditions; and isn't it still more silly to believe that they can't stop it if they want to, as well as they can stop other lesser crimes from being committed? I have followed your very interesting arguments on the commission plan, and in connection with above, think that it would take politics out of the city government, and then, and not until then, a policeman can do his duty without fear of losing his job; for then, and not until then, will he know his soul is his own.

ONE WHO BELIEVES IN LAW ENFORCEMENT.

Duluth, Dec. 11.

"Give Us More."

The world has gone mad, on a joy-rider's race,
On an effort to keep up the wildest pace,
Mad with money, and mad with sin,
"Faster!" "Oh Faster!" "More noise," "more din!"

The world is crazed for "more of strife,"
"Of greed," "of tension," and "more of life,"
Straining and pushing in effort to climb,
Living all night to have "more of time."

Digging under the ground, building up in the air,
Diving down in the depths, living everywhere,
Oppressing the weak, the dumb and the old,
We use them, abuse them, to have "more of gold."

We challenge the sun, with his glorious light,
Ape the birds on the wing in their airy flight,
We capture earth's creatures from out of the wild,
And train them to mind, as a wee, tiny child.

"Give us more of the devil," and "more of hell,"
For as long as we live we're going to live well;
And at last when we're forced to go under the sod,
Will our final demand be—"more of God?"

—C.

Lee's Justification.

Gamaliel Bradford, Jr., in the Atlantic: It will at once be asked, why, then, did Lee leave the Union? Because Virginia left it, and he felt that Virginia was his country. And I cannot see how any citizen of the old colonial states, with all the memories and traditions of his forefathers in his heart and all the local attachments and fellowships that constitute home, can fail even now to sympathize with such an attitude. "No consideration on earth could induce me to act a part, however gratifying to me, which could be construed into faithlessness to this Commonwealth," wrote Lee's father to Madison; and at another time he expressed himself still more strongly: "Virginia is my country; her I will obey, however lamentable the fate to which it may subject me." Longstreet, in describing his own decision, tells us that "a number of officers of the post called to persuade me to remain in the Union service. Captain Gibbs, of the Mounted Rifles, was the principal talker, and after a long and pleasant discussion, I asked him what course he would pursue if his state should pass ordinances of secession and call him to its defense. He confessed that he would obey the call." Finally, if one may quote one's own feeling as perhaps representative of many, I do not hesitate to say that in the certainly most improbable, but perhaps not wholly impossible, contingency of a future sectional separation in the country, however much I might disapprove of such separation and its causes, I should myself be first, last, and always a son and subject of New England and of Massachusetts.

Names For Love-Songs.

Collier's: There is monotony in the naming of love-songs. Why not novel titles such as these?

"I Love You."
"I Love You, Dear."
"I Love You Dearly."
"I Love You, Dearie."
"Dearie, I Love You."
"Dearie, I Love You Dearly."
"I Love But You."
"I Love You, But—"
"I Love You So."
"Because I Love You So."
"Love Me, for I Love You."
"Love Me, and I Own the Earth."
"I Shall Love You till the Sea Dries Up."

The foregoing list is tossed to the busy composers to use without royalty to us.

A Clinic For Industrial Diseases.

"When Florence Nightingale and Henri Dunant saw the battlefields strewn with dead and wounded, they gave a moment to thought, and then passed on to the world an idea which grew into that beneficent organization known as the Red Cross. Since that time, wherever men might be injured in the activities of war the means for quick relief have been supplied. During that same half century, however, the industrial field with its activities of peace has extended and grown more mechanical, until it now maims more men than war ever did. In the United States 30,000 wage-earners are killed by industrial accidents every year, and 500,000 more are seriously injured." says John B. Andrews of the American Association for Labor Legislation, in the Survey. "There are probably not less than 13,000,000 cases of sickness each year among those engaged in industrial employments. The money loss each year (for those who find dollars more impressive than lives) is calculated by these conservative experts as nearly three-quarters of a billion dollars. At least one-fourth of this painful incapacity for work and consequent economic loss, we are told, can be prevented.

We need an institution that will correlate the experience of our scattered little groups of hygienists and enable more medical men to direct their attention to the problems of industrial hygiene. We need for the purpose a special laboratory and hospital to accelerate progress in the study of the causes and prevention of industrial diseases. With such an institution, phosphorous poisoning would quickly disappear from our match industry as a matter of scientific common sense. The long list of poisons affecting scores of different occupations would gradually be shortened. Conditions which lower vitality, lessen efficiency and invite disease, would quickly be improved to the advantage of manufacturer and wage-earner.

MINNESOTA OPINIONS.

A Bas Le Sox.

Grand Rapids Herald Review: Any one who has ever lived in Northern Minnesota and Itasca county especially would know that living in a camp is practically the same as living outdoors. Barring the presence of a few pairs of woolen socks, suspended from the walls, we are willing to take affidavit to the fact that Itasca county camps are sanitary.

Just a Bit of Pessimism.

Carlton Vidette: In an Eastern city not long since a man was indicted, tried and sentenced to the penitentiary for a long period of years in the short space of two hours. It is almost needless to say that he was a poor man. If the offender had been a rich man it is not likely such expedition would have been shown.

E. Smith's Will Do.

Ada Herald: It is the customary thing for applicants for appointive positions to be given out in a political way to secure the indorsement of the chairman of the county committee. We wonder if Preuss received the O. K. of Chairman Froshaug of the Norman county committee. How about it, Arnt?

What Might Have Been.

Princeton Union: They are talking of abolishing the governor's staff in Connecticut. We know of a fellow who, had he been afforded the opportunity, would have abolished the staff in this state six years ago.

This Should Hold Them.

Winona Independent: Leading railroads of Iowa and Illinois are said to be planning a concerted attack on the 2-cent fare laws of those states. It's a 2 to 1 shot that if the railroads do succeed in having the law declared unconstitutional, confiscatory, or something else equally bad, that they won't return to the 3-cent fare. Their earnings are larger with the 2-cent fare, and they know it.

Poor Old Peary!

Preston Times: If Cook lied, Peary is probably also a liar and both are mere adventurers and notoriety seekers. Who cares for the North Pole, anyway?

But Who is the Calf?

St. Cloud Times: Bemidji is greatly interested in a report that J. Pierpont Morgan is to pass through that city, and a banquet in his honor is talked of; why? Is this not a proposition to "worship the golden calf."

Another Fletcher Argument.

Rochester Post and Record: Be a little careful when you eat oysters. A chap in Chicago while enjoying an oyster stew bit a hard substance which proved to be a pearl, for which he was offered $800. So masticate oysters well before deglutition, and a pearl may be the reward.

Henry George in Congress.

Louis F. Post, Editor of the Public, in The Survey: Henry George, Jr., is "the son of his father" in every sense but one. He is not dependent upon his father's name for his own career.

His father's ideals, however, and his father's life work, are his own ideals and the work of his own life. Not as a servile imitator, but as one of those men in all parts of the world who have seen the star his father saw, he has carved a career for himself as a world leader in spreading the gospel of liberty and brotherhood, industrial as well as political. His object, as it was his father's and is that all his father's followers, is to abolish the exploitation of labor; and to this end his energies are concentrated upon the abolition of privilege.

That is what one might call Henry George's congressional platform if one had the right to speak for him. To abolish the exploitation of labor, privilege must be abolished. Every part of privilege abolished is thus far toward its total destruction. Customs tariffs are our bulwarks of privilege, nationally. Consequently, every bit of congressional legislation destructive to the tariff wall is a deadly blow at the privileged, and therefore a champion's shot for the workers.

So might one expect Henry George, Jr., in congress, to co-operate his own powers with the powers of the largest numbers moving in his general direction, for securing the highest degree of free trade presently possible. And in addition to congressional issues rising out of the tariff question, one might expect him to be aligned with the congressional forces that support the Pinchot movement for conservation of natural resources; for in the privileges which that movement assails, the very heart's core of all privilege lurks.

Ambition.

Jerome K. Jerome: Is it, forsooth, wrong to be ambitious? Are the men wrong who, with bent back and sweating brow cut the smooth road over which humanity marches forward, who use the talents their master has intrusted to them for toiling, while others play?

Of course, they are seeking their own record. Man is not given that godlike unselfishness that thinks only of others' good. But in working for themselves they are working for us all. We are so bound together that no man can labor for himself alone. Each blow he strikes in his own behalf helps to mold the universe. The stream in struggling onward turns the mill wheel; the coral insect fashioning its tiny cells joins continents; and the ambitious man, building a pedestal for himself leaves a monument to posterity. Alexander and Caesar fought for their own ends, but in doing so they put a belt of civilization half around the earth. Stephenson, to win a fortune, invented the steam engine, and Shakespeare wrote his plays to keep a comfortable home for Mrs. Shakespeare and the children.

Contented, unambitious people are all very well in their way. They form a neat, useful background for great portraits to be painted against, and they make a respectable audience for the active spirits to play before. I have not a word to say against them so long as they keep quiet. But they should not go strutting about, crying out that they are the true models for the whole species.

If you are foolish enough to be contented, don't show it, but grumble with the rest; and if you can do with a little, ask for a great deal. Because, if you don't, you won't get anything. In this world it is necessary to adopt the principle pursued by the plaintiff in an action for damages and to demand ten times more than you are ready to accept. If you can feel satisfied with a hundred, begin by insisting on a thousand; if you start by suggesting a hundred you will only get ten.

What a terribly dull affair, too, life must be for contented people. They never know the excitement of expectation nor the stern delight of accomplished effort, such as stir the pulse of the man who has objects and hopes and plans. To the ambitious man life is a brilliant game—a game that calls forth all his tact and energy and nerve—a game to be won, in the long run, by the quick eye and the steady hand, and yet having sufficient chance about its working out to give it all the glorious zest of uncertainty. He exults in it, as the strong swimmer in the heavy billows, as the athlete in the wrestle, as the soldier in battle. And if he be defeated, he wins the grim joy of fighting; if he loses the race he, at least, has had a run. Better to work and fail than to sleep one's life away.

An Old Record.

From "The Rules of the Game" by Stewart Edward White: Bob began to chop above and below the wrinkle in the bark. After ten minutes' careful work, he laid aside a thick slab of wood. The inner surface of this was shiny with pitch. The space from which it had peeled had filmed over the old blaze, protecting it against the new wood and bark which had gradually grown over it. Thus, although the original blaze had been buried six inches in the living white pine wood, nevertheless the letter was as clear and sharp as when it had been carved fifty years before. Furthermore, the same lettering, only reversed and in relief, showed on the thick slab that Bob had peeled away. So the tree had preserved the record in its heart.

MUNICIPAL BEAUTY PAYS.

Frederick C. Howe in December Hampton's: Dusseldorf has been planned by expert architects and landscape gardeners who make a profession of city planning. Nothing has been left to chance. The individual property owner is no more permitted to spoil the harmony of the whole than an incompetent workman would be permitted to wreck an expensive machine.

Streets, squares, parks, gardens, playgrounds, all have their place in the scheme of the city architect, while in the designing of private and public work, open spaces and street corners, lamp posts and street signs, the skill of the artist has been joined with that of the builder and the engineer. Everything is orderly, symmetrical and beautiful.

In America a man may do as he wills with his land. He may erect a dirty factory in the midst of a residence district. He may put up a 20-story skyscraper or a miserable tax earner. He may lay out mean and narrow streets and use the section for anything that suits his fancy. And the law protects him in his lawlessness.

Dusseldorf is planned in detail for fifty years to come. Upon the maps in the city hall one can see the location of future streets, boulevards, parks, open spaces, sites for public buildings and schoolhouses, all located in anticipation of the city's growth. The streets are wide and spacious; a large amount of land is dedicated to public use.

Certain sections of the city are set aside for mills and factories, while neighboring property is reserved for workingmen's dwellings. In other sections the land is devoted to villas or expensive apartments. Everywhere, even in the heart of the city, the height of buildings is limited, usually to the width of the street. The area which may be built upon is also fixed and must not exceed from three-fifths to three-fourths of the lot area. Thus, neither the slum nor the tenement can reappear as in the older sections of the city.

The city says to the factory owner: "You must build your mills in the outskirts, and so located that the prevailing winds will carry the smoke away from the city. And wherever you build you must not offend your neighbors with smoke, dirt and noise. You must provide your factories with baths so that your employes can keep themselves clean. Your buildings must also be equipped with the latest and best safety appliances."

Far from injuring the landowner, these regulations protect him; they increase the value of his property and safeguard him from the get-rich-quick speculator, who divides his property into cheap lots and paves and sewers his streets with worthless material, which in a few years' time must be rebuilt by the city. At the same time the gardens, open spaces and playgrounds add to the value of the land and yield a return to the owner as well as to the community. From every point of view municipal beauty is one of the best of city investments. It not only increases the value of neighboring land, but lures population to the city as a place of residence.

Dusseldorf has developed a system of municipal harbors and docks that are marvels of convenience. The cost of the improvement was $4,500,000. In ten years' time this investment has increased the river trade by 300 per cent, while the cost of the harbor is being paid by the dues and rentals from its use. Dusseldorf was not a natural harbor. The water front, which extends for miles along the Rhine, was low-lying land. The bank opposite the city was covered with shacks and huts, which were torn down and the land developed into a beautiful parkway several miles in extent. The city side was reclaimed from the river and confined with stone embankments. A wide esplanade was constructed, upon which several great public buildings as well as a splendid exposition building have been erected. In the latter, annual exhibitions of art are held.

Farther up the river a system of docks was constructed, with powerful cranes and devices which handle all kinds of freight at an insignificant cost. Crossing the river is a beautiful bridge upon which hundreds of thousands of dollars were expended—merely to make it beautiful. The remarkable thing about this undertaking is the way business is made to harmonize with art and beauty. The use of the river front for recreation is not impaired by the docks and railway tracks.

The Brave Stranger.

New York Sun: There was a story about the late Governor John A. Johnson, a true story we are sure, that endeared him even to his political opponents. He was hurrying incognito along a platform in a railroad station to catch a train when a tremendous hubbub in the Swedish tongue fixed him in his tracks; an unfriended and ignorant old emigrant woman was trying to retain her hold on a horsehair trunk which a baggageman had laid rude hands upon. She wept, gesticulated and railed, but could not understand that robbery and sacrilege were not intended. She wanted to go to Sauk Centre or some such place, and her soul was centered in the resolution to carry her trunk aboard the nearest train. The governor incognito intervened, had her baggage checked, put her in the right coach, hat in hand, asked her how the folk were at home, and wished her Godspeed, while she cried her delight. Then he disappeared, but had lost his train.

It was just like John A. Johnson, of course, but with due reverence to the memory of a very human man, they have a citizen of Iowa who risked more than the loss of a train to befriend a woman, an aged woman too. The story is quickly told (Des Moines date:

"When a spare, tall man in a slouch hat and an ulster, the collar of which concealed his features, volunteered at midnight to enter a burning building to bring out a trunk in which an aged woman said lay possessions priceless to her, the firemen tried to restrain him. But he evaded them, and regardless of danger plunged into the smoke and flame which poured from the open door. The crowd waited for what seemed to them nearly an hour for him to reappear, and the apprehension of the firemen that he had perished grew into conviction, when he emerged dragging the trunk after him."

The hour in the burning building, as the time seemed, had made awful ravages on the stranger's person and clothing. His face was black as if he had emerged from Pluto's realm, all the fine lineaments obscured by smoke. His hat was crumpled, his ulster scorched. His hair gave out a pungent burnt odor. He was pale and unsteady in his gait. He staggered past the trembling fireman and vanished. Only one man in the vast breathless crowd recognized the brave stranger; that man was Deputy Auditor of State Joseph F. Wall. He reports that the savior of the trunk and its priceless contents was no other than that Hon. B. F. Carroll, governor of the state.

And yet Col. Lafayette Young thinks that he can be elected senator by the legislature.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

New York Press: Lots of people are good for lack of the chance not to be.

A woman would rather be loved than honored, and a man enriched.

The fun of trading horses is that if you get cheated so did the other fellow.

Everybody would like to be good if there was any cheerful company to keep it in.

A man would rather go to the dentist than go shopping with his wife, and she would rather scrub the floor than listen to his ideas on politics.

Grief In Pine City.

Prine Poker: The force in the Poker office are in mouring. They sit in sackcloth and ashes and refuse to be comforted and all because we have lost the most important adjunct in any well regulated sanctum—the office cat. He was a dark complected, unusually large feline of the male persuasion, and answered to the call of "Pluto." His duties were light, but his responsibilities were many. In an evil moment he listened to the tempter, and answered the "call of the wild."

A MOMENT WITH THE WITS.

Judge: Tommy—May I ask a question, papa?

Father—Certainly, my son.

Tommy—Well, when the president of the United States goes into office does he take out letters of administration?

Louisville Courier-Journal: "It took the suffragette parade four hours to pass a given point."

"Thousands in line, eh?"

"No, only a few hundred, but they all wore hobble skirts."

Life: "Maudie spends her whole life in a motor."

"Like a lily of the field, isn't she?"

"H'm, not exactly! True, she toils not, but she spins."

Cleveland Leader: May—What do you mean by saying that Maude is "more or less pretty?"

Tom—Well, she's more pretty than most girls, but less pretty than you.

Fliegende Blaetter: Drummer—Will you be mine? All my life I will worship you from February until April, and from August until December. The rest of the time I am on the road.

New York Sun: Diogenes was looking for an honest man.

"You don't have to look, you only have to listen!" we cried.

Following our advice, he heard the only one proclaim himself.

Tit-Bits: The canny Scot wandered into the pharmacy.

"I'm wanting threepenn'orth o' laudanum," he announced.

"What for?" asked the chemist, suspiciously.

"For twopence," responded the Scot at once.

Philadelphia Record: Laugh and the world laughs with you, unless you happen to be laughing at your own jokes.

Cleveland Leader: "So you are going to take him for better or worse?"

"No—I'm going to take him for more or less."

Washington Herald: "Why do you look so subdued and humble?"

"I've just been to call on my wife's folks."

When Bendigo Jones Was 21.

Kansas City Journal: Tom Botkin, assistant secretary of state, makes frequent trips to Arkansas and always has a lot of fine stories of that country. The other day a number of persons were talking of the fine fall weather in Kansas. "It is great," said Botkin, "but in Arkansas they have real weather. You know the kids down there don't wear anything but slips until they are grown."

He related that he stopped at a certain town and walking out on the street noticed a tremendous commotion. People were running this and that way and were very much excited. Soon they all began to make for the river and it wasn't long until most of the town was out, hurrying in that direction.

Botkin stopped one of the citizens and said: "Stranger, there must be something going on down there, some trouble of some kind. Perhaps they are lynching a colored man or a revenue officer?"

"Naw," replied the native slowly. "Naw, I guess there hain't no trouble. I reckon there hain't none. Old Zeb Jones' son, Bendigo, has just turned 21 years and they're tryin' to put some clothes on him."

The First Socialist Congressman.

John Spargo in The Survey: For the first time in the history of the nation a Socialist has been elected to congress. Not a near-Socialist, mind you, nor a Socialist who avoided the name, nor one who uses a compound title in which the word "Socialist" is qualified and modified.

No, Victor Berger, the man elected, is a real Socialist. He wears the red flag as an emblem of his faith and his party. He is a member of the national executive committee of the Socialist party, and was one of its eight elected delegates to the International Socialist congress at Copenhagen recently. In short, he is a thoroughly representative Socialist. When he takes his seat in congress he will be the representative of the actual Socialist movement.

So there will be a third party in congress, a tiny minority of one, with one vote in a total of 392. It will not be an insignificant minority, however, but one to be reckoned with. Those disposed to sneer at this minority party of one may be reminded of the old fable: "Only one," sneered the mouse at the lioness fondly licking her cub. "Yes, only one, but that one a lion," answered the mother. The Socialists will have only one representative in congress—but that one will be Victor Berger, a lion.

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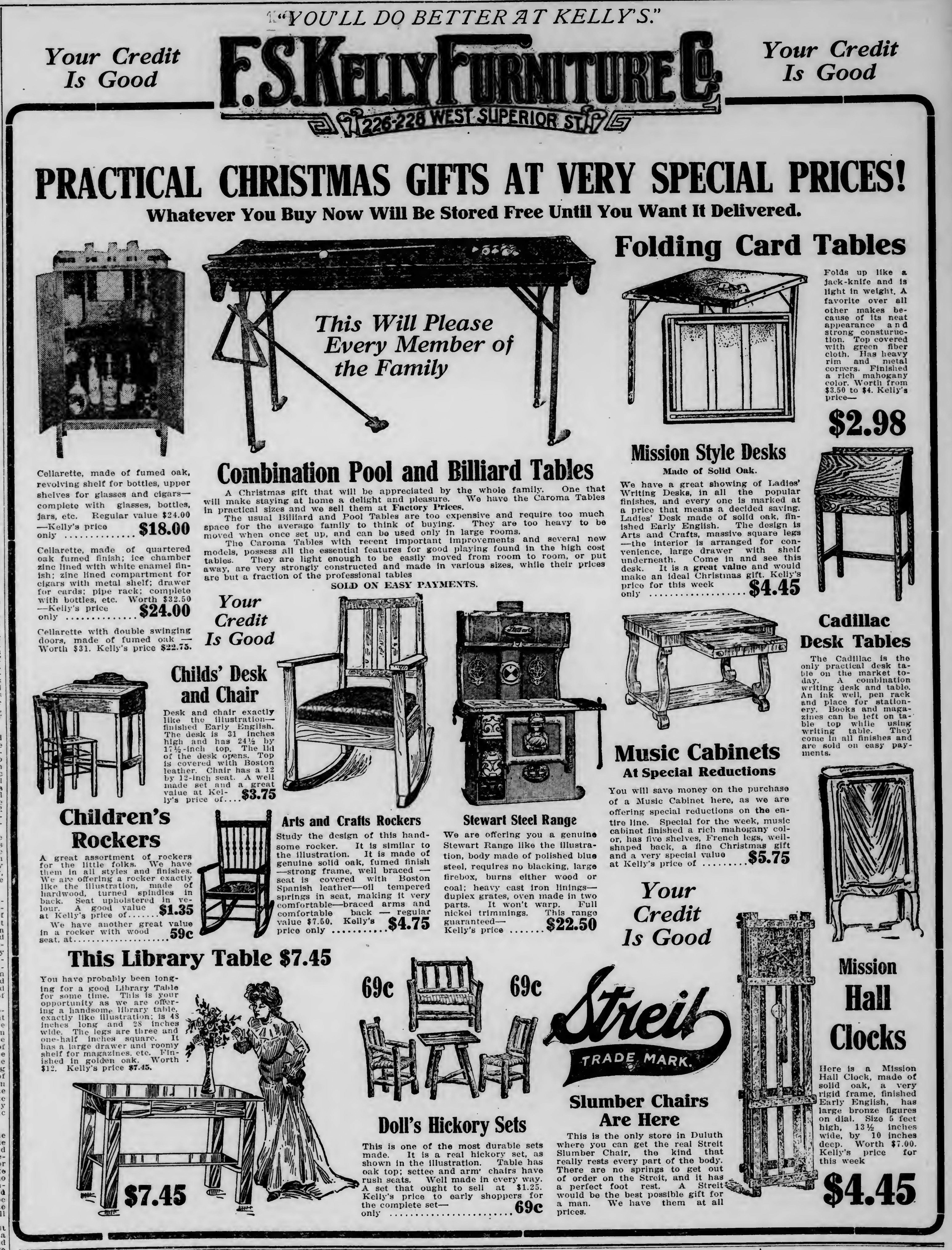
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Childs' Desk and Chair

Desk and chair exactly like the illustration—finished Early English. The desk is 31 inches high and has 24½ by 17½-inch top. The lid of the desk opens. Top is covered with Boston leather. Chair has a 12 by 12-inch seat. A well made set and a great value at Kelly's price of.... $3.75

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A great assortment of rockers for the little folks. We have them in all styles and finishes. We are offering a rocker exactly like the illustration, made of hardwood, turned spindles in back. Seat upholstered in velour. A good value at Kelly's price of....... $1.35

We have another great value in a rocker with wood seat, at.................. 59c

Arts and Crafts Rockers

Study the design of this handsome rocker. It is similar to the illustration. It is made of genuine solid oak, fumed finish—strong frame, well braced—seat is covered with Boston Spanish leather—oil tempered springs in seat, making it very comfortable—braced arms and comfortable back — regular value $7.50. Kelly's price only $4.75

Stewart Steel Range

We are offering you a genuine Stewart Range like the illustration, body made of polished blue steel, requires no blacking, large firebox, burns either wood or coal; heavy cast iron linings—duplex grates, oven made in two parts. It won't warp. Full nickel trimmings. This range guaranteed—Kelly's price $22.50

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Here is a Mission Hall Clock, made of solid oak, a very rigid frame, finished Early English, has large bronze figures on dial. Size 5 feet high, 13½ inches wide, by 10 inches deep. Worth $7.00. Kelly's price for this week

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STUBBS DENOUNCES RATE INCREASE AS ILLEGAL ACT

Scathing Attack on Trusts and Railroads By Kansas Governor.

Courts Are Criticized for Failure to Punish the Individuals.

Chicago, Dec. 13.—Governor-elect Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey and Governor W. R. Stubbs of Kansas were the principal speakers at the annual banquet of the Illinois Manufacturers' association last night.

Mr. Wilson said business had been much exploited in this country's recent period of extraordinary railway expansion, with too little regard for the permanent interests of society.

Governor Stubbs took up the subject of railway freight rates and the relations of rates to the welfare of the people at large.

Governor Stubbs made a sensational attack upon railroads and trusts.

Rate Advance Illegal.

He declared that "the advanced freight rates demanded by the railroads were agreed to by the combined railroads and are therefore clearly in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law," and were unjustifiable.

The speaker condemned the judge who fines corporations for violations of law and "discharges the officers who get the money and are the real criminals in the case." He asserted that "the relation of the federal government of unlawful commercial institutions organized for spoils and plunder, is one of the most humiliating and disgraceful chapters in American history."

"The Exact Truth."

Governor Stubbs said, in part:

"Let us have the courage to tell the exact truth about unwholesome commercial conditions that have grown up during the last score of years. Anything short of a plain, accurate statement of facts concerning the iron grip which monopolies, trusts and illegal combinations now hold on the commerce of our country, means either moral prostitution or personal cowardice.

"Every student of public affairs and every public official charged with the enforcement of law, knows that the alliance between professional politicians, corporation lawyers and the financial and commercial interests which are concerned in shaping state and federal legislation to serve their own special interests, is a menace to the welfare and life of our republic.

Packing House Trust.

"It is well known for instance, that within reasonable limits the packing house trust exercises arbitrary power to fix the purchase price of cattle, hogs and other livestock, and determine with accuracy the amount of profit which they will take as their share of the transaction. It is well known that the packing house trust was formed and is being operated in open and flagrant violation of moral and statutory laws."

The speaker said that the methods employed by the giant masters of finance who have destroyed the natural laws of supply and demand throughout the nation are in open and flagrant violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, the plain provisions of our Federal Constitution, the common laws of our land, and all moral obligations imposed upon respectable citizens.

Trust in Wall Street.

"In this connection, the transportation question is perhaps the most important issue before the American people today. The Wall street financiers, through a 'community of interest' scheme, have by indirect methods formed what practically amounts to a gigantic railroad trust, which controls the rates and policies of the most important railroad systems in the United States.

"There is a well established principle of law which prohibits a man from doing indirectly that which the law forbids him to do directly. If penalties ar provided by law for doing an act, the same penalties should attach when that act is accomplished by indirect means.

Men "Above the Law."

"The Northern Securities company, which was organized to consolidate the Great Northern, Northern Pacific and Burlington railways, all competing lines, was declared illegal by the federal supreme court. James J. Hill, J. Pierpont Morgan and their associates proved themselves to be above the law and higher than the courts by proceeding immediately to destroy competition in railroad rates throughout the Northwestern states by indirectly doing what the supreme court had decided was unlawful for the Northern Securities Company to do.

"The railroad is a government agency, and is therefore supposed to be subject to law. It is a creature of government, but the creature has grown to such proportions of wealth and political power that provisions of law and decrees of courts have proved ineffective in so far as they were intended to exercise direct control over the operation of these commercial giants.

"In 1898 the dividends paid by the railroads of the United States amounted to $97,000,000. In 1908 these dividends amounted to $386,000,000, an increase of 400 per cent in ten years.

Earnings of Railroads.

"In 1909 the railroads earned $93,000,000 more net revenue than they did in 1908, and for the first five months of 1910 have earned $33,000,000 more net revenue than they did in the five corresponding months of the previous year.

"These figures prove that there is no reasonable basis upon which the railroads can demand an advance in freight rates. Upon the contrary, they prove conclusively that railroad rates are already too high. And yet, practically all the railroads in the United States have formed a gigantic combintion to increase freight rates, which the shippers who have investigated the matter claim will ultimately increase the cost of freight transportation.

"The advanced freight rates demanded by the railroads, and now being considered by the interstate commerce commission were agreed to by the combined railroads of the United States, and are, therefore, clearly in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

Against Public Policy.

"I submit to you, gentlemen, the proposition that it is unwise and contrary to sound public policy for the federal government to permit these railroads openly and flagrantly to violate the anti-trust law by combining for the purpose of advancing freight rates, and through their unlawful acts enormously to increase the cost of transportation to the American people.

"If the railroads are thus permitted to violate the federal laws with impunity, in broad day light, and thereby increase their profits millions of dollars per annum, what incentive has any citizen to respect the law, when he can increase his income by breaking it?

Tribute and Extortion.

"The amount of tax money collected by the British empire from the American colonists, without representation, probably would not amount to 1 per cent of the tribute and extortion which the consuming American public are now compelled to pay to illegal combinations, trusts and monopolies every year. The honor, manhood and moral character of our republic are involved in the relation of the federal government to this monstrous condition, which offends every sense of justice, decency and morality.

"We have passed beyond the stage where self-respecting public officials can barter and dicker and compromise with law breakers, rich or poor, high or low, great or small, on the theory that the rigid enforcement of law, without fear or favor, will injure business.

Humiliating and Disgraceful.

"The relation of the federal government to these unlawful commercial institutions organized for purposes of spoils and plunder is one of the most humiliating and disgraceful chapters in American history. The plain duty and task set for this generation is to establish once and forever the supremacy of law and its power to control organized corporations, firms or individuals who directly or indirectly form combinations in restraint of trade, and thereby destroy free competition and equal opportunity in the commerce of the nation.

"The Sherman anti-trust law provides that a combination in restraint of trade is a crime punishable by fine or imprisonment or both. The judge on the bench who insists on holding the corporation responsible for violation of law, and, not being able to send the corporation to prison, assesses a fine against it as punishment for robbing the pubic of thousands of millions of dollars, through illegal combinations in restraint of trade, and discharges the officers who get the money and are the real criminals in the case, is wholly unfit to occupy so responsible a public office.

Criticizing the Courts.

"I do not in any sense share the opinion sometimes expressed that the official acts of a judge are too sacred to be criticised. No citizen of this republic occupies a more honorable or desirable position than a just judge who honors his office. But there is no more disreputable citizen than the unjust judge who brings discredit and disgrace to the office that should be held sacred and used solely for the purpose of meting out justice to all kinds and classes of persons.

"A judge belonging to the last named class is and ought to be a proper subject for public criticism, and he ought to be publicly branded, so that he could be forever after identified."

Opposed Life Judgeship.

Governor Stubbs strongly opposed appointment of or election of judges for a life term; urged an income tax law; a mandatory law providing a prison sentence for persons or officers of corporations who are responsible for unlawful combinations in restraint of trade and also providing a receiver shall operate such corporations until assurance is given that they will obey the law.

"When congress enacts these laws and they are rigidly enforced," he said, "extortion, injustice and commercial cruelty of monopolies will be placed on the same basis as other crimes and will be no more respectable in the community."

The speaker favored the development of the Mississippi, Missouri and Ohio rivers, and declared that "the American people are being robbed every year of enough money by unlawful combinations, trusts and monopolies to build this entire work."

WONDERFUL CURE OF SORE HANDS

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"About eleven years ago I was troubled with sore hands, so sore that when I would put them in water the pain would very nearly set me crazy, the skin would peel off and the flesh would get hard and break. There would be blood flowing from at least fifty places on each hand. Words could never tell tho suffering I endured for three years. I tried everything that I was told to use for fully three years, but could get no relief. I tried at least eight different doctors, but none of them seemed to do me any good, as my hands were as bad when I got through doctoring as when I first began. I also tried many remedies, but none of them ever did me one cent's worth of good. I was discouraged and heartsore. I would feel so bad mornings when I got up, to think I had to go to work and stand the pain for ten hours, and I often felt like giving up my position.

"Before I started to work mornings I would have to wrap every finger up separately, so as to try and keep them soft and then wear gloves over the rags to keep the grease from getting on my work. At night I would have to wear gloves in bed. In fact, I had to wear gloves all the time. After doctoring for three years, and spending much money, a single box of Cuticura Ointment ended all my sufferings. It's been eight years since I used any and I don't know what sore hands are now, and never lost a day's work while using Cuticura Ointment. Thomas A. Clancy, 310 N. Montgomery St., Trenton, N. J., Nov. 11, 1909."

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BRAZIL WILL SUBSIDIZE BOATS TO THIS COUNTRY.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 13.—A steamship line between New Orleans and Rio Janeiro, subsidized by the Brazilian government, now seems assured as a result of conferences between the agricultural commissioner of Brazil and business men of this city, St. Louis and Kansas City. The New Orleans Progressive union appropriated $1,000 to pay the expenses of a special representative from this city to Brazil to look after the interests of New Orleans in the movement.

HELEN BOYLE LOSES HER APPEAL TO HIGH COURT.

Philadelphia, Dec. 13.—The state superior court has affirmed the conviction of Helen Boyle, who is serving twenty-five years in the Western Pennsylvania penitentiary for the part she played in the sensational kidnaping of Billy Whitla at Sharon, Pa. The woman had appealed to the higher court for a new trial.

NO TORT FOR MAN TO BEAT HIS WIFE.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Husbands in the District of Columbia are not liable to suits for damages for assault and battery on their wives, according to a decision by the supreme court of the United States.

In 1908, Jessie Thompson sued her husband in the local courts for $70,000 damages for alleged assault and battery. Charles N. Thompson, the husband, as a defense, set up the family relation. The court of appeals of the District of Columbia in holding that the wife could not sue the husband for a tort, such as assault and battery, said that neither the common law nor the code of the District authorized such a suit.

Justice Day in announcing the opinion of the supreme court dwelt upon the same objections to the suit as were advanced by the lower court. Justices Harlan, Holmes and Hughes dissented.

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JUDGE FACES QUESTION

Whether or Not a Goose Can Suffer Mental Anguish.

Asheville, N. C., Dec. 13. — Has a goose feelings? If so, where are they located, or not located?

These are questions which are puzzling Justice Gudger in arriving at conclusions of fact and law in a goose case presented for his consideration by a warrant sworn out by officers of the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

In Joe Grieger's barnyard an agent of the S. P. C. A. discovered a goose whose webbed feet were nailed to a board, as one step in the process to make its liver become pate de foie gras.

A meeting of the society was held to consider the case, and President Collins who had been in conference with physicians, encyclopedias, lawyers, humanitarians and others insisted that in addition to the bodily injury there was also the question of mental anguish to be considered.

Accordingly the society voted to hale the goose's owner to court, to decide a goose's rights.

WHO WANTS "TEDDY?"

Lion Cub Must Leave Happy Home Aboard Naval Collier.

Norfolk, Va., Dec. 13. — Because Uncle Sam will not permit him to keep the beast on board ship, Capt. W. R. Worley of the naval collier Cyclone, has a cute little lion he wants to give to somebody. The lion is the pet of the captain and entire crew of the Cyclone.

The little beast runs all over the ship and plays with the men like a kitten would. Capt. Worley says he got the lion in Rio Janeiro some months ago, and hates very much to part with it.

"I want to find a good home for 'Teddy,'" he said. "He has had a good home on the Cyclone and I don't think he would exchange it for his old habitation in the jungles."

"Teddy" weighs 150 pounds and is a handsome specimen of the king of beasts.

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RAILROAD PAYS $60,000 FOR KILLING A BANKER.

New York, Dec. 13.—The New York Central railroad has settled out of court with the estate of Spencer Trask for the damages resulting from the banker's death in a railroad accident near Croton, N. Y., on Dec. 31 last. The amount which the railroad will pay is $60,000.

STANDARD OIL LIABLE.

Mississippi Privilege Tax Law Upheld By State Court.

Jackson, Miss., Dec. 13.—An opinion handed down by the supreme court holds in effect that the Standard Oil company is liable to a state privilege tax. The corporation has contended that as the legislature had passed a law exempting a certain class from liability for privilege tax the whole law was unconstitutional. An appeal to the United States supreme court probably will be taken.

Bank Employes Bound Over.

Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 13.—Albert D. Welton, cashier, and Lawrence H. Daft, assistant cashier of the First National Bank of Greenwood, Neb., charged with embezzling and misapplying funds of the bank to the amount of $23,000, have been bound over to await the investigation of the federal grand jury. They furnished bonds.

SIX AND A HALF MILLION DOLLAR WILL INVALID.

San Bernardino, Cal., Dec. 13.—The will of the late George S. Myers, millionaire tobacco manufacturer of St. Louis, has been declared invalid by the superior court. The court held that Mr. Myers was of unsound mind when he executed the instrument last April. The contest over the will involved property valued at $6,500,000 in Kansas City and St. Louis.

Mr. Myers died recenly in Redlands, Cal., leaving a will which placed the property in trust for a period of seventy-five years for the benefit of three daughters and grandsons. John S. Cravens of Pasadena and Herbert Coppell of Trevanin, N. J., were named as the trustees. The result of the decision will be that the property goes directly to the heirs.

Preserves Natural Color of the Hair

(From Woman's National Magazine.)

"Any woman can postpone for years the time when her hair becomes thin and gray. It is a mistake to shampoo frequently with soap and water, as that tends to make the scalp scaly and hard and the hair dull and faded.

"The hair will respond quickly to the proper home treatment. Put in a fruit jar four ounces of orris root and four ounces of therox. Shake until well mixed. Once or twice a week sprinkle a little of this powder on the head and brush it thoroughly through the hair.

"This dry shampoo removes dirt, dust and dandruff from the scalp and leaves the hair fresh, sweet and clean. The therox helps to grow beautiful hair and preserves its natural color."

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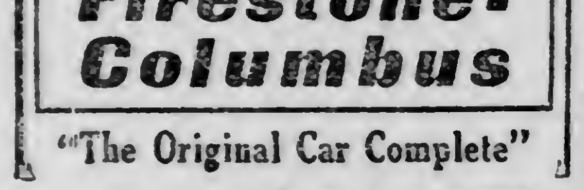

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NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST

GOOD FUEL IS RESULT

North Dakota State Lignite Experimental Station Solves Tough Problem.

Hits on Successful Plan for Driving Out Moisture in Making Briquettes.

Hebron, N. D., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—Three tons of mine run lignite, as shown by tests conducted at the state lignite coal mining experimental station here, are enough to make one ton of briquettes possessing the same heating value that one ton of the best anthracite coal possesses. The briquetting work is progressing very satisfactorily here, the results being most successful.

The process used in briquetting lignite, drive off the gas which can be used for heating, lighting and power, and then briquette the coke left after driving off the gas. These briquettes furnish a fuel that burns as steadily as anthracite coal and which will withstand weathering and handling.

Moisture Big Drawback.

The process by which the plan was evolved has required a great deal of work. Lignite contains from 30 to 40 per cent moisture. On drying it cracks, slacks and ultimately becomes a fine, practically useless powder. Undried the shipper must pay freight on too much water, and the purchaser must receive too much water which requires a part of the fuel value of the coal to dry in burning. Lignite contains two classes of fuel, a very light gas and a heavier substance like powdered coke or charcoal. To kindle the latter a good deal of heat is required just as in kindling a hard coal fire. As a general thing when lignite is thrown on the fire the light gases dispel and a large part being lost up the flue. The small per cent that does burn flashes above the coal and fails to produce enough heat to thoroughly and rapidly ignite the coke-like substance which the drying and the loss of gases have produced by a powder which clogs the draft.

In driving out this moisture the station has solved one of the big problems connected with the successful briquetting of lignite, and hence the adoption of the method of briquetting now in force at the experimental station.

KELLY DID TIME FOR BLINDPIGGING

Latest Charge Against Man in Brandon Now Wanted in North Dakota.

Grand Forks, N. D., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—C. E. Kelly, under arrest at Brandon, Man., for alleged crookedness in connection with several deals in Nelson county, is said to have violated the state prohibition law and once served a term of three months in the Grand Forks county jail for such an offense. Kelly, at the present time, is said to be well fixed with cash, and according to reports from Doyon he left that city with about $2,000 in cash. When arrested he only had $1.00 0on his person.

HELPED TO BUILD FIRST SOO CANAL

Edward C. Hungerford, Pioneer of Lake Superior Region, Called.

Marquette, Mich., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—Little mention was made in the press a few days ago of the death of Edward C. Hungerford at Chester, Conn. aged 83, yet his passing removed one who figured prominently in the pioneer development of the Lake Superior region. He heard "the call of the wild" and was attracted to northern shores in the early 50's. He was associated with Charles T. Harvey in the construction of the first Soo canal and had charge of the lands granted for the promotion of that enterprise. In that connection he underwent some actually perilous experience on land and water.

In 1857 he became local manager of the Pioneer Iron company, when the furnace at Negaunee was built and operated by L. D. Harvey of this vicinity, and Stephen R. Gay, who died a comparatively short time afterwards, after building and running the Collinsville furnace on the site of the present light and power station. At this time the Negaunee furnace was operated by a company, among the stockholders in which were Ezra Corning of New York, Governor Fairbanks of Vermont, and Horatio Seymour of New York.

In 1862 Mr. Hungerford returned to his home in Connecticut and in 1867 he organized the Deer Lake Iron company, personally superintended the construction of an iron furnace at Deer Lake, near Ishpeming, and for a time its operation, leaving it in charge of the late C. H. Hall for a time, afterward superintendent of the Lake Superior Iron company. Among Mr. Hungerford's other associates were H. H. Stafford, now of Newton, Mass., and B. W. Wright and George P. Cummings of this city.

SUNDAY CLOSING MAKES MANDAN'S SATURDAYS LIVELY

Mandan, N. D., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—Mandan is getting used to observing its Sunday closing orders and is doing so in good grace now. One of the unexpected results of the closing order has been the creation of Saturday as the big business day of the week, as the knowledge that everything will be closed Sunday drives the city's buying public to the markets, and every line of business is affected, even to the cigar and confectionary stores as these are also closed on the Sabbath.

Triplets Born in Montana.

Helena, Mont., Dec. 13.—Boy triplets weight two pounds each have been born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Claridge, at Rochester, Madison county, a mining town. The children are in a splendid condition of health, and it is thought all will live. The father is 25 years old and the mother 19. Former President Roosevelt has been notified of the happening.

HAS OPPOSITION.

North Dakota State Hotel Inspector Has Rival for Job.

Grand Forks, N. D., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—The present state hotel inspector, A. M. Anderson of Fargo, is said to have opposition for re-appointment in W. O'Gorman of Grand Forks, who has the support of the Grand Forks Council, U. C. T. The commercial travelers organization was largely responsible for the passage of the hotel inspection bill.

For some time there has been more or less discussion of the probabilities of a repeal of the law by the approaching assembly.

Travelers of the state are practically unanimous in their support of the present law, contending that since it has been in operation, four years, there has been a very marked improvement in the conditions in the small country town hotel, and it is to bring these up to a proper standard that the bill was primarily intended for.

SENT TO BISMARCK.

Four McHenry County, N. D., Men to State Penitentiary.

Towner, N. D., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—Four McHenry county men were sentenced to the state penitentiary as a result of convictions and the entering of pleas of guilty.

Hans Laresgard got the longest sentence, ten years, being convicted of rape, while Stephen Bohum was given five years. Cary Sink, convicted of the same offense, will be sentenced later.

Rans Rosencrans, the aged soldier convicted of grand larceny, was sentenced to three years, while Dave Faragher, who made a plea of guilty to a larceny charge, was given one year.

SOCIETY FOR FRIENDLESS MAN SPEAKS AT BEMIDJI.

Bemidji, Minn., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—Rev. James Parsons of St. Paul, secretary of the Minnesota division of the Society for the Friendless, is here in the interest of his society, looking over the records of the county jail and other matters connected with the incarceration of prisoners.

Rev. Mr. Parsons addressed the high school students of the Bemidji schools yesterday on the subject of "The Relation of Education to Crime." He delivered a short talk at the Baptist church Sunday and was present at the Methodist Sunday school and gave an instructive little address to the children, appearing at the Presbyterian church in the evening.

SLEEPY EYE MILL AND ELEVATORS TO BE SOLD.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 13.—The Sleepy Eye Milling company's plant at Sleepy Eye and its line of twenty-two country elevators are offered for sale. The company is now being managed by a creditors' committee, with Dwight M. Baldwin of Minneapolis at the head. This committee represents creditors scattered all over the United States, consisting mostly of banks who advanced money to the former management, and who have claims against the company aggregating about $700,000. The management of the concern now has offices at Minneapolis and A. W. Spehr is in active charge of the mill at Sleepy Eye. The creditors' committee is not desirous of continuing the operation of the mill and it is rumored that they have made overtures to the Eagle Roller Mill company of New Ulm, with a view of selling the plant to this company.

It is said that the entire plant, including the elevators, can be purchased for $150,000.

CUT YOUNG HILL'S TIRES.

North Dakota Farmer Paid Heavily for His Action.

Towner, N. D., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—It cost Franklin Thompson just $300 to slash the tires of an automobile being driven by Walter Hill of St. Paul. Thompson became enraged when Hill drove his machine onto his field in order to avoid a mud hole and slashed the tires badly. Hill swore out a warrant for the farmer's arrest and at the district court, in session here now, the defendant entered a plea of guilty and paid a big fine.

Wilton, N. D., Gets Academy.

Wilton, N. D., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—Wilton has been selected as the site of a new Presbyterian academy to be erected under the direction of the Central Presbyterian church of New York. Rev. R. H. Myers, in charge of this presbytery's work, was successful in securing favorable action in the matter of establishing an academy here and will arrive this week to look after some of the preliminary details.

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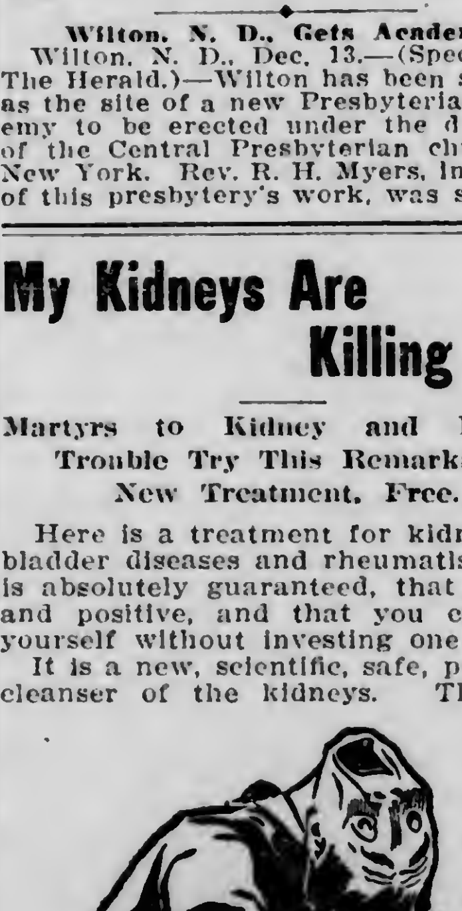

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ALFALFA EASILY RAISED.

North Dakota Professor Urges Its Culture in That State.

Denbigh, N. D., Dec. 13.—That it is merely a matter of a little extra care on the start in getting alfalfa and clover to grow luxuriantly in North Dakota is the contention of Prof. Hoverstad, who talked on the subject at the farmers' institute here.

Supt. Hoverstad, in discussing clover and alfalfa called attention to the fact that these crops are such good soil improvers that they take nitrogen from the air and put it into the soil in a form that the plant can use by means of the germs that live on the roots in the nodules. That one crop of clover will add to the soil enough of this element to supply five crops of wheat with all they will need. To get the clover to do this soil improving it must have the germs and they are not always present in the soil. When they are not they can be introduced by sowing some soil on the land that has been taken from a field that has grown clover successfully. Adding manure will also help the germs; will encourage them. For introducing germs for alfalfa take the soil from a field that is growing alfalfa successfully. The growing of clover and alfalfa will also add organic matter to the soil and thus lessen drifting.

State Dairymen's Meet Plans.

Jamestown, N. D., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—State Dairy Commissioner R. F. Flint has begun to lay plans for the annual convention of the North Dakota Dairymen's association here.

Drops Dead Near Mandan.

Mandan, N. D., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—While walking about his home in St. Anthony, near here, apparently in good health, John Breiner dropped dead. Although he had been ill for several years he was unusually well for the last few months. He was 74 years of age and had been a resident of the county for many years.

Baby Cuts Eye Losing It.

Florence, Wis., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—Alfred, aged 18 months, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Lund of Fence, climbed up on a table and knocked off a glass spoon holder, which fell to the floor and was broken. The child then fell heavily on the broken glass cutting one of its eyes open. The injury necessitated the removal of the baby's eye.

Lignite Coal Miner Hurt.

Stanley, N. D., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—Caught in a lignite coal mine near this city by a cave in, and only freed after several hours' work by fellow miners, John Stolen is in a critical condition and may die. He received extensive internal injuries and a double fracture of the right arm. When removed from his place of peril he was unconscious.

Plan Big Rabbit Hunt.

Starkweather, N. D., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—Plans for an immense rabbit hunt in which citizens of Starkweather, Garske and Newville will participate, were laid at a meeting held here last night. It is proposed to select sides and the side losing in the number of animals secured, will pay forfeit by tendering a banquet to the winning side.

Brakeman Stinehour Buried.

Brainerd, Minn., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—The body of J. B. Stinehour, formerly of Brainerd, a well known Northern Pacific brakeman who died at Staples Friday, was held here yesterday afternoon following brief services held upon the arrival of the train bearing the body. The deceased leaves a widow and two children and was popular in railroad circles.

PENINSULA BRIEFS

Negaunee—Lake Superior camp, Modern Woodmen has elected the following officers: Past consul, H. Hemmingsen; consul, Louis Greenier; advisor, A. B. Lenhart; clerk, Charles Kronberg; banker, Frank Walker; escort, Jalmar Johnsen; physicians, Andrus and Robbins; watchman, H. Rolfes; sentry, James Blee; manager, J. P. Green.

Marquette—The local aerie of Eagles has chosen the following officers: President, Fred J. Crawford; vice president, Charles L. Christian; chaplain, C. R. Nelson; secretary, A. Liebershal; treasurer, William Schunk; conductor, R. F. Guthrie; inside guard, J. E. Erickson; outside guard, M. Rustenhoven, Jr.; trustees, Fred J. Crawford, Andrew Easley, and A. Libershal.

Hancock—W. H. Mason has let to P. M. Olson, the Duluth architect, a contract for the production of plans for a new vaudeville theater to be located in Hancock. The building will be of steel and compressed brick and will be fireproof. It will be 120 feet deep, 40 feet wide and will have a seating capacity of 1,100.

Houghton—Word was received of the marriage at Helena, Mont., of Miss Lillian Treloar, daughter of R. C. Treloar of Houghton, to Philip R. Engles, formerly of Lake Linden, who is employed as an engineer on construction work being done by the tone & Webster company. Mr. and Mrs. Engle will make their home at Hauser Lake, Mont.

Hancock—The Salo grist mill has resumed operations after a shut down of ten days. The shutdown was made necessary by a break in the machinery which required several days to repair. This industry is owned by Hancock people, the majority of stockholders being Finnish people.

Hubbell—At the last meeting of Thielman hive, Lady Maccabees of Hubbell, these officers for the coming year were elected: Commander, Belle Burbank; lieutenanat commander, Mary Smith; record keeper, Emma Fleury; finance keeper, Mary J. Davey; chaplain, Elizabeth Williams; master-at-arms, Sarah J. Pue.

Lake Linden—Mrs. Joseph Des Ormlers who was recently called to St. Paul Lermite, Can., by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. J. M. Cicotte, has returned to her home in Lake Linden. She reports her mother much improved in health.

Calumet—The 15-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Hirsch of Centennial, died of diphtheria Friday evening, the funeral taking place Saturday afternoon.

Calumet—The 7-year-old daughter of Charles Raapannen of Ahmeek died Saturday morning of diphtheria, the funeral taking place a few hours later.

Hancock—John Trompeter, a citizen of Hancock from Civil war time, 1861, died at the home of his son-in-law, Joseph Schneider Saturday. Ailments attendant on advanced age were given as the cause of the death. He was 80 years old Oct. 17.

Escanaba—F. Dayton Davis, former superintendent of the Escanaba public schools, has through his attorney, John Cummiskey, instituteed an action against the board of education of this city to recover $1,125, the amount which he claims would have been due him for services performed by him as superintendent had he been permitted to continue and discharge his duties as superintendent under a three years' contract.

GOOD NEWS

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DAKOTA BRIEFS

Devils Lake—The Farmers' railroad is busy getting in order its handsome new offices on the second floor of the Journal building on Kelley avenue and Third street. The office force is delighted with the convenience and completeness of its new home. The company will occupy four rooms.

Bismarck, N. D.—Secretary Minnie C. Budlong of the North Dakota library commission has ordered a number of books printed in German. Eight or ten of these volumes, which will consist mostly of fiction, will be placed in some of the traveling libraries to provide entertainment for a number of the old people who will never learn the English language.

Grand Forks, N. D.—John Cummings, for many years a resident of this city, has disposed of his blacksmith shop and will leave in the near future for California, where he will take up land.

Fargo, N. D.—President Franklin L. McVey of the University of North Dakota was the speaker at the Grand Free Lecture association course Sunday evening in the Grand theater at 8 o'clock. President McVey took as his subject, "A House Built Upon the Sands."

Reeder, N. D.—Siggurd Belboe, charged with a statutory offense, his own sister being the state's principal witness, was bound over to the district court under a bond of $3,000. Officials had some difficulty in locating the girl, but she was finally found at the home of a farmer near Bucyrus, where about a week ago she gave birth to a child. Belboe is a farmer who has resided in this section for a number of years.

Mandan, N. D.—Deciding that his bondsmen were better able to make a settlement with Morton county than he himself might be, Gottlieb Roloff, arrested in Old Leipzig and held to the district court for maintaining a common nuisance, has skipped.

Grand Forks, N. D.—Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Bartholomew, old residents of Park River, have left for their new home at North Yakima, Wash., where Mr. Bartholomew has acquired an interest in the telephone system. He will take personal charge of the business.

WISCONSIN BRIEFS

Eau Claire—The Melville apple orchard of sixty acres, nine miles from Chippewa Falls, supplies Eau Claire and Chippewa Falls with summer and fall apples. The annual income from this orchard exceeds that from any dairy or stock farm in the state twice its size.

Gays Mills—The Gays Mills Fruit Farm & Nursery company, recently incorporated, has acquired 100 acres of ridge land at Gays Mills, Crawford county, and will plant the entire acreage to apples in the near future.

Marinette—Marinette, Green Bay and Oconto are all in the field for the next state normal school. The last legislature located a school in Eau Claire. It will probably be some years before the new school is built and there will be lively competition for it.

Racine—George Hadek, 26 years old, an inmate of the Racine county insane asylum, otained a bottle of carbolic acid on Saturday and swallowed three drachms. He died in a short time.

Madison—In the probate court of Dane county, the will of Judge E. W. Keyes has been filed for probate. Col. A. H. Hollister, who died within a week after the death of Judge Keyes, was named in the will as an executor. While the text of the will has not yet been made public, it is understood that it provides for the disposal of $100,000 in real property, encumbered to the extent of $25,000 and personal property valued at $1,500.

Ashland—The largest and the most interesting Masonic gathering held in Ashland in several years, sat down to the banquet table in the Knight Music hall Friday night, the members afterwards adjourning to the temple, where after work, a smoker was held, lasting until a late hour. The number of guests at the banquet tables was 137, a large gathering, especially when it is taken into consideration that the party was composed of ninth degree Masons.

Iron River—The mill of the Iron River Lumber company will resume operation on Dec. 20. The greater part of the winter will be spent at cutting hardwood lumber.

Ashland—Aksel H. Holter has arranged with the Ashland Manufacturing company for the manufacture of the Holter skis, one of the standard types of skis used by members of the National Ski association. The company is obliged to keep a crew of men working overtime to keep up with orders for skis for use this winter.

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MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Campbell—Fire did $300 damage to the Campbell Mercantile company stock Saturday. A gasoline lamp was being filled and exploded. Frank Kackman, one of the proprietors, was severely burned about the face and hands, but will recover.

Moorhead—The condition of Miss Mozelle Weld, daughter of President of the State Normal and Mrs. F. A. Weld, who was operated on Saturday morning at Northwestern hospital for appendicitis, is reported as very favorable. Miss Weld was forced to discontinue her studies at the University of Wisconsin and come home on account of her attack of appendicitis.

Wadena — Mr. Atkinson, a farmer living near New York Mills, was in the city Saturday and reported that the Longyear drills which have been in operation southwest of the Mills, have ceased operations. It is probable, however, that the drills will be started up again next spring.

Fergus Falls — The city water and light commission is securing figures on the cost of a rotary steam plant with a view to putting one in here if found desirable. The idea would be to put in a plant as quickly as possible so as to furnish power during the hours that the Dayton Hollow current is turned off and to use as an auxiliary plant in future years in case of a break down when the dam is rebuilt.

Deer River—The local camp of the Modern Woodmen held its annual election of officers Friday night. The following were elected: V. C., O. H. Swenm; W. A. Harry Brace; E. B., C. F. Tellin; clerk, C. M. King; escort, Adam Killinger; watchman, Orrie Inscho; sentry, George Morisset; managers, E. R. Tellin, three years, O. Christianson, two years, Charles Reigelsperger, one year; camp physician, Dr. Fairall.

Aitkin—On the occasion of the thirty-eighth anniversary of his birth, the intimate friends of Arthur Clough surprised him, at his home on the South side last Wednesday evening, and presented him with a handsome gold mounted fountain pen as a token of their friendship and esteem.

St. Cloud—Mrs. Margaretha Briedy died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Katherine Ethen, Friday. The deceased was 84 years of age and the infirmities of old age are given as the cause of her death. She leaves three daughters. The funeral was held at 9 o'clock Monday morning at the church of the Immaculate Conception.

Little Falls — The Kohler Contracting company will bring to a close a season of activities about Jan. 1 and will not resume operations until the opening of spring. But one crew is still in the field, this crew being at work on a state ditch in Aitkin county. With the permission of clement weather, work on the laterals of the big Aitkin county work will then be completed and operations will be discontinued until the spring.

Winona — It is understood that the committee recently appointed by the board of trade to confer with Bishop P. R. Heffron and to assist him in the selection of a site for his proposed Catholic boys' college, has negotiated with the owner of a desirable 160-acre piece of property just at the outskirts of the city.

Moorhead—Mayor W. H. Davy has secured a deed, at a very advantageous price, for lot 22, block 4, Burns' addition to the city of Moorhead, being the lot adjacent to that upon which the new city well is being drilled. The well is within six or seven feet of the line and it is to the advantage of the city to acquire this property.

Deerwood—Burt Lough lost his fine pet wolf, aged about 2 years. A man riding along the road with a team and wagon spied the wolf in the yard and shot the animal, carring the carcas away.

Winona — Ferdinand Hornetischek, proprietor of the Burmeyster hotel here, is mysteriously missing and there is the greatest anxiety among his relatives. He left the hotel Friday night for a lodge meeting and is known to have attended, but none has been found who saw him after he left the lodge room.

IS WHISKEY DRINKING A SIN?

Where Does the Blame Lie When the Husband Wrecks His Home?

Many claim that the hard drinker can stop drinking if he chooses; that his willingness to continue the habit and spend money which his family sorely needs for the comforts and, perhaps, the very necessaries of life is nothing but pure selfishness; that in doing so he deliberately chooses what he considers to be his own pleasure and places it above the needs of his family. While there may be some truth in this belief, yet without question the hard drinker is in many cases an absolute slave to his habit and if he is to be set free from the habit must receive assistance from without. The wives and sisters and mothers of such men are ordinarily the ones upon whom the responsibility lies for saving the drinker from this habit.

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ROUGH TIME ON ATLANTIC

Duluth Boy on U. S. S. Georgia Tells of Trip of Fleet.

Aerial Bridge and Great Artificial Harbor at Brest, France.

A Duluth boy, who is a sailor on the U. S. S. Georgia, the flagship of the fourth division of the Atlantic fleet, now in European waters, writes to The Herald from Brest, France, giving his impressions of the trip across the ocean. He writes:

"Nov. 3 the ships of the fleet headed eastward, bound for Europe. The weather was fair on the first day, but on the evening of Nov. 4 the wind rose out of the northeast and a wintry gale it was. By dawn of Nov. 5 the sea was running high. At 3:30 a. m. the U. S. S. New Hampshire lost a man overboard. Life boats and life buoys were lowered and the searchlight played on the sea. The life boat's crew faced death in the turbulent waters in their vain attempt to save the life of their shipmate. He was not sighted from the time he was washed overboard, so the search was abandoned.

"As the day grew on the wind increased its fury, lashing the sea into waves mountain high. One cannot imagine the sensation it causes unless he has gone through it himself. Although I have seen many a gale, I never saw the equal to that one. The great ships were tossed like corks on the angry ocean. One minute the Nebraska could be seen riding a wave and the next minute all that was visible was her masts. The sea broke ove rour bow in sheets and the waves spent their strength against the windlass house and the turrets. All the boys in blue were feeding their last meal to the fish. All day the fleet of Uncle Sam's pride labored in the sea and the oncoming night saw the storm at its worst.

"The morning of Nov. 6 showed no drop in the wind and no tables were lowered, as it was impossible to keep them still long enough to set the dishes on them, for most of the mess gear was broken up the previous day in just such an attempt. All that we could do was to take a corn bill sandwich in one hand and wrap the free arm around a stanchion. The sea was breaking in the gun ports that had not been properly fastened and the deck had four inches of water on it most of the time.

"Nov. 7 the wind fell and we had a heavy rain which calmed the sea a little, but we had to eat in the same manner as on the previous day. Nov. 10 the wind shifted to the southwest and drove the heavy swells into submission. There were no white caps at that time—just a dead sea rolling.

"Sunday, Nov. 13, the fleet split up, each division steering for its destined port, our port being Brest. We entered the bay of Biscay, the graveyard of the Atlantic, and on the night of Nov. 14 we struck a typhoon. It was off our stern and only rolled the ship, but a bad roll is not very pleasant when one is hungry, and we sat down to eat on the deck. At 2:20 a. m. we sighted Landsend lighthouse and were soon moored to a buoy off Brest. The entrance to the Brest roads is a narrow, rocky channel, walled in by high cliffs on both sides. These cliffs are all fortified, making it almost impossible for a ship to enter in time of war. The scenery is beautiful along the channel, with here and there a little stone farm house above the base of the cliff.

Fine Harbor at Brest.

"As we entered the harbor, the great stone wall of the city could be seen and at the foot of the hill on which Brest is situated, we could see the old stone fortified castle in which Napoleon first gathered his forces together. It looked as staunch as it could have been in those days.

"The harbor is artificial, consisting of a great sea wall on two sides and 400 men o' war could ride at anchor in it at once. But among all the harbors I have seen in my service, not one can equal the harbor of Duluth for protection from heavy seas.

"The city of Brest is built on two hills and only half of it can be seen from the harbor. The buildings are all made of stone, and are from five to six stories high. Here and there, the spire of an old cathedral rises in defiance to the wind and storms which so frequently visit this coast. The streets of the city are narrow and the sidewalks about three feet wide, forcing the busy pedestrians to take to the middle of the street. All vehicles, whether motor-driven or drawn by a horse, have a horn like an automobile in America. Buggies are scarce, a two-wheeled cart or gig being used. The street cars are small, seating about ten inside and eight on top. Bar maids are the rule here and respectable young girls think no more of such occupation than an American girl would think of working in an office.

"It is customary to give a tip here for every service and 2 cents in our money is a liberal tip for the bar maids.

Aerial Bridge.

"There is an aerial bridge here, although it is not constructed quite after the style of Duluth's famous bridge. I have often heard that there are only two aerial bridges in the world, one at Duluth and one in France. If so, I have been on both of them.

"Brest has a population of about 9,500, the industries being wine-making, wooden shoe manufacturing and fishing."

HE SLEEPS IN HIS CLOTHES

British Writer, Believed to Be Surgeon, Advances Novel Idea.

New York, Dec. 13.—A London cablegram to the New York Herald says: "Why should we all undress and take off our clothes every night with the consequent redressing in the morning?"

The question is raised by "Lawrence Beesley," which is said to be the pen name of a physician who, in his capacity of ship's surgeon and also on pleasure journeys has traveled over a considerable part of the globe. He himself does not believe in undressing.

"I have lived on board ship in the tropics," he writes, "in Canada and in the desert of Arabia, and I say this, that I have been as healthy and as fit, and infinitely more satisfied with life under conditions which practically compelled me to sleep in my clothes, minus boots, coat and collar."

Dr. "Beesley" does not believe in undressing these cold winter nights and risking catching cold by getting under cold sheets, with the prospect of a bath in the morning.

"I have now quite given up undressing at night before going to sleep. Try it. Sleep in your underclothes—flannel shirt and socks—have two hot baths a week and save hours per annum and oceans of bad language. I am speaking as a medical man of twenty years' experience.

"I believe many chills are caught by the sudden change from thick, warm flannels to thin pajamas and ice cold sheets, which is the general custom in England. I am further of the opinion that it is not to the benefit of the individual to open the pores of the skin by constant bathing, or to close them suddenly by rapid changes of surface temperature in a climate such as that of England."

TWO WOMEN KILLED.

Man and Girl Badly Injured in Gasoline Explosion.

S. Louis, Mo., Dec. 13.—Two women are dead and a young girl and a man probably fatally injured as the result of a gasoline explosion in the home of Frank Waser. The dead are Mrs. Waser and her sister, Mrs. Tenney Harris, 18 years old. Waser and his wife's older sister, Miss Mary Harris, 16, are in a hospital badly burned.

Mrs. Waser was filling a gasoline stove and had neglected to turn off one of the burners, which was lighted. The husband, despite his burns, rushed to a nearby store for help, his clothing blazing as he ran.

NORTH DAKOTA'S CENSUS BY COUNTIES

Washington, Dec. 13.—Following are the official census returns for North Dakota, the distribution of the population by counties for 1910, 1900 and 1890 being shown:

County.	1910.	1900.	1890.
Adams	5,407	....	....
Barnes	18,066	13,159	7,045
Benson	12,681	8,320	2,460
Billings	10,186	975	176
Bottineau	17,295	7,532	2,893
Bowman	4,668	....	....
Burleigh	13,087	6,081	4,247
Cass	33,935	28,625	19,613
Cavalier	15,659	12,580	6,471
Dickey	9,839	6,061	5,573
Dunn	5,302	....	159
Eddy	4,800	3,330	1,377
Emmons	9,796	4,349	1,971
Foster	5,313	3,770	1,210
Grand Forks	27,888	24,459	18,357
Griggs	6,274	4,744	2,817
Hettinger	6,557	....	81
Kidder	5,962	1,754	1,211
Lamour	10,724	6,048	3,187
Logan	6,168	1,625	597
McHenry	17,627	5,253	1,584
McIntosh	7,251	4,818	3,248
McKenzie	5,720	....	3
McLean	14,578	4,791	893
Mercer	4,665	1,778	428
Mountrail	8,491	....	122
Morton	25,289	8,069	4,728
Nelson	10,140	7,316	4,293
Oliver	3,577	990	464
Pembina	14,749	17,869	14,334
Pierce	9,740	4,765	905
Ramsey	15,199	9,198	4,418
Ranson	10,345	6,919	5,393
Richland	19,659	17,387	10,751
Rolette	9,558	7,995	2,427
Sargent	9,202	6,039	5,076
Sheridan	8,103	....	5
Stark	12,504	7,621	2,328
Steele	7,616	5,888	3,777
Stutsman	18,189	9,143	5,266
Towner	8,063	6,491	1,450
Traill	12,545	13,107	10,217
Walsh	19,491	20,288	16,587
Ward	42,185	7,961	1,681
Wells	11,814	8,310	1,212
Williams	20,249	1,530	875
Totals	577,056	*319,146	**182,719

*Includes population (2,208) of Standing Rock Indian reservation, not returned by counties in 1900.

**Includes population (809) of Fort Yates and Standing Rock Indian agency, and of Church, Renville, Stevens and Williams counties.

PLANS THREE NEW PARKS

Park Board Recommends That Council Take Steps for Extending System.

Fixing of Salaries Postponed—More Exits for the Armory.

Recommendation for three new parks and playgrounds were made to the city council last night by the park board. The board also desires to make additions to other parks in the city, to widen the boulevard and to acquire property for the Snively boulevard.

A lengthy communication, accompanied by blue prints of the desired property, was sent to the council last evening, and was referred to a committee for investigation. The acquisitions are in line with the improvement and extension policy of the park board.

The board wants to secure five acres on Duluth Heights, about fifteen acres at Woodland and the block at West Third street and Tenth avenue, which has been suggested by the Fifth Ward Hillside Improvement association. They will be used as parks and playgrounds.

The park board also wants some more property at the entrance to Fairmont park, some small pieces on either side of Lincoln park, some additions at Lester park and Chester park. The committee to which the matter was referred will likely report in about two weeks.

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Action upon the fixing of salaries for the coming year was postponed until next Monday night. The finance committee recommended raises of $5 a month for the firemen and $2.50 a month for the policemen.

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The Federated Trades assembly sent in a communication commending the council for its action relative to securing an enabling act from the next legislature which will make it possible for the city to bond itself so as to be able to take over the electric light plant. The assembly said that they will call upon the representatives to urge this action upon them.

President Frank Jordan appointed Aldermen Shartel, Hector, Moore, Wharton and McDonnell as a legislative committee. They will work with the city attorney in drawing a draft of the proposed enabling act, and also make suggestions for other legislation which may be needed by the city.

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Petitions were received for sanitary sewers in Tacony street between Fifty-seventh and Fifty-ninth avenues: Fifty-fifth alley between Elinor street and Grand avenue; Fifty-fourth alley between Ramsey and Wadena streets. The city engineer was directed to prepare estimates of the cost of a sewer system in the vicinity of Eighth street between Thirty-seventh and Forty-third avenues west.

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A resolution was passed calling for a report on the feasibility of putting two more entrances and exits in the Armory. It has been claimed that there are not enough exits in case of a panic of any kind in the large hall.

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Assessor Scott reported that he had awarded the contracts for 100,500 cards for his new card system to J. J. Le Tourneau for $445, and to the Christie Lithographing company for the card cases for $275. This cost was under the estimates. The cards and cases will be used in making a thorough revaluation of the city.

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The Duluth Telephone company was granted an extension of time until June 1 to complete its underground work in Fifth avenue west between the harbor and First street. The avenue will be improved with a "white way."

Liquor Sold to Middies.

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 13.—Announcement is made at the office of Supt. Bowyer of the naval academy that a board of officers had been appointed to investigate reports of sale of liquor to midshipmen, particularly in the case of a midshipman reported to have come out of a resort here intoxicated. The board is composed of Commander L. M. Nulton and Lieutenants F. H. Pettet and G. W. Steele.

Mississippi Is Icebound.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 13.—The Mississippi river is .4 of a foot below zero, the low water mark of 1863, which is now used by the government here as the lowest point on the river guage. The weather bureau expects the river to continue to fall.

But once before, in January, 1900, when the guage was minus 2.6 feet, has the river been as low. Ice forming on sandbars in the upper river is holding back the water.

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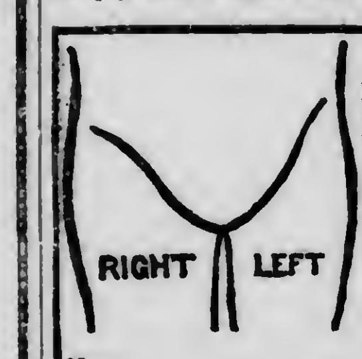

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LATEST SPORTING NEWS OF THE DAY

LEHTO WILL MEET PERSON

Finnish Champion Will Take on Duluth Man After Hackenschmidt.

Says He Was Not to Blame for Cancelling Former Match.

Insinuations that Karl Lehto was afraid of Chris Person and that he ran out of a match in the Copper country, have been met by the acceptance yesterday afternoon of the challenge of Person by the young Finn.

According to the statement of Lehto yesterday, he has never been afraid of Person, and the failure of the match to go through in the Copper country was no fault of his.

After the match with George Hackenschmidt this evening Lehto will start training for the contest with Person. All along Lehto has been confident of his ability to beat Person, and now that the men are matched there will be a great amount of interest aroused in the meeting of two men who have occupied the wrestling limelight in the Northwest for the past year.

Lehto yesterday voluntarily offered to wrestle Person. Personally Lehto has never objected to a meeting with Person, for he is confident of his ability to beat the Duluth grappler. He wanted to wrestle in the Copper country and was ready to go on, and it was no fault of his that the match was called off.

Lehto will rest for a few days after the match this evening and will then wrestle enough to keep in good condition for the Person match. He is in the best shape of his career right at the present time, having trained conscientiously for Hackenschmidt. Therefore he will merely have to keep in condition for the Person go.

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The following telegram from Jack Herman, one of the best known athletic promoters in the country, a man who has established a name for fairness in every part of the country, is ample unto itself and needs no further comment:

"Sporting Editor, Herald,
"Duluth, Minn.:

"Deny emphatically for me any report of fake matches. Since Zbyszko has been in America under my direction and I believe since he has been wrestling at any time, he has never been party to any pre-arranged affair in his matches nor has he been accused of such tactics, and he never will be, while under my management. The very fact of his continued success on the mat should be convincing proof of his honesty of purpose in seeking continued recognition as the world's leading challenger for the championship now held by Gotch.

"No man has ever attained the proud position Zbyszko now holds in sport, without having his enemies and detractors and Zbyszko has never failed to develop a few of both. Many thanks for your kindness in informing me promptly of a report which undenied might have worked me considerable injury. "J. H. HERMAN."

"New York, Dec. 12."

FAST FIGHT IN PEORIA GOES TEN ROUNDS TO DRAW.

Peoria, Ill., Dec. 13.—Kid Farmer of Peoria and Harry Donahue of Pekin, Ill., fought ten fast rounds to a draw last night before the Coast Athletic club. Both pressed the game from start to finish, but neither could gain any material advantage. The fight was one of the fiercest and fastest seen in Peoria this season.

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GOSSIP PICKED UP ALONG THE SPORTING HIGHWAY

Minnesota May Secure Return of Training Table—Major League Meetings—A Letter From the Orator—Wolgast Replies to Critics.

(BY BRUCE.)

THERE IS SOME FAINT RAY OF hope in the demand of the students of the University of Minnesota for the return of the training table. Glancing behind the hedge fence of the first hue and outcry for the proper diet for football men, one may see the eventful loop for the return of Michigan to the conference fold.

One of the many very good reasons why Michigan left the somewhat narrow minded conference, was because of the insistence upon the abolition of the training table. As Michigan has always had a very highly paid trainer, and this man presumably believed in earning his salary by having the members of the squad in the very best of condition, Keene Fitzpatrick, retired trainer of Michigan and one of the very best men in this country, objected strenuously to the cutting out of the training table, and in this very wise objection he was sustained by the students and athletic council of the school.

The conference wants Michigan back in the fold. There are a few men among even the college professors who are wise enough to see that the conference is going to be weakened without Michigan, and that football generally is going to be made more uninteresting in the West without the annual Michigan-Minnesota game, which same, boys, has been the big roundup of the West, these few years back.

At last the students of Minnesota have raised a kick and it is only to be hoped that the kick will be long enough and hard enough to reach the result the students desire. Perhaps Michigan will not come back. The athletic authorities have expressed no desire to join the body they left of their own sweet will; but with the ban on the training table removed, thus conceding something to the viewpoint of Michigan, there is the chance that the differences between the Wolverines and the little professors might be patched up.

The legitimate field of Michigan is naturally in the West, though there are reasons to believe the Wolverines will have little trouble scheduling good games in the East. However, the fact remains that a Western team should play games with teams in its own territory, and this Michigan might be glad to do—when the leaders of the college conference recover their sanity.

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What an Expert Says Regarding a Certain Match.

HERE IS WHAT EDDIE SMITH, the sporting editor of the Chicago American, one of the big referees of the country and an expert on wrestling, has to say on the Hackenschmidt-Westergaard wrestling match, which was decided in Chicago last week:

"The Russian Lion didn't have to uncover more than his massive shape and about three tricks last night to dump Jess Westergaard, the big Iowa Swede, into what should go down in wrestling history as an entirely honorable defeat. The battle waged for 1 hour and 13 minutes before Hackenschmidt was given the verdict.

"It went that long because Westergaard put up about the grandest article of defensive work ever seen on a mat here, and fully duplicated his brilliant work against Zbyszko last season in the bout in which he was so badly hurt, and all but put out of business entirely. But for the Iowan's marvelous gameness and stamina, 'Hack' would have let the crowd get away at least a half hour earlier than he did. The 'Lion' was the aggressor almost constantly, and only now and then took the under position for the purpose of husbanding his own strength a bit and to wipe his streaming face on the canvas of the mat. This done he would resume the offensive and set even a harder pace than before.

"The first bout went 1 hour and 2 minutes odd, and was one of the most vigorous battles ever decided in the coliseum ring, the crowd being kept in a tumult almost from the very start. Not in months have we seen a couple of heavyweights who set and then maintained such a savage clip for sixty minutes as this pair. It was a case of dash and bore in on both sides right from the call of time, and although 'Hack' never was in danger and as a matter of fact, was never to one shoulder, Westergaard's work was so brilliant and he attacked so consistently and with such seeming effect that the crowd fairly screamed its approval of his work."

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Two Majors Will Meet During the Present Week.

FROM THE ADVANCE DOPE THAT has been gathered by the baseball writers of the country, there will be little of the excitement that threatened a real live baseball war at the meeting of the National league a year ago. The dope says an amendment to the constitution which will make the office of president tenable for three years and a lot of trades among the magnates.

There seems to be the opinion that Thomas Lynch, once known as the king of umpires, and now president of the National league, will be re-elected and his term made for three years, instead of the customary term of one year that the older league has found it very hard to get away from.

Not since the halcyon days of Uncle Nick Young, who was in a way the Ban Johnson of his time, only a milder sort of perennial ruler, has the National seen fit to cling with loving kindness to one man. Harry Pulliam stayed in office some few terms, 'tis true, but poor Pulliam's life was made such a burden that many are inclined to believe that is was the petty details of small warfare that drove him to a suicide's grave.

How well has the American league prospered under the rigid rule of Ban Johnson! And how well, too, have the magnates of the league appreciated the ability and baseball brains of Ban. He receives something like $25,000 per merry annum and has the presidency for life.

Prosperity and success ever did have a long and eager line of followers. It may be that the directors of the older organization are going to take the success of the American league to heart, the annual petty politics regarding the election of a president, and make Tom Lynch head of the league for the next three years. Many baseball followers are of the opinion that this move will give the magnates more time to think of the real needs of the league, as in the past the politics of baseball has exacted much valuable time of the club owners.

It does not look at this time as if John M. Ward will try to break into the league politics, and with the best men behind the re-election of Lynch, baseball men hope there will be smooth sailing at the meeting Tuesday.

The American leaguers will hold forth Wednesday. Both of the league meetings will be held in New York, and for the time being that city can imagine that it is on a par with Chicago, which is the best baseball center in the country.

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A Letter From the Famed Irish Orator.

FROM CLEVELAND DARBY O'Brien, the celebrated wit and poet and the leader of the White Sox brigade, writes that things are looking lovely. As to the signing of players, the harp is rather quiet, but drops the information that at the present time he has an option upon several very good men. "After the holidays we are going to get busy and get together the best ball team that has represented Duluth for a long time," states the orator. Here is hoping that the words of the genial soul are borne out. We want one, deed we do, as many of us hope that whatever league this town will be in, it will be a faster league than the Minny of last season, and that is not meant in the least to convey the impression that the Minnesota-Wisconsin league was not fast last year.

If given a free hand there is little doubt but that Darby can get the men. At the close of the present season we had the nucleus of a very strong team. There should be changes and there no doubt will be. As yet we do not know what changes in the local baseball map the coming season will bring forth. We are hoping for the best and are also believing that the White Sox are going to be strong, no matter what league they are herded in.

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Adolph Wolgast Replies To Cries of the Critics.

"STUNG," SAYS WOLGAST—WAIT A minute—"stung to the last degree by my critics, I will now come forth and say a few words," and he does. He says he will fight and that Moran will be the first boy he will encounter.

Many are all-fired glad that the German youth is going to tackle some of the best of the boys of the class. If confessed confidence is an asset for a fighter, this man from the wilds of Cadillac has the so-called brain hop on the rest of the bunch.

Did you ever see a champion who was modest; if you have heard of one, report him to the vaudeville people, for there are none at the present time in captivity.

Wolgast only thinks that he could have beaten Nelson, had he been in Moran's shoes, in five rounds, and that he will have little trouble with the Briton when they tie up. There are a lot of people who do not share the confidence of the good citizen of Cadillac; yet the difference of opinion stuff makes the houses large.

NELSON'S MASTER IS AFTER AD WOLGAST

OWEN MORAN.

Owen Moran, the conquerer of "Bat" Nelson, is an Englishman and his ambition is to take the lightweight title back to England. Moran knocked out the Dane in the eleventh round of what was scheduled to be a 20-round contest at San Francisco. Moran is now in the East filling some theatrical engagement. He has posted a forfeit to meet Ad. Wolgast for the championship title. Moran is well known in America. He has fought a great many battles and among the men he has met are Attell and Tommy Murphy.

PAT POWERS LOSES HIS GRIP

President of Eastern League for Eighteen Years Succeeded By Barrows.

New York, Dec. 13.—The Eastern league of professional baseball clubs met in annual session yesterday at the Hotel Victoria, ousted "Pat" Powers of Jersey City from the presidency which he had held for eighteen years, and elected Edward G. Barrow of Toronto, recently manager of the Montreal club, to the position.

For the first time in the history of the Eastern league, its session was attended and closely watched by the club owners of the two major leagues. The national agreement expires with the close of the next season and there is expectation that the Eastern, now in a prosperous condition, will demand recognition as a major league, ranking with the American and National.

LYNCH WILL HOLD OFFICE

President of National League Not Likely to Be Ousted This Year.

Magnates of Three Leagues in New York for Annual Meetings.

New York, Dec. 13.—While the Eastern league was finishing up its routine business today the magnates of the National baseball league were assembling for their annual meeting. President John T. Brush of the New York club was the only club president who was not expected to attend the meeting of the older major organization, but other officials of the club were on hand to look after the interests of the organization. The question of the league presidency this year as last, is the primary one for the magnates to settle. No such long-drawn-out combat as that of last year is looked for, however. While it was admitted that opposition to President Thomas J. Lynch of New Britain, might develop, there seemed little doubt before the meeting opened today that he would be chosen to succeed himself.

Lynch Sure of Election.

He was apparently assured of the votes of the New York, Pittsburg, Cincinnati and Boston clubs, with that of Philadelphia a probability. The support of four clubs would suffice for his retention, as the amended constitution of the league provides that in the case of a deadlock the incumbent holds over.

Talk in connection with all kinds of proposed deals for players was flying about today, but up to the time for the magnates to assemble there were no definite announcements in this connection. While the National league representatives were gathing a number of American league men arriving for the American league's annual meeting tomorrow, joined the big company of baseballists now in the city.

Players Are Sold.

In addition to the club owners, a number of prominent National league managers are on the ground, among them Clarke of Pittsburg, Bresnahan of St. Louis and Lake of Boston. Bresnahan sold Pitchers Johnny Lush and Bob Harmon and Catcher Phelps to the Toronto club late last night and will, it is said, get rid of Victor Willis before the meeting ends.

The Waterbury, Conn., league and Troy, N. Y., clubs, which are on the market, have not as yet been sold. It is understood Jesse Tannehill will buy the Waterbury club, while it is known that Charles Dooley and Larry Shafley have an option on the Troy club. John McMahon, who, in his day was one of the greatest pitchers in the National league, is here to apply to President Lynch for a place on the staff of umpires.

CUPID PINS FRANK GOTCH.

Humboldt, Iowa, Dec. 13.—Frank Gotch, champion wrestler of the world, is going to get married. This has been hearlded abroad many times before, but this time, according to local parties, who claim to know, an actual date for the wedding has been named, together with the name of the bride, who will be Miss Gladys Oestrich of Humboldt, daughter of R. F. Oestrich, a capitalist and highly respected financier. The date of the wedding will be Jan. 11, 1911. Only relatives and immediate friends will witness the ceremony.

BOWLERS WILL MEET IN ST. PAUL

Preparations for Annual Tourney of International Bowling Association.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 13.—Preparations are going ahead for the International Bowling association tournament to be held in St. Paul Feb. 11 to 23. The growth of the organization in the last year assures the attendance of at least 50 per cent more teams than were present and participated in the last "Looie" meeting.

If certain suggestions that have been made are carried out there will be some desirable prizes for women in this tournament. Bowling is growing more popular every day with the fair sex, and reports received by R. F. Malone, president of the organization, show that the number of women bowlers in the International's territory is fast increasing.

Within the last few weeks St Paul women, well known in the city's social circles, have organized a Flower league. The league gets its name from each club being named after a flower. This league's games, however, are rolled under the rules of the American Bowling Congress, but the members are eligible to membership in the International as well. Thus far in the season the contest has been very close between the Morning Glories and the Sun Flowers. The other teams, named according to their standing as last published are Forget-Me-Nots, Nasturtiums, Daisies, Golden Rods, Dahlias and Moccasins. Prominent in the affairs of the league are Mesdames A. O. Wilson, G. C. Knispel, Nicholas Drexel, Arthur Martin and William S. Wright and Misses Leitner and Kiess. Mrs. Wilson's high score of 171 is considered excellent for a woman who has been playing the game no longer than one.

St. Paul has 2,500 bowlers, and as a center for this great winter sport is second only to one or two other cities, each of which has a larger population than the Minnesota capital. Most of these bowlers are members of the International and will help in making the coming tournament the most successful ever held. The Minneapolis bowlers will co-operate with St. Paul in the arrangements. It is assured that there will be teams here from Chicago and other Illinois cities; Milwaukee, Superior and other Wisconsin bowling centers; Indianapolis and cities in Indiana; Dayton, Ohio, and cities in the East; Vancouver, Winnipeg and other Canadian cities; Duluth and the northern part of Minnesota; Fargo, Grand Forks and the cities of North Dakota where bowling is popular; Aberdeen and Watertown, S. D.; Des Moines, Sioux City, Dubuque, Waterloo and Marshall, Iowa; Omaha, St. Joseph, Kansas City, Council Bluffs and St. Louis. Cities and towns adjacent to those mentioned are expected to be well represented.

The International Bowling association was organized Jan. 17, 1909, there being a strong demand for a permanent and independent organization in the portions of the United States and Canada between the Great Lakes and the Rocky mountains.

The association now consists of more than twenty leagues, each having six to thirty clubs, and each club having five men, which gives an idea of the number of persons who will enter the tournament.

DULUTH WINS ANOTHER GAME

Detroit Defeated By Score of 3 to 2 in Well-Played Contest.

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Duluth Northern hockey team last night again defeated the Detroit hockey players, the second game going to the visitors by the score of 3 to 2. The contest was close and well contested all the way from whistle to whistle, the aggressiveness of the Duluth boys being the feature of the game.

Winters and Fenton proved the bright particular stars of the visiting aggregation. The dashing, aggressive play of Winters, who outclasses any player ever seen in a Detroit rink, and the remarkable goal guarding of Fenton, featured the play of the Northerners. By his speed and cleverness Winters eluded the defense of the local team time after time.

Fenton's goal guarding was the best ever seen on a Detroit rink. He blocked with remarkable intuition as to where the local shooters sent the puck, and several times spoiled almost certain scores for the locals by blocking with body and arms.

Cummings at cover point also played a fast and consistent game for the visitors. Cummings is one of the hardest men to stop who has played in Detroit for a number of seasons. The visitors made a good impression here, as they are not only very strong, but also have the possibilities of developing a very much stronger team.

The lineup:

Duluth.	Position.	Detroit.
Fenton	g	Kline
Winters	p	Ross
Cummings	c.p	Billings
McKenzie	l.w	Mitchell
Steinbeck	r	Black
Jones	c	Davis
Bartlett	r.w	Pietti

Summary: Goals—Jones (2), Cummings, Pietti, Black. Penalties—Mitchell (2), Bartlett (2), McKenzie, Cummings. Stops—Fenton (7), Kline (7). Referee—Foley. Umpire—Ferrill. Timekeeper—Neilly. Time of periods—20 minutes.

BOWLING SCORES

Last evening the Majestics defeated the Stanley Shoe company team on the Central alleys, the visitors taking two games out of three. Server bowled two strong games, one of 233 and the other of 222. The score:

Majestics.			
Stiegler	179	190	190
Mausolf	188	184	145
MacDonald	168	175	190
E. Server	233	167	222
F. Lindgren	162	170	179
Totals	930	886	926
Stanley Shoe Co.			
Streeter	150	171	170
Anderson	179	210	214
Foote	153	127	151
Hanson	143	193	188
Nobis	154	189	194
Totals	779	890	917

COACH STAGG A STANDPATTER

Midway Coach Would Give Present Football Rules Another Year's Trial.

Chicago, Dec. 13.—Coach A. A. Stagg of the University of Chicago has joined the "standpatters." He is holding out for a continuation of the "safe and sane" football rules, and will urge another trial for the 1910 statutes at the coming meeting of the national intercollegiate experts.

The Maroon coach looks for a comparatively calm football winter, inasmuch as the college authorities seem satisfied with the gain in safety achieved by the rules during the past year. He will in all probability advocate the retention of the majority of the newer features of the game at the meeting of the Intercollegiate Athletic association of the United States to be held Dec. 29 in New York.

As a member of the old rules committee and a permanent member of the changing committee of fourteen, Coach Stagg's opinions should count heavily for the West. That his ideas and those of the conference district generally will do much to keep the anti-injury rules in the statute book is the belief at the Midway.

PLAY BEGINS IN HERALD EVENT

West Wins From McGilvray and Catterson Defeats Herald Rink.

Play for The Duluth Herald trophy was begun last night at the curling club. Two match games were played during the evening, as well as a number of practice games. For so early in the season the play was unusually good.

Tom McGilvray's rink was defeated by C. F. West's quartet, the score being 14 to 9 in favor of "Tom's" opponents. The West rink worked hard for victory, the enthusiastic sweeping of Frank Crassweller having much to do with the victory thing. "Collie" Naughton also worked industriously with the sweep. West's rink showed good form, and this contest proved one of the best contested and most exciting played at the rink since curling has begun the present season.

"Doc" Catterson's rink defeated the Herald rink by the score of 10 to 6. Play in this contest was close all the way and it was an interesting contest up to the last head.

Curling is on with mid season enthusiasm and the members of the club have started what looks like the best season in the history of the sport, here at the Head of the Lakes. There was a good "gallery" last night, and enthusiasm over the two regular match games ran high.

RUSSIAN LION AT THE LYCEUM

George Hackenschmidt Will Meet Karl Lehto in Finish Match.

George Hackenschmidt, the famous "Russian Lion," will make his first appearance in this part of the country this evening, meeting Karl Lehto, the young Finnish champion, in a finish match at the Lyceum theater.

Hackenschmidt comes to Duluth with the prestige of a wonderful career behind him. His one object in coming to this country, is a match with Frank A. Gotch, the only man in the world who has ever gained a decision over the wonderful Russian.

The wrestling of the big Russian has proved a sensation wherever he has appeared. He is faster, according to newspaper accounts of his work, than he was when he wrestled the famous contest with Gotch. Hackenschmidt has learned a lot about catch as catch can since the memorable contest with Gotch, and should he meet the American the present season a contest that will be the greatest struggle between modern athletes, should result.

While the famous Russian Lion is ntaurally the star attraction of the big bill, two other bouts will be staged that should prove interesting. Person will meet Ole Johnson, the big heavyweight from across the bay, and Mauritz Harris, who has held the lightweight championship of the Head of the Lakes for a number of years, will meet Joe Fish, the crack little wrestler from this city.

Indications point to a large attendance from out of town, as there has been a brisk demand for tickets. The first preliminary will start at 8:30.

Shortly after his appearance in Duluth Hackenschmidt will meet Henry Ordemann of Minneapolis, generally recognized as the American champion, in a match which will probably result in the elimination of Ordemann from the list of possibilities for the world's title.

At the present time Hackenscmidt is the logical champion, until Gotch comes out of retirement. Hackenschmidt is the champion wrestler of Europe, and has thrown the greatest the Old World has produced.

PHIL BROCK WINS EASILY FROM GOODMAN.

Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 13.—Phil Brook of Cleveland had an easy victory over Danny Goodman of Chicago in a ten-round bout here last night. Goodman was clearly outclassed, but covered so well that Brock was not able to hurt him.

John White of Chicago nearly knocked out Tommy Kilbane of Cleveland in the tenth round of the semi-final.

Tommy Gavigan of Cleveland won over Rube Mace of Detroit in five rounds.

PICTURES FAVOR NELSON.

Fight Films Show Referee Counted Only Nine Over Battler.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 13.—Moving pictures of the recent fight between Owen Moran and Battling Nelson will not settle the argument as to whether or not the Dane was counted out. Nelson insists he was not, and will make it part of his stock in trade that he was watching the count and could have been on his feet.

It doesn't matter that every newspaper critic at the ringside and others who were following closely what was happening heard Referee Benny Selig say "Nine; you're out," the Dane will stand by his guns. It was hoped the pictures themselves would settle the controversy; that they would show the referee tolling off the count. The first exhibition of the pictures in California was held today, and still the controversy can go ahead.

"When you come to that eleventh round," shouted Jimmy Coffroth to the operator, "turn slowly, so we can watch for a knockout."

So slowly that it was possible to watch everything that happened, the last round was reeled off. As Nelson went down the last time a small group of spectators counted with Selig, timing themselves with a wave of the referee's arm.

"One, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine," that was all there was to it. Testify as reporters can, that Selig went the full limit, the moving pictures show his arm went back and forth only nine times. For some reason Selig must have dropped his hand to his side when he had counted the ninth second, and then with no motion to indicate what was happening, shouted in the Dane's ear, "You're out!"

It gives Nelson a chance to argue, and he will be heard from one ocean to the other.

The films are excellent and have plenty of action with a spectacular ending. The lack of sun the day of the bout has produced pictures that are without the shadows that work injury to most affairs of this kind, and the figures are unusually distinct.

Adams Will Bowl.

Tonight at the Grand alleys the bowling season of the Adams Bowling league will be formally inaugurated. The secretary's team will play the treasurer's. A good contest is expected.

You Must Read This If You Want the Benefit.

J. W. Greer, Greenwood, La., suffered with a severe case of lumbago. "The pains were so intense I was forced to hypodermic injections for relief. These attacks started with a pain in the small of my back which gradually became fairly paralyzing. My attention was attracted to Foley's Kidney Remedy and I am glad to say that after using this wonderful medicine I am no longer bothered in any way by my old enemy, lumbago." Sold by all druggists.

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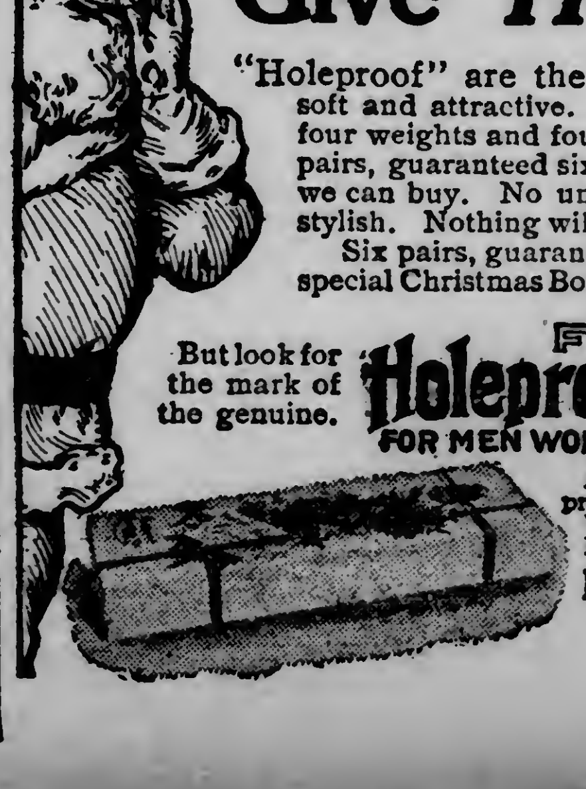

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ON THE IRON RANGES

RANGE JUDGES MEET WEDNESDAY

Men Who Preside Over Petty Courts Want a Larger Field.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—Interest centers about the meeting of the Range Association of Municipal Judges to be held here tomorrow in the office of Judge Prince, the president.

Among the members of the organization expected to be present are Judge E. M. Freeman of Chisholm; Judge T. Carey of Virginia; Judge Jury of Ely; Judge Thomas M. Brady of Hibbing; Judge Vivian Prince of Eveleth; Judge Sawyer of Tower.

A report from the committee that is drafting a bill to increase the jurisdiction of state municipal courts from $500 to $1,000, is expected, as the meeting is also to decide whether it would be advisable to send a committee to St. Paul next month to confer with the judiciary committee of the state legislature so as to secure favorable action on the bill.

The establishment of a range juvenile court will also be among the prominent subjects discussed, as much interest is being taken in that proposition by the judges and residents of the Mesaba and Vermilion ranges.

RENIELLE SENT TO REFORMATORY

Man Who Caused Death of John Anderson of Keewatin Gets Off Easily.

Grand Rapids, Minn., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—Heeding the request of the jury for clemency in the case of Joe Renielle convicted of manslaughter in causing the death of John Anderson of Keewatin, Judge Stanton gave the convicted young man a reformatory sentence.

Renielli disputed with John Anderson and a friend of the latter named Johnson over the right-of-way along a Keewatin sidewalk and in the mixup Renielle pulled a gun and shot at Johnson hitting and fatally wounding Anderson. The youth of Renielle, who is only 19, combined with the showing at the trial that all were more or less intoxicated, furnished the extenuating circumstances that brought about a reformatory sentence.

Liquor Law Violation Trials.

Cases as announced in the order in which they will be moved by the state for trial include several violations of the liquor law, the Merrilli assault case, and the Nobles poisoning cases. The number of witnesses in the Nobles case will be large and some sensational developments are promised by County Attorney Price, it is understood.

Before leaving Grand Rapids, Judge McClenahan ordered certain cases resubmitted to the next grand jury, including the Kiley assault case. The defendant was bound over to the last grand jury on a charge of assault with intent to kill made by J. S. Cole, a real estate dealer here.

SHELL LAKE MAN LOSES HIS LIFE

George Reid, Rainy Lake Brakeman, Is Killed in Virginia Yards.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—George S. Reid, a brakeman on the Duluth, Rainy Lake & Winnipeg railroad, was run over by the cars while switching in the local yards yesterday, and killed. He was pushed fifteen feet along the rail before the wheels finally ran over him, crushing his body across the abdomen. Reid was taken to the hospital. He lived about one and one-half hours after the accident, during which time he remained conscious with the exception of about ten minutes before he died, and was able to converse with friends and tell them how the accident happened.

Reid was about 23 years of age, single, and had been employed by the railroad company here the past year and a half. He was a member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, the local lodge taking charge of the remains. His father, Hugh Reid, is employed here by the Duluth & Rainy Lake company, and the family home is at Shell Lake, Wis., where the body was shipped today for burial. Besides the father, the deceased leaves a mother and one brother, the latter two arriving from Shell Lake last night to accompany the remains home. Joseph O'Leary, an uncle, and Jack and Ray O'Leary, cousins of young Reid, and William Hanstock and J. H. Condon, representing the railroad boys here, also accompanied the body to Shell Lake. Young Reid was popular among his many acquaintances.

HIBBING PUPILS PLAN PROGRAMS

Children Will Have Closing Exercises in Keeping With the Day.

Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Hibibng high will have a fine program at the close of the term on Dec. 16. Probably the most elaborate work attempted will be by the two literary societies of the high. The Alexander Literary society, named after the principal of the school professor, Alexander, will have a well assorted program. The first item will be called for about 2 o'clock, and it will probably be two hours later before the last vote of thanks is passed. Music, debates, literary numbers, speeches and stories will take the bulk of the time, and some very good numbers are promised. Especially in the musical portion will the work be of a high standard, as the many members are greatly gifted both in the matter of voice and instrumental genius.

More than 400 will take part in the Christmas exercises at the Jefferson building Dec. 16 at 2 o'clock. The children vary in ages from 8 to 12 years. Among the most important numbers on the program are Dicken's "Christmas Carol" and they range from "Luther Christmas Carol" to James Whitcombe Riley and Eugene Field.

The program of exercices in the Washington building cover the work of the term completed. Story, song and poem will be given by the tots, who range in ages from 5 to 9 years. Every room in the building will have a Christmas tree, and many pretty presents have been prepared for the great day, both the presents and the decorations having been made by the children themselves. More than 650 children and twenty teachers will take part in the program at this school. Part of the work will be done in the class rooms, but later the whole of the lower floor scholars will combine and have thier dancing and childish games together, the aim in this case being to inculcate the principle of unity into the children's minds. In the upper floors lack of space prevents this and and the classes will remain in their respective rooms.

The Washington school will close for the term Friday following the closing exercises held in the building from 1:30 until 2:30.

The boys of the Gopher Literary society will put on a varied program, but the chief items will be the debates and introductory speeches. Their program will be what they term a "magazine program," and will contain some very fine numbers, both in speeches and songs. The work of the society has been steadily improving ever since it was originated by Principal Alexander.

KILLED IN SHENANGO.

Hibbing Miner Is Fatally Injured By a Cavein.

Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—Funeral services were held today for Peter Brieovich, who was killed by a cavein at the Shenango mine some time Sunday night. He was found curshed to death by a mass of earth and rock. The body was taken to the home of his brother, Luka Brieovich living here.

The men were engaged in putting in timbers in the mine, when the accident happened.

Brieovich has no relatives in this country except the brother who lives in Hibbing. He was 23 years old and single.

EVELETH MILITIA QUINT BEATEN BY THE HIGH.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—In the initial basket ball game last night the high school first and second teams defeated the militia quint, 31 to 24, in a very close and interesting exhibition. The high school second team played the first half and held the soldiers to a 6 to 5 score. The regular high school five played the second half and easily proved themselves the soldiers' superiors.

The high school five lined up with Maurice Levant, center; Dale Cerveny and Percy Pryor, guards; George Sherman and ohn Massucci, forwards; while A. Farnand and Marvin Van Buskrick, forwards; Louis Andrews, center; R. B. Murray and B. Hestrom and Anrthony Pryor, composed the militia lineup.

The high school quint will play its first interscholastic contest Friday at Chisholm with the high school five of that place. A return game will be played with Chisholm, Jan. 9, on the local floor. Games are being arranged with the Ely, Virginia, Biwabik, Gilbert and Two Harbors quints.

VIRGINIA WOMAN DIES.

Mrs. Mary Nadon, Aged 69, Is Victim of Dropsy.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—Mrs. Mary Nadon, aged 69 years, died yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. De Beanrizage of the Silver Lake hotel, of dropsy. She was born in St. James, Can., and had lived here several years with her daughter. The funeral will be conducted from Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic church tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock, and interment will follow in Calvary cemetery.

The funeral of Charles, the 7-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Paul of the North side, who died Sunday from double pneumonia, was held this morning from the Hubbard chapel, Rev. Father Powers officiating, interment being made in Calvary cemetery.

NASHWAUK BRIEFS.

Nashwauk, Minn., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—Miss Alma Dennis was a guest at the home of Miss Georgie Brown Saturday, returning the following day to her home at Hibbing.

Edward Brown of Chicago is spending a few weeks here with relatives.

Joseph De Petro arrived home Sunday night after a two years' tour through the West.

The Hawkins mine has laid off all their crew with the exception of twenty-five men for the winter. This mine expects to put in a very large crew in the spring.

A pleasant affair was tendered in honor of Nels Nelson Saturday evening by a number of his young male acquaintances. A spread was enjoyed. Those present were: A. Christoferson, F. Flink, W. Ohles, F. G. Kuntz, A. Larson, H. Ross, J. McGuire, A. Brown, H. Pontius, W. Le Hane, and R. Hutton.

The Unique theater has been moved into their new quarters in the Sax block.

Roy Hutton, auditor of the Agnew mine of Hibbing, spent Sunday with friends here.

EVELETH FREE DELIVERY.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—There is general rejoicing over the receipt of a telegram by Postmaster Poole from Representative Clarence Miller that he had taken up the matter of free delivery for Eveleth with the head of the free delivery department of the postal service with good prospects of the boon soon being granted. A favorable decision from Postmaster General Hitchcock is expected at an early date.

HIBBING BRIEFS.

Hibbng, Minn., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—Dr. S. Teran has returned from a visit with relatives in Duluth.

Joseph and Ernest Lippman of Virginia were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Lippman Sunday.

J. A. Miller and James Butchart drove to Joe Hahn's place yesterday to see Mr. Hahn who is reported quite sick.

Misses Daisy Stevens and Orpha Lent of Hibbing have been visiting in the West end at Duluth during the past week.

E. A. Rogers, one of the contractors, who helped to build the recently completed Soo extensions near Duluth, is in the city.

J. H. Healy, Miss Jessie Healy and Joseph Stuart, who have been on a visit to Duluth, have returned to the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hunt have returned from Battle Creek, Mich.

The Misses Norma George and Emma Cunniff entertained at bridge Saturday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Silliman in honor of Miss Lucile Waterman.

Takes Grand Marais Job.

Grand Marais, Minn., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—Allen M. Anderson of Bovey, Minnesota, has accepted the cashiership of the Cook County State bank, and arrived here Sunday to assume his duties.

Working On Class Play.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—Work on the senior class play, Tennyson's "The Princess," was commenced yesterday afternoon by the students under the direction of Miss Elizabeth G. Marsh of the faculty. The play is in five acts and twelve scenes.

MAN WHO HELPED MINNESOTA IS DEAD

Dr. J. M. Wheat, Who Prevented Loss of Mineral Lands, Passes Away.

Dr. J. M. Wheat, well known as a former member of both houses of the Minnesota legislature, died at Redlands, Cal., Nov. 27. Word of his death has just been received by friends. Dr. Wheat was a member of the Minnesota house of representatives from 1875 to 1877, and for the following ten years was a member of the state senate. While a member of the latter body, Dr. Wheat introduced and secured the passage of a bill forbidding the sale of many million acres of state lands. At that time these lands were being offered for sale at $2 or $3 an acre. Dr. Wheat's measure set a minimum value of $6 on them, and in the northern section, where mineral had been discovered, and in general whenever mineral might be discovered the sale of the lands was prohibited.

Saved St. Louis County Lands.

This led first to the preservation of the lands in the northern part of St. Louis and Crow Wing counties, from which the state today receives a large revenue in leases, and also of the swamp lands now drained and rendered valuable or undrained but still priceless because of underlying mineral deposits. The result was an accumulation of a permanent trust fund, which will soon be larger than that of any other state in the Union, and is at present nearly $25,000,000.

Dr. Wheat went to Redlands in 1887 and became prominently identified with the city's advancement. He was secretary of the city board of health until a short time before his death.

Dr. Wheat is survived by his wife, who is a native of this state, and by two children.

New South Shore Roadmaster.

Negaunee, Mich., Dec. 13.—J. E. Raby has been appointed roadmaster of the Houghton division of the Duluth South Shore & Atlantic railway. He has long been regarded as an authority on railroad construction.

Rob Randolph, Minn., Postoffice.

Randolph, Minn., Dec. 13.—The Randolph postoffice, which is in a general store owned by L. R. Miller, who is also postmaster, was robbed early Sunday morning.

Loss, stamps, $30; jewelry, etc., in store, $70. There is no clue.

Simmons Gets Verdict.

London, Dec. 13.—P. C. Simmons today was awarded the sum of $25,000 damages in the action which he instituted against the Daily Chronicle, alleging that false statements made by the defendant paper caused his defeat in the election of last January.

Simmons was the Unionist candidate for St. George's division of Tower Hamlets.

Immediately preceding the polling the Chronicle charged that the candidate had helped to throw 3,000 men out of employment and further that on three occasions he had voted against a proposition to feed poor children by the use of public funds.

SCHEDULE OF LECTURES

Dr. Hall Will Give Thirteen Addresses During Stay in Duluth.

"The Young Man's Problem" Will Be Subject Sunday Afternoon.

Dr. Winfield Scott Hall of the Northwestern Medical school of Chicago, noted as a lecturer on sex subjects, nutrition and dietetics, will be in Duluth next Saturday, Sunday and Monday for a series of thirteen addresses. His principal address to men, will be given at the regular weekly men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon at 3:30 when he will give his lecture, "The Young Man's Problem," which was heard by 35,000 men in different parts of the United States last year.

Dr. Hall will speak to men, women and children at different times during his three days in Duluth and every lecture will contain a wealth of information for those to whom it is addressed. Parents, teachers and members of the medical profession are especially interested in his work among young men and women and every lecture he gives in the city is expected to be well attended.

Dr. Hall's schedule for the three days in Duluth follows:

Saturday.

10 a. m.—Teachers of the city, at high school.

12:30 p. m.—St. Louis County Medical association at the Commercial club.

7:30 p. m.—Gymnasium men—on floor.

8 p. m.—Men's meeting at the First M. E. church, comprising all Brotherhoods, leagues, clubs, etc.

Sunday.

9 a. m.—Breakfast club.

3:30 p. m.—Great men's mass meeting in the gymnasium. (None under 16 years of age admitted.)

4:30 p. m.—Special women's meeting at the Young Women's Christian association auditorium.

Monday.

9 a. m.—High school boys.

11 a. m.—Ministerial association.

Noon—Shop meeting.

2:15 p. m.—High school girls at the Young Women's Christian association auditorium.

2:45 p. m.—Women's meeting, auspices Women's Council. Open to all women.

4 p. m.—Grammar grade boys.

FEAGLE IS PUT ON GRILL AGAIN

Father of Alleged Murderer of Four People Defends Him.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 13.—John Feagle, held by the Kansas City, Kan., police as a suspect for the murder of Mrs. Emeline Bernhardt, her son George, Thomas Morgan and James Graves, was subjected to another careful examination by the chief of police and his assistants today. The prisoner said nothing that added materially to his statements of yesterday, the officers said.

The sheriff of Johnson county, Kansas, said this morning that he was trying to find a farmhand who worked for the Bernhardts about six weeks ago. The sheriff said George Bernhardt had expressed himself as being afraid of this man.

Feagle's wife and his father, J. B. Feagle, have come to his aid. The elder Feagle said his son had at times shown signs of insanity. He said the stains of clothing found in his son's home were made by red paint.

WHITE COMES TOO LATE TO SWEAR

May Let Harlan Preside Over Supreme Court Until After Recess.

Washington, Dec. 13.—To the disappointment of a gathering that crowded the supreme court of the United States to its capacity, Justice Edward Douglass White did not take the oath of office today as chief justice of the United States supreme court.

For one thing, the justice was late. The court, led by Presiding Justice Harlan, had taken its place on the bench before Justice White arrived at the capitol.

It is understood that Justice White did not intend to take the oath today and that it is his intention to pay Justice Harlan, the senior member of the court, a delicate compliment by permitting him to preside over the court, possibly until after the holiday recess, which will end Jan. 3.

RAISE PENSIONS AUTOMATICALLY

Bill Presented in the House Favors Men Who Served Ninety Days.

Washington, Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—A bill of the utmost interest to the pensioners of the United States who served either sixty days in the Mexican war or ninety days in the Civil war has been introduced by Representative Sulloway and is to be passed at this session of congress. The bill provides that all persons who served sixty days in Mexican or ninety days in Civil war, who have reached the age of 62 years, shall have a pension of $15 per month; those 65 years old, $20 per month; those 70 years old, $30 per month; and those 75 years old or over, $40 per month, such pension to commence from the date of the filing of applications.

Story Was Incorrect.

London, Dec. 13.—A jury in the king's bench division today awarded Miss Alexandra Louvima Knollys, daughter of Lord Knollys, King George's private secretary, damages in the suit of $2,500 for libel which she brought against the periodical John Bull for having published a report that the complainant had eloped with an English army officer. Horatio W. Bottomley, a member of the house of commons, who controls the paper, expressed to the court sincere regret that the groundless statement had been printed.

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NOMINATIONS SENT TO SENATE BY TAFT.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Nominations sent to the senate today by President Taft included the following:

G. Edward Schulz of Wisconsin, collector of customs at Milwaukee; James R. Hopley, postmaster at Bucyrus, Ohio.

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V. J.: To keep the scalp clean, sweet and healthful it is necessary for many to shampoo once a week regularly. If your head is inclined to be oily or if you encounter much flying dust, you should shampoo weekly. Soaps make the hair dry, hard and brittle—and cause streaks; don't use them, no matter how delicately perfumed or attractively colored. You can depend always upon canthrox thoroughly cleansing your hair and scalp, removing all dandruff, oil and dust. It makes an abundance of searching yet bland lather. Dissolve a teaspoonful of canthrox in a cup of hot water, pour a little on the head at a time, rub as you would with any shampoo; then rinse well. Your hair will dry quickly and evenly, so that it is easy to do up, and it will be so light, bright and fluffy that it will seem as if you have twice as much as before your shampoo.

Mrs. X.: It is true your husband took you "for better or for worse," but I do not blame him for urging you to do something for your falling hair, for a partly bald woman is about the most unattractive sight I can imagine. You can postpone the "for worse" many years if you will. The hair responds quickly to proper treatment. Use canthrox for shampooing and rub into the scalp and hair roots twice a week a quinine tonic, which you can make at home at little cost as follows: Get from your druggist one ounce of quinzoin, dissolve it in one-half pint of alcohol, then add one-half pint of water, and shake well. This inexpensive tonic feeds the follicles and gives the hair new strength and life. It prevents dandruff and itching scalp, and keeps the hair clean, soft and silky. Quinzoin will not change the color of the hair but it will heighten the natural color and give it lustre. It will stop your hair falling out when you comb it and will tend to make it grow in thick and long.

Blanche L.: To be sure, you are likely to get fatter during the winter months unless you take proper steps to prevent the accumulation of excess flesh. In fact, you are even now entirely too stout for one of your height. Get from your drug store four ounces of parnotis and dissolve it in 1½ pints of hot water. Then take a tablespoonful before each meal. This remedy is harmless and a rapid flesh reducer that will not make it necessary for you to half starve yourself to keep from getting too fat.

L. T.: No person's eyes will remain clear and bright under all conditions. If yours are inclined to become dull, expressionless, red and inflamed when exposed to sun, dust or wind, you can easily remove the trouble by dropping one or two drops of crystos eye tonic in each eye. Make this tonic yourself. Just get an ounce of crystos from your druggist and dissolve it in a pint of warm water. That is all there is to this simple remedy, but it is so good that many have been able to dispense with spectacles after using it for a month or two.

B. W.: Red hairs are no more disfiguring on a woman's face than hairs of any other color. I think you are too sensitive, but you can easily get rid of that downy growth on your face and forearms if you wish. Get from your druggist one ounce of delatone, make a paste by mixing a little of the powder with a little water, and apply to the surface from which you wish to remove the hairs, allow to remain two or three minutes; then wipe off the paste and wash thoroughly with warm water. This treatment will not injure the skin and can be repeated if the hairs should return. Two or three applications will kill the hair follicles for good. Your druggist will charge you a dollar for one ounce of delatone, but I know of nothing else so good. It certainly is much cheaper and less painful than electrolysis.

Miss Patsy: You ask for some complexion beautifier more refined than powder. Try this: Dissolve four ounces of spurmax in a half-pine of hot water, add two teaspoonfuls of glycerine, shake well and let cool. Apply to the face, neck and forearms with the palm of the hand and rub gently until dry. Spurmax face wash cools, freshens and whitens the skin, does not "shine" or streak with perspiration, and "holds" all day. It prevents freckles, tan, redness and roughness. You will be delighted with its delicate daintiness, I know.

R. F. G.: You can make a face cream without grease that will remove blackheads and cure open pores if you will get from your druggist one ounce of almozoin, dissolve it in one-half pint cold water, add two teaspoonfuls of glycerine, stir well and let stand over night. Massage with this almozoin cream jelly nightly and it will prevent or arrest wrinkles, and soften and embellish the skin, for it carries into the cuticle and pores the glow of health and gives that transparency and satiny feel so much desired. It quickly corrects a greasy, coarse skin, effectually braces it and stimulates it to healthy action.

Nancy: You cannot expect to have a smooth, rosy complexion as long as your blood is full of imprities from a deranged liver, which causes those ugly red pimples on your face. What you need is a good, cleansing, system tonic that will purify your blood and enable you to cultivate good looks. Get an ounce of kardene from any drug store; dissolve it in one-half pint alcohol, adding one-half cup sugar, then enough hot water to make a full quart. Take a tablespoonful before each meal and in a short time this good, old-fashioned tonic will clear up your skin of sallowness, give you a good appetite and make you feel better and more energetic. It will really improve your looks a great deal and do you a world of good.

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Be it known that "caffeine"—the drug in coffee—is a poison that works directly on nerves, stomach and heart.

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BIRTHS.

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NELSON—A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. O. Nelson of 4619 West Sixth street Dec. 3.

DIETZ—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. R. Dietz of New Duluth Dec. 12.

BRADLEY—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Bradley Dec. 2.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

LAVIN—The funeral of Hjalmar John Lavin, 21 years old, who died yesterday at the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lavin, 827 West Third street, of typhoid fever, will take place Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the residence, and later from the Norwegian Lutheran church, Sixth avenue east and Third street. The young man was employed as a clerk at the postoffice. Besides his parents he is survived by five brothers, all residents of Duluth. Interment will be at the Lutheran cemetery.

CARROLL—The funeral of James Carroll, 50 years old, who died Sunday at the home of A. Duff, 20 Seventh avenue west, will take place tomorrow morning from the cathedral, with interment at Calvary cemetery. He is survived by a brother in Texas. He was a member of the F. O. E.

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Commission Plan Is Working Successfully in Grand Junction.

"Government as Good as Citizenship," Says Mayor Todd.

"Through the direct legislation and recall, the people have the power to control the affairs of the city. The government of the city will now be just as good as the citizenship and no better," is the way Thomas M. Todd, mayor of Grand Junction, Colo., puts his views on the commission form of government.

Grand Junction is a city of about 9,000 people and the first election under the commission plan was held there Nov. 2, 1909. All the different charters in effect in cities having the commission form of government at that time were taken, and a charter was drafted combining what the citizens of Grand Junction considered the best features of all, with some new ideas of their own. The charter is extremely liberal along municipal ownership lines.

In response to The Herald's question as to the reason for the change in Grand Junction, Mayor Todd writes: "We are a progressive people and want the best. The granting of some of the franchises here didn't look good and we concluded we would ma.... our own affairs."

"Quick action and economy are the features of the new plan," Mayor Todd writes. "We found a tax levy of 31 mills and reduced it to 27 mills."

There has been no public sentiment for a return to the old system in Grand Junction and Mayor Todd says he sees nothing to condemn in the new plan in the short time it has been in operation.

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Twenty Days in Jail.

John Callahan, arrested yesterday on suspicion of having stolen a watch which he pawned, pleaded guilty to vagrancy in police court this morning and got $20 and costs or twenty days. He went over the hill. After the watch had been pawned it was reported as having been stolen. When Callahan came back yesterday to try to get more money on it the proprietor of the pawnshop called the police.

Action to Recover Balance.

Before Judge Dibell and a jury in district court, Daniel J. Gutman and Eli Gutman are trying to recover $1,521.77, which they claim is due them on a bill of goods purchased by Frank and Anton Klimek.

Changed Their Pleas.

John and William Kubicki, the two men who were implicated in the thefts of furniture and household goods from the F. S. Kelly Furniture company, and who some time ago pleaded not guilty, changed their pleas to guilty when brought before Judge Dibell of the district court late yesterday afternoon. Judge Dibell has not yet sentenced them. The other two men who pleaded guilty yesterday were given two years each at Stillwater.

Long Court Term at Carlton.

Judge William A. Cant of the district court is home after holding a long session of court at Carlton, Minn. Judge Cant began sessions at Carlton on Oct. 18 and just finished his last case Monday.

Directed Verdict.

Judge Ensign of the district court this morning directed a verdict in favor of the Duluth Crushed Stone company, the defendant in the action brought against it by August Davis, father of Stanley Davis, a minor, who, it was claimed was hurt by an explosion of dynamite caps at the company's quarry in West Duluth.

Ionic Lodge Election.

At the annual meeting of Ionic lodge, No. 186, A. F. and A. M., held last night for the coming year. Walter N. Totman, worshipful master; Warren E. Greene, senior warden; Carl E. Lonegren, junior warden; Burr Porter, secretary. H. W. Richardson is the outgoing worshipful master. Plans for and the date of the installation ceremonies will be announced later.

Christmas Lists of the Poor.

Courtenay Dinwiddie, secretary of tne Associated Charities, asks that those who have lists of people needing Christmas aid send them in to the offices in the courthouse not later than Friday of this week. He also desires a list of those that are being cared for by others so that the local societies will not duplicate the work.

Jury Cases Finished.

The jury calendar of the district court for this term is about finished. Twenty-four court cases have been set for Thursday. Nearly forty cases have been continued over until the next term, which begins Jan. 4.

Denied a Divorce.

Harold E. Elden was denied a divorce from his wife, Charlotte D. Elden, yesterday, by Judge W. A. Cant. He alleged cruel and inhuman treatment, but his claims were not substantiated. He is 33 years old and she is 27.

Complain of Coal Chute.

More complaints were made to the city authorities this morning relative to the coal chute at the old Masonic temple building, Second avenue east and Superior street. It is in close to the building and when coal dust was unloaded there this morning it blew in all directions, to the great discomfort of pedestrains.

Woman Found Guilty.

Mrs. Anna Carney, arrested on a charge of keeping a house of ill-repute, following a raid on her place on West Michigan street, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues, when three couples were arrested on statutory bookings, was found guilty in police court yesterday afternoon after a trial. She was fined $100 with the alternative of sixty days in the county jail. A stay was granted until Dec. 19.

Case Will Be Appealed.

F. D. Orr, charged with storing dynamite back of Duluth Heights in violation of the city ordinance, was found guilty in municipal court yesterday afternoon. A fine of $25 was imposed. He is agent of the E. D. Dupont De Nemours Powder company. The findings were made upon the filings of stipulations of facts. The case will be appealed to test the validity of the ordinance.

Duluth-Made Books.
Thwing-Stewart Co., Phone 114.

Woman Held as Witness.

When Lizzie Crittenden, colored, came to the police station with her face a mass of blood and bruises last evening, to lodge a charge of assault against Otis Hance, she was not allowed her freedom. She was detained by the police as a witness. They have had trouble in the past when complaints were made and the persons making them failed to put in an appearance to prosecute them. The officers say that the two have been living together and that they had a fight over a domestic difference. Hance, also colored, pleaded not guilty in police court this morning and will be tried this afternoon.

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Instantly relieve Hoarseness and Coughs.

F. O. E.

All members of Duluth Aerie No. 79 and visiting members will assemble at the hall at 8:30 Wednesday morning to attend the funeral of our late brother, Jas. Carroll. Bring badges. W. E. BROWN, W. P.

PERSONAL

D. H. Lawrence of Two Harbors is in the city on legal business.

Guy A. Eaton went to St. Paul yesterday.

Walter J. Smith and wife of Eveleth were in the city yesterday, going to St. Paul in the afternoon.

Thomas Owens of Two Harbors was a Duluth visitor today.

Hugh Kennedy of Virginia is a guest at the Spalding.

Ed Syverson of Ironton is registered at the Spalding.

J. J. Driscoll of Winnipeg is at the Spalding.

Miss J. Pearson of Port Arthur is a guest at the Spalding.

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M. Curley of Coleraine is registered at the Spalding.

A. S. Chase of Faribault is a guest at the St. Louis.

W. J. West, superintendent of the Hibbing district for the Oliver Iron Mining company, is in town today.

P. L. Ranquist of Coleraine is a guest at the St. Louis.

W. A. Smith of Hibbing is at the St. Louis.

CLEARING UP DIPHTHERIA

Dr. Albert J. Chesley, a representative of the state board of health, arrived in Duluth today to supervise the work of stamping out diphtheria in St. Mary's hospital, which was placed under quarantine by the city health department yesterday.

Cultures will be taken from all patients in the hospital, the building will be thoroughly fumigated and no patients will be received until it is certain that no traces of the disease exist. Dr. Chesley is working with Dr. H. E. Webster, health commissioner of the city, in the case of the hospital.

GIRL'S STORY SHOCKS EVEN HUMANE AGENT.

Joseph Hullenbeck and Fred Milgure were arrested this afternoon on the complaint of Humane Agent Fifer, as the result of statements made to him by a 17-year-old orphan girl.

The girl was discovered by the humane agent walking the streets. She stated that her mother and father were dead, and told the humane agent a story which shocked even that official, hardened as he is to such tales. He immediately swore out warrants for the arrest of Hullenbeck and Milguro. The girl's name is withheld.

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This Coupon is good for 5 Votes when properly filled out and sent to Hall-Kreidler Music Co., 214 West First St.

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COPPER MARKET IS DULL AND WEAK

The copper market was dull and weak today until toward the close when short covering caused a slight rally. Values in most issues closed with net losses for the day. The curb and the local markets were especially weak, nearly all of the local stocks declining, some sharply. There seemed to be pressure to sell from tired holders.

The steel business is dull and the copper trade shows a slight falling off. The weakness in Steel common and Amalgamated today caused a corresponding softness in other issues. Strength in the market which appeared at the close, appeared first in the Western rails, which rallied on short covering due to a report that the prospective strike of Western engineers will not be called.

Large sellers of copper are not disposed to hold supplies for higher prices and quotations in many instances have been shaved from 13c to 12⅞c a pound. Brass manufacturers have been buying sparingly and their commitments for the near future are exceedingly small. The postponement of the electrification of several branches of the New Haven railroad has placed in abeyance large orders of the red metal, which had been expected.

Exports of copper for November, including Southern and Pacific ports, amounted to 30,441 tons compared with 24,028 tons in the same period last year, an increase of 6,413 tons.

The local market was weak. Butte Ballaklava sold at $7.25, Sierra at $1.75, North American at $2.31¼ to $2.37½. Copper Queen at 15c, Denn at $4, $3.87½ and $3.91¼, Live Oak at $23.25, Red Warrior at $1.81¼, $1.56¼ and $1.62½, Shattuck at $24.62½ to $24.37½, Butte & Superior at $7.50, Butte & Superior, old, at 75c and 77c, Calumet & Montana at 80c, Cliff at $1.87½, $1.75, $1.62½ and $1.68¾.

Amalgamated sold at $63.62½ to $62.37½ to $63.12½ and then at $63, Butte Ballaklava at $7 to $6.75, Calumet & Arizona at $51.75 to $50 to $50.25, Giroux at $6.87½, Greene at $7.12½, North Butte at $29.50 to $29 to $29.25, Shattuck at $24.50, Superior & Pittsburg at $14 to $13.75.

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The Boston News Bureau said today: New York.—The net result of the movement of the copper metal for the current calendar year to Dec. 1, has been a decrease in world's visible stocks of about 62,382,000 pounds. Of this decrease the United States has contributed 11,377,000 pounds and the foreign visible 51,000,000 pounds. Total decrease is equivalent to approximately 16 per cent of world's stocks as of Jan. 1 last. November's failure to show more than a nominal reduction in production was a disappointment to the trade and the impression is creeping in that the much talked of production curtailment is something of a failure, or at least so far as the substantial results that were expected to accrue are concerned.

The average daily production for 1910 to Aug. 1, the latter date being the time when curtailment is supposed to have begun, was 3,944,098 pounds. A curtailment of 15 per cent would have reduced the average daily rate to 3,424,484 pounds, but as will be seen in the following table, production has not as yet come anywhere near that level.

	Production	Production over Deliveries.
November	3,978,435	295,575
October	4,079,654	307,476
September	3,983,000	669,583
August	4,112,697	56,575
July	3,818,387	72,732
June	4,240,639	265,333
May	3,975,563	594,898
April	3,915,921	605,310
March	3,373,144	526,676
February	4,025,446	311,596
January	3,759,589	1,396,364

Ninety days was the time allowed for mine reduction to show in refined copper output and that time has already elapsed without any more than a nominal effect on the refined output. Allowing for all possible contingencies such as stocks at the refineries, imports, etc., it would appear that if the curtailment does not appear in the December statistics, the trade may as well make up its mind that copper production has about reached its low level, except for such falling off as usually comes with cold weather."

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Shattuck has declared dividend $1, payable Jan. 20.

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November production of C. & A. was 965 tons and of the S. & P., 1,080 tons.

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The report of the Butte & Superior company for November is attracting some attention. It shows a tonnage milled of 11,160. The net earnings of the company amounted to $26,834.35. If this rate is maintained the company can meet its fixed charges and quickly accumulate a surplus for dividends.

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Closing quotations on the Duluth Stock exchange, today follow:

Listed Stocks—	Bid.	Asked.
American Saginaw	1⅜	1¾
Butte Coalition	18	18½
Butte-Alex, Scott, pt. pd.	.....	2
Butte-Alex-Scott, fl. pd.	.....	4½
Butte-Ballaklava	6⅞	7½
Calumet & Arizona	50⅛	50½
Cactus Development	22c	26c
Copper Queen	15c	22c
Cordova, pt. pd.	.....	50c
Cordova, fl. pd.	.....	75c
Denn-Arizona	.....	3 15-16
Duluth & Moctezuma	.....	2
Giroux Sonsolidated	6¾	6⅞
Greene-Cananea	7	7¼
Keweenaw	3	3¼
Live Oak Dev	23	24
North Butte	29⅛	29½
Ojibway	6	6¾
Red Warrior	1⅛	.....
Savanna, pt. pd.	.....	1½
Savanna, fl. pd.	.....	4½
Shattuck-Arizona	.....	24¾
Superior & Pittsburg	13⅝	13⅞
Warren Development	.....	1¾
Warrior Development	.....	5½
Unlisted Stocks—		
Amazon Montana	1⅜	1⅞
Butte & Ely	75c	85c
Butte & Superior	7½	7⅝
Butte & Superior, old	75c	78c
Calumet & Montana	75c	.....
Calumet & Corbin	17c	22c
Calumet & Sonora	8½	9
Carman Consolidated	.....	80c
Chief Consolidated	1¼	1⅝
Cliff	1⅝	1⅞
Duluth Toroda	.....	70c
Elenita Development	.....	5
Keating Gold	88c	.....
Lake Sup. & Sonora	.....	25c
Mowitza	.....	60c
North American	2 5-16	.....
Rawhide Royal	.....	2c
Summit	.....	62c
San Antonio	.....	5
St. Mary	.....	18c
Sierra	1½	1⅞
Tuolumne	4⅝	4⅞
Vermilion Steel & Iron	2¼	3

Total number shares 7,325.

OBITUARY

Leonard C. Blaisdell, who spent more than thirty-five years and hundreds of thousands of dollars in attempting to force the Federal government to pay the famous Durkee claims, died at the Soldiers' home in Danville, Ill., Dec. 12. He died penniless and alone.

The case had its inception in 1874, when Charles Durkee, governor of Utah and an uncle of Blaisdell's wife, died in Salt Lake City. His estate was left in a tangle. Included in the assets were bonds valued at many millions, owned by Durkee, Leland C. Stanford and Collis P. Huntington. As Mrs. Blaisdell was the only heir to the estate, Blaisdell took charge of the matter. He found the bonds had been issued on account of the building of the Union Pacific railroad. He maintained there was no record at Washington that the bonds had been paid for. Officials of the Union Pacific company asserted otherwise.

Blaisdell not only impoverished himself, but many of his relatives and friends.

Mrs. Hanna J. Jack, aunt of Mrs. William H. Taft and sister of Judge John W. Herron of Cincinnati, died in Decatur, Ill., Dec. 13, of pneumonia. She was 89 years old.

Family Has Close Call.

Linton, N. D., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—Awakened by the heat and smoke of a fire in the lower part of their home, the family of Chris George near here had a narrow escape from death. All slept on the second floor, and the three children were rescued with greatest difficulty through the upper windows, being helped out by their father and taken in charge by the mother when they reached the ground.

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Men who were down and out, or received low salaries, since cured by us have been promoted, and are able to hold steady jobs. SUCCESS HAS FOLLOWED health. Many of our former young men patients have gotten married after having been made strong, healthy and well by us. HAPPINESS HAS FOLLOWED HEALTH.

We do not publish names, but of the hundreds of patients, whome we have cured, a goodly number have from pure gratitude, asked us to refer to them any man in doubt. Se we give a few cases as illustrations and references. Case 241—Mr. W., manager wholesale house, Duluth; cured after several doctors here and in St. Paul had failed. Case No. 362—Mr. C., attorney; cured of fistula after two operations by Duluth and Superior doctors had proven failures. Shortly after our cure, he married. Case No. 364—Mr. F. Cook, cured after he had spent $600 with various Duluth doctors. He also soon after got married and has brought at least twenty-five patients to our office in thankfulness. Case No. 506—Rev. Father K. Michigan, was cured of lumbago, and says our methods surpass those of specialists of Chicago and Milwaukee whose treatments he had taken. Case No. 603—Mr. S., brakeman, after doctors of Duluth and Superior had failed. Case No. 607—Mr. H., stenographer and shorthand writer, city, cured after three home doctors had failed, the last of them advising an operation. This cure took but little time. He holds a much better position since the cure. Further has sent two brothers to us. Case No. 824—Mr. K., meat cutter, cured after several doctors had failed, of chronic ulceration of both legs. These cases are but a few of the thousands we have cured. We are busy, our offices are crowded. We succeed and make others to succeed and live happily. Do not go to fakirs, who are either self-styled doctors, hire a doctor to protect them, or hide under spurious firm names. They are sharpers after your money and cure no one.

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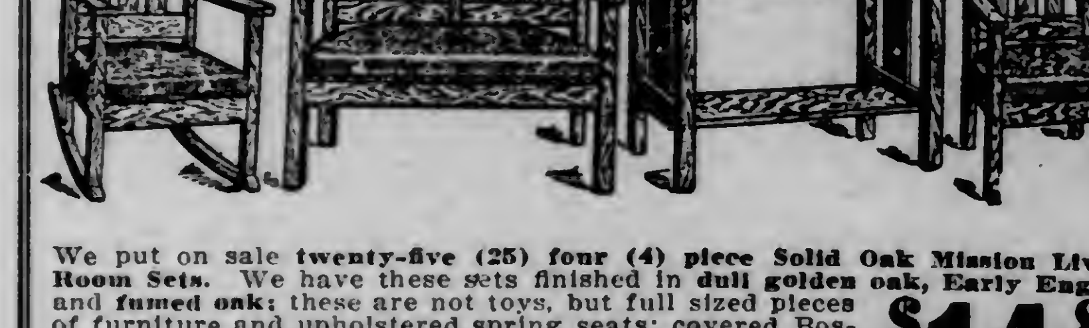

We put on sale **twenty-five (25) four (4) piece Solid Oak Mission Living Room Sets.** We have these sets finished in **dull golden oak, Early English** and **fumed oak;** these are not toys, but full sized pieces of furniture and upholstered spring seats; covered Boston leather; the settee has shaped back and measures 43 inches long; these sets if sold by others in the regular way would cost from $28.50 to $32.50 per set; our special sale price, only (for four pieces).................. **$14.85**

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We have investigated and tested all known methods for the treatment and cure of diseases and weaknesses of men, which gives us the right to judge between the false and the true—between shallow pretension and solid worth—between substance and shadow. Musty and ancient theories and methods cannot stand out against our advanced modes of treatment, against progressive medical science and undisputed evidence of hundreds and hundreds of cases cured. All that expert skill, vast experience and scientific attainment can accomplish are now being done for those who apply to us for the help they need.

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All our professional dealings with our patients are treated as sacredly confidential between ourselves. We do not publish testimonial letters, photographs or prices, thereby disclosing your secrets to the world. Men can repose confidence in us and our treatment and be restored to a healthful condition without receiving undesirable publicity. It has required years of conscientious study and experience to establish such a reputation. We have been for over 20 years in Duluth, have spent $10,000 for the scientific equipment of our office. We believe in fair dealings and honest methods, which together with our experience, skill and ability, are the only qualifications and conditions that can really GUARANTEE a cure. We cure by the latest and best methods, **Bronchitis, Catarrh, Diseases of the Stomach, Rheumatism, Nervous Diseases, Lost Vitality, Obstructions, Varicose Veins, Blood Poison, Eczema, Pimples, Skin Diseases, Piles, Rupture, Kidney and Bladder Diseases,** and all **Lingering** and **Special Diseases of Men** and their complications in the **Shortest Possible Time,** and at the lowest cost for **Skillful Service** and **Successful Treatment.**

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$5,250—New house, eight rooms and bath, concrete foundation—hot water heat, hardwood finish down, white enamel up, hardwood floors throughout. Lot 35x100 feet, on Sixteenth avenue east. (5670)

$5,800—Brick and stucco house, with concrete foundation, hot water heat, seven rooms and bath—extra fine electric light fixtures—hardwood floors throughout—fine 50-foot lot on upper side of street, two blocks from car line, at Lakeside. Easy terms. (5648)

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DAMAGES FOR THE PLAINTIFF

A jury in the district court this morning returned a verdict of $1,433 in favor of August Lindy and against the Duluth & Iron Range Railroad company for damages done Lnndys property during a fire which took place last fall near the Knox location.

Lindy claimed that the railroad company was negligent in that combustible matter was allowed to accumulate around the tracks. It was claimed that sparks set fire to this matter which spread to dry hay and finally destroyed a boarding house owned by Lindy.

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NEWS AND VIEWS OF LEGISLATORS AND POLITICIANS

Republican Progressives Variously Esteemed By Newspaper Editors—Sidney Anderson's Editorial Dinner Productive of an Unusual Enterprise—St. Cloud Politicians in a Merry Mix—Senator Barker Dies Suddenly.

Progressives Have Been Rebuked.

The Progressive Republican league of Minnesota might as well quit. The Eveleth Star doesn't approve of it, mostly because Knute Nelson is not a member of it, apparently. It probably is not true that the Star is trying to curry favor with Republicans of progressive tendencies, for it speaks of them in terms of derisive contempt. "Peewees Seek Power," reads the headline over an article published in the Eveleth paper, and it goes on to tell about "Republicans of small caliber" calling a convention. Then it proceeds to devote most of its attention to Alex G. McKnight, to which procedure Mr. McKnight is not likely to object. He will be more inclined to enjoy it.

The Star says:

> The whole list is about the most unimpressive we have ever seen. Not one person of any importance in any line, or with any standing in the public life of the state, has attached his name to it. The question is whether the small persons interested hope to get the big fellows to follow them. They have given no promise as to orators. They have not said what the progressive convention hopes to do, except to hint that it will "progress" in a general way. Whether it will insurge radically and kick over the political skillet, is entirely a matter for imagination.
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> From Northern Minnesota the name of A. G. McKnight of Duluth is the most prominent. He used to be an alderman in Duluth, and was a candidate for the congressional nomination against Congressman Miller. Beaten to a frazzle by the young lawmaker from Duluth, Alex has his ambition left. Ambition is a queer thing. By its eccentric promptings men who should know better are induced to turn handsprings and flipflops. The banker tries to turn high financier, the saloon man aspires to be preacher, the ox teamster looks longingly toward the professor's chair, the small boy wants to become a pirate and the small lawyer a congressman.
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> That's what's the matter with Mr. McKnight. He sees in the progressive movement a ladder by which he may climb into congress from this district.
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> Men in this state have been accounted good insurgents. There are Clapp and Lindbergh. Their names are not among those on the "progressive" list. There is Knute Nelson, also, who is a reactionary. There doesn't seem to be much of a move to retire him. Do the "progressives" contemplate doing so? They might say something about it at least, and train with somebody who is big enough to try.
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> Maybe they will, but they will have to show the people.

But probably the convention will be held anyway.

The Minnesota Mascot takes a different view, saying:

> The only thing that will save the Republican party is the giving over of its control into the hands of the progressive element. Unless that element gains an ascendancy and shapes the policy of the party, the Republicans, as a party and a national power, are down and out.
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> If the leaders are wise they will accept the condition that confronts them and court instead of spurn the assistance of the "insurgents." The insurgents are the "new blood" of which the old Republican party is so much in need.
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> We believe that this "progressive call" is one of the most significant political moves that has been made for some time in the state of Minnesota. The leadership of the Republican party in this state needs to be rescued from the stream of standpatism, into which it seems to have fallen, before the current carries it and the party over the rapids.
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> The combined "interests" are so dangerously close to having things their own way in this state that it is time the people were becoming alarmed—becoming alert to the condition that confronts them.
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> This progressive convention which it is proposed to hold on the 4th of January next will be just an ideal time and place to sound the warning needed.
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> The "progressive" movement should enlist the aid and sympathies of every Republican who believes in saving his party from the failure and defeat which surely awaits it if it is allowed to remain under the thumb of the Cannons and the Aldriches.

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First District Editors Get Together.

When Sidney A. Anderson called a dinner meeting of the editors of the First congressional district he started something unusual. Of course, it would be idle to assert that it was not his intention to jolly the editors into a satisfactory mood toward him, but aside from that, the dinner at which he was host was productive of one of the most unusual organizations ever launched in Minnesota. It's a forum of forumers. The editors of the district have simply got together to discuss things, with the idea that they will arrange to carry on propaganda for the public good in a systematic way.

It is explained that the "Progressive Newspaper league" is not a political league—simply an editorial organization. The scheme is to work together in presenting arguments relating to public questions, rather than to discuss them at random.

The primary election law is to be the first subject tackled by the federated opinion molders. They feel that the law needs amending and are convinced they are as well qualified to debate the needd changes as are members of the legislature.

The officers of the league are: President, A. W. Blakely of the Rochester Post and Record; vice president, Scott Laird of the Winona Republican-Herald; secretary, J. P. Hurley of the Albert Lea Tribune.

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Post-Campaign Troubles Reset St. Cloud.

It may be no comedy, but it has that aspect from this distance. O. F. Doyle of East St. Cloud was a candidate for the legislature and the East Side Progressive club of that place is suing him for $25, alleging that the candidate promised to come across with that sum and did not. Mr. Doyle replies that he wasn't asked for the money until after the election was over and that it was an attempted hold-up and nothing more.

FORMER SENATOR HAS PASSED AWAY

HENRY F. BARKER
Of Cambridge, Minn.

Not only does Mr. Doyle refuse to replenish the club's coffers, but he says that if the organization bothers him any more he will see to it that the progressives are prosecuted for failing to file their expense account. The club took an active part in the campaign and naturally incurred some indebtedness. If the officials don't quit pestering Doyle, he will retaliate by demanding that they suffer for their sin of omission.

At a meeting of the club a few evenings ago it was determined to make Doyle sweat for that $25 and one of the members was retained as attorney for the club, with instructions to move expeditiously. He was told he might charge as much as $50 for his services. The club members don't want the money; they want satisfaction.

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Senator Barker of Cambridge Dies.

Henry F. Barker, a former member of the state senate, died early yesterday morning at his home in Cambridge, a victim of heart disease. His funeral will be held tomorrow at Cambridge. Senator Barker was in the legislature two terms, serving from 1899 to 1905. He was one of the best known Republican politicians in legislative circles and was an able and industrious representative of his district. Senator Swanson succeeded him.

Mr. Barker was born in 1850 at Naples, Mo., and since 1878 had been a resident of Cambridge. He served in the house in the session of 1883 and then dropped out of legislative activities until he was elected to the senate. He was county attorney of Isanti county in the interval and was a delegate to the Republican national convention in 1900.

Senator Barker is survived by his widow, three daughters and two sons. They are all residents of Cambridge.

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Mesaba Ore: Governor Eberhart made another good selection, in the appointment of Guy Eaton of Duluth as state oil inspector. Mr. Eaton was formerly postmaster at Duluth, and is what may be safely termed a "working Republican," which doesn't, in the least, interfere with his being one of the very best fellows in the world.

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REPORT FIGHTING IN PEDERNALES

Passengers on Train From Mexico Tell of the Battle.

El Paso, Dec. 13.—Passengers arriving this morning on trains from Mexico declare that Chihuahua was full of reports last night as they passed through there and that fighting was going on between rebels and regulars at Pedernales, where skirmishing took place several days ago.

Persons coming from Madera on the Mexican Northwestern road said that as the train passed through Pedernales the fighting could be heard and women and children were crying in the streets.

NO MEETING ON LORIMER'S CASE

Senate Committee May Hear the Report Next Saturday.

Washington, Dec. 13.—No special meeting has been called by Chairman Burrows of the senate committee on privileges and elections to receive the report of the sub-committee on the Lorimer charges. The committee's regular meeting day is Saturday. Whether the sub-committee's report will be brought up then for approval of the full committee had not been determined today.

CENSUS RETURNS OF TWO KANSAS TOWNS.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Population statistics of the thirteenth census were issued today for the following places: Hutchinson, Kan., 16,364; compared with 9,379 in 1900.

Coffeyville, Kan., 12,687, compared with 4,953 in 1900.

Noted Bath Resort Burns.

Aix-la-Chapelle, Germany, Dec. 13.—The well-known Quirinusbad and hotel was burned today. Two waiters employed in the restaurant perished in the flames and five other persons, guests and employes, were seriously injured.

URGED NOT TO SELL CATTLE

Relief Committee Furnishes Fodder to Settlers in Fire Zone.

Duluth Members of Committee Pleased With Conditions on Border.

W. A. McGonagle and H. V. Eva, respectively chairman and secretary of the Baudette-Spooner fire relief committee, returned this morning from Baudette, where they disposed of business relating to the relief work which has accumulated in the last three weeks.

Mr. McGonagle said today that he is very well pleased with the way the work is being carried on at the border. Conditions are satisfactory and no hitch has interrupted the administration of relief measures.

The work that occupied the attention of Messrs. McGonagle and Eva at this time was checking over the accounts and the appeals for help, with which task their time is taken up completely when they go to Baudette.

Settlers in the outlying districts are being given especial attention by the relief committee, and they are being urged not to dispose of their live stock. The committee volunteers to supply the fodder if the settlers will refrain from selling their cattle.

About a score of militiamen remain on the ground doing the tasks necessary for the proper policing of the fire zone.

Forty Years Without Pork.

Dickinson, N. D., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—William B. Palmer, who died at his home near here, was one of North Dakota's oldest men, being 92. Mr. Palmer held an unusual record in the matter of meat eating, not having tasted any pork for over forty years, he being a Seventh Day Adventist. The deceased was one of Wisconsin's pioneers, having located in that state in 1855.

PROPOSED SURGERY BOARD BILL TO MEET OPPOSITION.

Grand Forks, N. D., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.) — Physicians of North Dakota will propose to the legislature a new measure aimed at the control of the practice of medicine to which there will be opposition. Osteopaths are expected to object to the bill, and a renewal of the fight that was made two years ago when the osteopathic board examining bill was passed, is expected.

The bill proposes to create a single medical board for the exsmination of all who desire to practice surgery in any form in the state. The examination that will be given will be particularly on the question of diagnoses.

The board will be appointed by the governor on or before Aug. 1, taking the place of the present board that has been established for several years. Two examinations each year are proposed, in January and July.

On the question of regulations, it is provided that the board shall from time to time adopt such rules and regulations as may be necessary for the performance of its duties, and a schedule of minimum educational requirements, which shall be without prejudice, partiality or discrimination as to schools or systems of practice of medicine.

North Dakota Editor Dies.

Fargo, N. D., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—Alvin Schmidt, editor of the Hillsboro Banner, died in a hospital here Sunday. He had been ill for some months as the result of some arterial affection and had become partially paralyzed. He was one of the best known newspaper men of the state.

Builds Fire Under Bathtub.

Fond du Lac, Wis., Dec. 13.—The act of the innocent 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Abbey, this city, resulted in their fine residence being badly damaged by fire. The little boy built a fire under a bath tub to warm water in the tub.

Rice Lake Couple Celebrates.

Rice Lake, Wis., Dec. 13.—At the home of William Wille, northwest of this city, eighty guests sat down at a banquet in honor of the sixty-first wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wiesner, Sr. Mr. and Mrs. Wille have six children, forty-two grandchildren and twenty-eight great-grandchildren.

D. H., Dec. 13, 1910.

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Neckwear from 25 cents to $2.50.
Mufflers from 25 cents to $3.50.
Gloves, 50c to $20.
Pajamas and Night Shirts from 50c to $7.50.
Shirts for dress, business, pleasure or work, 50c to $5.
Underwear, 25 cents to $15.
Mackinaws, $3.50 to $8.
Collars, 15c to 25c.
Garters, 25c to 50c.
Suspenders, 25c to $2.
Handkerchiefs from 15 cents to $1.50.
Hosiery, 15c to $2.50.
Fur Caps, $2.50 to $20.
Canes, 50c to $10.
Slippers, $1 to $3.50.
Smoking Jackets, $5 to $15.
Bath Robes, $4 to $15.
Fancy Vests, $1 to $8.
Shopping Bags, $3.50 to $25.
Traveling Bags, $2.50 to $30.

A popular new holiday department consists of all sorts of useful articles put up in leather cases.

Among these are:
Jewelry Cases, 50c to $6.
Medicine Cases, $1 to $5.
Drinking Cups, $1 to $1.75.
Sets of Brushes, $1.75 to $6.
Toilet Sets, $1 to $25.
Manicure Sets, $1 to $6.
Caloric Bottles, $5 to $13.50.
Vaco Bottles, only $1.
Playing Cards, 50c to $5.
Poker Sets, $1 to $18.
Necktie Hangers, 75c to $1.25
Pocketbooks, 50c to $2.50.

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DEFECTIVE PAGE

DULL AND UNCHANGED

Wheat Stays in a Rut and the Market Is Featureless.

Offerings From Country More Liberal—Flaxseed Is Higher.

Duluth Board of Trade, Dec. 13.—Wheat closed unchanged after a dull session. The Northwest was the weakest place on the wheat map. Offerings from the interior were slightly more liberal. Weather in Argentina was favorable. December wheat and May wheat were unchanged. Cash wheat was 1½c over December. Durum lost ⅛c; oats, rye and barley were unchanged.

Flaxseed was stronger. A few scattered buying orders and an absence of offers sent prices upward. Crushers were among the buyers and there were two or three shorts in the market. December gained 4½c and May advanced 5c. Cash flax closed 6c under May. The strength in the premium was due to a demand for the seed from an elevator concern and an absence of supplies.

The wheat market was as dead as the proverbial door nail. Even the scalpers were discouraged. Values opened lower when there was a little pressure but the market firmed and then marked time. The situation stuck in a rut and was without interest. Traders waited for definite news and looked about for a loader. No new factors materialized and leadership was lacking.

Bradstreet's wheat decreased 2,157,000 bu. The European visible decreased to 116,480,000 bu from 119,240,000 bu, the decrease for the week being 2,760,000 bu. Last year stores amounted to 78,800,000 bu.

Argentine offerings were liberal but the Liverpool market showed unexpected strength. The continental markets were weaker, however, and buyers backed away from offers. Bids on Manitoba wheat were out of line. Broomhall cabled that weather conditions continue favorable in Russia for the growing crops. Interior reserves of wheat are said to be large and increased arrivals at ports are predicted.

Prices are on a domestic level and the market is deriving much of its strength from the prevailing dullness. Holders think their wheat is worth more and bears are not disposed to press the situation. They have been somewhat nervous on account of the drouth in the winter wheat states, which is more severe than in several years. Rain fell in the last twenty-four hours in the neighborhood of Fort Worth, Texas. Elsewhere it was dry. Whatever crop scares may happen along to boost prices, however, are too remote now for serious consideration.

Cash markets did not show pronounced strength. The flour demand is steady, but is showing no signs of improvement. Shipping directions are improved, but new business is difficult to get. There seems to be plenty of wheat and flour in the country and while cash wheat may be in strong hands, it is not held in such positions as to render logical a disparity in prices in the interior and at seaboard points, export business being out of the question. After the first of the new year, some folk think, cash wheat will rapidly shrink under inroads caused by increased consumption. There are not signs at present, however, of a sudden stimulation to consumption.

People who have hopes of export business later expect a foreign demand for American wheat of good quality for purpose of mixture with inferior Russian, French and Argentine grain. The continued wet weather in France probably will result in heavier importation of wheat by that country. The floods throughout Europe this year have done considerable damage to potatoes as well as wheat. The short potato crop has stimulated importations of wheat. Germany usually produces as many bushels of wheat as France does of wheat. Germany is a heavy consumer of the former staple. Owing to the shortage of potatoes, much of this consumption, it is expected, will be transferred to wheat. The poor quality of the French and Russian wheat is also a stimulant to increased buying from exporting countries.

Cash Sales Tuesday.

No 1 hard, 1 car	$1.03½
No. 1 hard, 2 cars	1.03¼
No. 1 hard, 1 car	1.03⅜
No. 1 northern, 9 cars	1.02⅝
No. 1 northern, 4 cars	1.02½
No. 1 northern, 14 cars	1.02¼
No. 1 northern, 457 bu	1.02⅝
No. 1 northern, 2,000 bu to arrive	1.02¼
No. 2 northern, 1 car	1.00½
No. 2 northern, 1 car	1.00¼
No. 1 northern 1 car	1.00
No. 3 northern, 1 car mixed	.97¼
Flax, 600 bu	2.38
Flax, 877 bu	2.42
Flax, 200 bu	2.40
Flax, 1 car	2.39
Flax, 2 cars	2.40
Flax, 1 car	2.41½
Flax, 1 car	2.41
Flax, 1 car	2.42
No. 1 durum, 1 car	.84⅝
No. 1 durum, 1 car	.84¾
No. 1 durum, 2 cars	.84½
No. 1 durum, 1 car	.85
No. 1 durum, 1 car	.84⅞
No grade durum, 1 car	.82¾
No. 3 durum, 1 car	.81¼
Oats, 1 car No. 4 white	.30½
Barley, 1 car	.74

MARKET GOSSIP

Foreign wheat closed: Liverpool ⅜d lower; corn ½d higher to ⅜d lower. Berlin ¼c higher. Budapest ⅜c lower. Paris ⅜c to 1c lower; flour ⅜c to 1½c lower. Antwerp unchanged.

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Broomhall cabled from Liverpool: The wheat market at the opening was influenced by larger offerings induced by realizing on the Broomhall report of favorable harvesting weather in the Argentine and values were ⅜d to ½d lower. The American cables were considered disappointing in the face of Liverpools sharp advance and mail samples of new Plate wheat show a very fine quality. Advices from Russia continue very favorable and prospects are for a continued liberal movement. Just before midday the market showed a steadier undertone and prices advanced ¼d to ⅜d. There was no special feature given for the advance and it was attributed to an absence of pressure to sell. At mid-day the market was steadier and ¼d to ⅜d up from the opening and ⅛d lower than yesterday.

The corn market at the opening was quiet and unchanged. Later the Plate grade was firmly supported, owing to firmness of offers and the advance of half in this grade of spot.

The American grade was under pressure and declined ⅜d on the decline of ½d in spot and the cheaper American offers.

The European visible this week 116,480,000, last week 119,240,000; showing a decrease of 2,760,000 bu last week there was a decrease of 2,346,000 and last year a decrease of 3,800,000 bu when the total amounted to 78,800,000.

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Omaha receipts of wheat: Today 28 cars, last year 3 cars.

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Bradstreet's wheat: Decrease 2,157,000, last week decrease 4,617,000, last year decrease 5,979,000.

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In two days wheat stores increased 107,000 bu to 2,161,000 bu. Flax stores decreased 2,000 bu to 278,000 bu.

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Duluth car inspection: Wheat—No. 1 hard, 14; No. 1 northern, 54; No. 2 northern, 12; No. 3 northern, 1; western red, 1; winter, 1; mixed, 4; no grade, 1; rejected, 1; durum: No. 1, 13; No. 2, 2; no grade, 1; total durum, 16; total wheat, 105 last year 104; oats, 8; barley, 3; flax, 9, last year 15. Total, 125; on track, 88.

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Car receipts of wheat:	Today.	Last Year.
Duluth	105	104
Minneapolis	250	198
Northwest	355	302
Chicago	58	15
Winnipeg	200	340
St. Louis, bu	50,000	39,000
Kansas City	46	12

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Car receipts of flaxseed:	Today.	Last Year.
Duluth	9	15
Minneapolis	12	12
Winnipeg	3	12
Totals	24	39

AMERICAN WHEAT MARKETS, DEC. 13.

Dec.—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Dec. 12.
Duluth	$......	$......	$......	$1.01n	$1.01a
Chicago	.90¾	.91¼	.90¾-⅞	.91¼b	.91-⅛a
Minneapolis	......	1.00⅝	1.00-⅛	1.00⅜a	1.00½a
New York	......	......	......	......	.96⅝
Winnipeg	......	.89⅞	.89¾	.89⅝-¾b	.90-⅛b
Kansas City	......	......	......	.90¼	.90
St. Louis	.94⅛	.94¼	.94⅛	.94¼	.97⅛
May—					
Duluth	1.05a	1.05	1.04⅝	1.05b	1.05a
Chicago	.95½-⅝	.95¾	.95⅜	.95½-⅝a	.95⅝b
Minneapolis	1.03⅝-⅞	1.03⅝	1.03-⅛	1.03⅜a	1.03⅝b
New York	1.02	1.02⅛	1.01⅞	1.02	1.02
Winnipeg	.94⅜	.94⅜	.94⅛	.94⅛-¼	.94½b
Kansas City	.93½	.93¾	.93½	.93⅝	.93½
St. Louis	.97-⅛	.97⅛	.97-⅛	.97⅛	.97⅛

Southwestern and Winnipeg quotations furnished by B. E. Baker & Co.

DULUTH DURUM MARKET.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Dec. 12.
December	......	......	......	.84½b	.84⅝a
May	.88⅞a	.89	.88½a	.88⅞	.89a

DULUTH FLAX MARKET.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Dec. 12.
December	$2.38	$2.42½b	$2.38b	$2.42½b	$2.38n
May	2.43	2.49	2.43b	2.49a	2.44

Duluth car inspection: Wheat—On track: No. 1 hard, $1.03½; No. 1 northern, $1.02½; No. 2 northern, 99½-1.00½. To arrive: No. 1 northern, $1.01 nominal; No. 2 northern, $1.05 bid; December, $1.01 nominal; May, $1.05 bid. Durum—On track, in store, to arrive: No. 1, 84⅞c; No. 2, 82⅞c; December, 84½c nominal; May, 88⅞c. Flax: On track, to arrive, $2.43; December, $2.42½ bid; May, $2.49 asked. Oats, 32c. Rye, 74-76c. Barley, 73-84c. Feed barley, 60-70c.

Receipts—Wheat, 142,383 bu; last year, 109,410 bu; oats, 13,804 bu; last year, 9,872 bu; rye, 102 bu; last year, 3,387 bu; flax, 12,331 bu; last year, 24,680 bu.

Shipments—Wheat, 27,142 bu; last year, 299,000 bu; oats, 5,000 bu; last year, 5,350 bu; flax, 14,211 bu; last year, 9,281 bu.

THE CHICAGO MARKET.

Wheat Prices Are Eased By News From Abroad.

Chicago, Dec. 13. — Favorable harvesting weather in Argentina eased prices for wheat today. Advices from Russia indicated a liberal movement, and served to emphasize the bearish feeling. Nevertheless, there was not much selling pressure, although the only definite development early in favor of the bulls was a decrease in the European visible supply. Cloudy conditions prevailed in the American Southwest, where lack of moisture has been a source of anxiety, but no heavy rain or snow was shown anywhere in the winter wheat belt. The opening was a shade to ⅛@¼c lower. May started at 95½c to 95½@⅝c, a loss of a shade to ⅛c, and declined to 95⅜c.

Statements that the condition for winter wheat Southwest were the worst in twenty years caused a rally. The close was firm with May at 95½@95⅝c, a net loss of a shade.

Big receipts caused considerable unloading of corn, and weakened the market. May opened unchanged to ⅛c off at 47⅛c to 47¼c and fell to 47c.

Failure of Southern demand caused the market to droop. The close was steady with May at 47c, a net loss of ¼c.

Resting orders to buy proved an effective sustaining influence for oats. May started a shade down at 33⅞c, and rallied to 33⅞@34c.

With the run of hogs enlarging as a result of cold weather, provisions turned downward at the opening. Trade, however, was lively, and initial losses were soon overcome. First sales showed a decline of 2½@5c to 10c with January at $17.70 for pork, $9.80 to $9.85 for lard and $9.40 to $9.45 for ribs.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shpts.
Flour, bbl	18,600	17,100
Wheat, bu	39,600	22,000
Corn, bu	801,200	284,700
Oats, bu	522,000	316,500
Rye, bu	5,000	1,000
Barley, bu	156,300	38,000

Car lot receipts: Wheat 58 cars, with 28 of contract grade; corn 875 cars, with 4 of contract grade; oats 313 cars. Total receipts of wheat at Chicago, Minneapolis and Duluth today were 413 cars, compared with 446 cars last week and 317 cars the corresponding day a year ago.

Cash close: Wheat—No. 2 red, 93@94c; No. 3 red, 91@92c; No. 2 hard, 94@96c; No. 3 hard, 91@94c; No. 1 northern, $1.06@1.07; No. 2 northern, $1.04@1.06; No. 3 northern, $1.02@1.05; No. 2 spring, 94c@$1.04½; No. 3 spring, 93c@$1.04; velvet chaff, 90c@$1.01; durum, 82@93c. Corn—No. 2, 48½@49c; No. 2 white, 49@49½c; No. 2 yellow, 51@51½c; No. 3, 48@48½c; No. 3 new, 43½@44¼c; No. 3 white, 48@48½c; No. 3 white, new, 43@44¼c; No. 3 yellow, 49½⅝50½c; No. 3 yellow, new, 44@45¼c; No. 4, 47@47½c; No. 4, new, 41½@42½c; No. 4 white, 47@47½c; No. 4 white, new, 41⅛@42½c; No. 4 yellow, 47½@48c; No. 4 yellow, new, 42@42¾c. Oats—No. 2, 31@32c; No. 2 white, 32¾@33¼c; No. 3 white, 32@32¼c; No. 4 white, 31½@32c; standard, 32¼@32¾c. Rye—Cash, 81½c. Barley—Cash, 60@88c. Timothy — Cash, $8.00@9.75; March, $10.25. Clover—Cash, $10.00@14.25; March, $15.00.

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Dec	.90⅞	.91¼	.90¾-⅞	.91¼
May	.95½-⅝	.95¾	.95⅜	.95½-⅝
July	.92⅞-93	.93⅛	.92⅞	.93
Corn—				
Dec	.45¼-⅜	.45⅜	.45	.45
May	.47⅛-¼	.47¼	.46⅞	.47
July	.47⅞-48	.48	.47⅝	.47⅝-¾
Oats—				
Dec	.31¼	.31½	.31⅛-¼	.31⅜-½
May	.33⅞	.34-⅛	.33⅞	.34-⅛
July	.33⅞	.33⅞	.33¾	.33⅞
Mess Pork, per bbl—				
Jan	18.65	18.90	18.65	18.87½
May	17.70	17.97½	17.70	17.87½-90
Lard, per 100 lb—				
Jan	10.00	10.17½	10.10	10.15
May	9.80-85	9.97½	9.80	9.92½
Short Ribs, per 100 lb—				
Jan	9.75	9.90	9.75	9.87½
May	9.40-45	9.55	9.40	9.55

Liverpool Grain.

Liverpool, Dec. 13.—Closing: Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 1⅛d; futures quiet; December, 6s 9¾d; March, 6s 11⅜d; May, 6s 11⅞d. Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed, 5s 3½d; futures dull; January, 4s 5½d; February, 4s 3½d.

THE MINNEAPOLIS MARKET.

Wheat Trade Is Dull and Featureless All the Session.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 13.—The wheat market today was dull and featureless. Trading was slight and fluctuations were in narrow range. There was a difference of only ½@⅝c between the high and low of May, the most active contract. In Chicago there was a difference of only ⅜c in the same month. December closed ⅛c lower than yesterday; May ¼c lower; July ¼c lower. Local elevator stocks of wheat increased 280,000 bushels for three days. Minneapolis today received 250 cars of wheat against 198 a year ago; Duluth, 105 against 104, and Winnipeg 200 against 307. December opened $1.00⅛, high $1.00⅝, low $1.00⅛, closed $1.00⅜. May opened $1.03⅝@1.03¾, high $1.03⅝, low $1.03@1.03⅛, closed $1.03⅝. July opened $1.04¼ high $1.04⅜, low $1.04, close $1.04¼.

Cash wheat held about steady today. Demand good at steady premiums. Choice milling grades received best inquiry. Mills and elevators both buyers. No. 1 northern sold for 1@1½c below May. Closing cash prices: No. 1 hard, $1.03⅛; No. 1 northern, $1.01⅝@1.02⅝; to arrive, $1.01⅝@1.02⅜; No. 2 northern, 98⅝c@$1.01⅛; to arrive, 98⅝c@$1.00⅞; No. 3 wheat, 97⅝@99⅛c; No. 3 yellow corn, 41½@42c; No. 3 white oats, 30@30½c; No. 2 rye, 76@77½c.

Millstuffs—Shipments, 2,075 tons; prices advanced today under continued strong demand. Shipments fairly heavy. Bran in 100-pound sacks, $21.00@21.50.

Flour—The market held about steady again today. Demand continued only fair, new orders being mostly for small lots of special brands. Shipping directions slow. Millers anticipate better business after the holidays. prices unchanged. Shipments, 63,955 bbl. First patents, $4.75@5.25; second patents, $4.65@5.15; first clears, $3.20@3.55; second clears, $2.15@2.75.

Flax—Receipts, 12 cars, year ago 15; shipments, 1. Demand strong for both spot and to arrive at 1c over the Duluth December contract. Closing, $2.43½.

Barley—Receipts, 83 cars, year ago 26; shipments, 45. Demand fair for all grades of barley. Offerings liberal at prices unchanged to 1c lower. Closing range, 65@81c.

New York Grain.

New York, Dec. 13.—Close: Wheat—December, 96⅝c; May, $1.02; July, $1.00. Corn—December, 54c; May, 55¼c.

THE COPPER STOCKS.

The following are the closing quotations of copper stocks at Boston today, reported by Paine, Webber & Co., 316 West Superior street:

STOCKS—	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Copper	62¾	63
Anaconda	8	8½
Adventure	6½	7
Ahmeek	170	180
Allouez	38	40
American Telephone	141½	141¾
American Zinc	26¼	26¾
Atlantic	......	6½
Arcadian	3½	4
Arizona Commercial	14⅜	14⅝
Butte & Ballaklava	6⅜	6⅞
Boston Corbin	13	13⅝
Black Mountain	7c	12c
Butte Coalition	18⅜	19
Calumet & Arizona	49½	50½
Calumet & Hecla	544	550
Centennial	15	16
Copper Range	67	68
Daly West	1 7-16	1½
Davis Daly	3½	3⅞
East Butte	12⅜	12½
Franklin	9½	9¾
First National	1¾	1⅞
Giroux	6¾	6⅞
Granby	40½	41¼
Greene-Cananea	7	7¼
Hancock Cons.	21½	22
Helvetia	1¾	2
Indiana	12	12⅛
Isle Royale	17¾	18
Keweenaw	3¼	......
Lake Copper	32⅞	33
La Salle	7	7½
Mass. Cons.	7¼	8
Mass. Gas	88	88¼
Miami Copper	19⅝	19¾
Michigan	3½	4
Mohawk	45½	46
Nevada Cons.	18¼	18½
Nevada Utah	92	94
North Lake	6½	6¾
Nipissing	10⅝	10⅞
North Butte	29	29½
Ojibway	6	7
Old Dominion	37½	......
Osceola	125	130
Parrot	12½	12¾
Pneu. Ser.	4	5
Quincy	71	72
Ray Cons.	19⅛	19⅜
Shannon	11¾	12
Shoe Mich.	55	56
Superior Boston	5¾	5⅞
Superior Copper	42¾	43½
Superior & Pittsburg	13¾	14
Tamarack	......	58
Trinity	4½	5
United Fruit	193	195
U. S. Mng.	35	35¼
U. S. Mng. pfd.	46⅛	46½
U. S. Oil	32	32½
Utah Apex	2⅛	2½
Utah Cons	12¾	13
Utah Copper	46	46¼
Victoria	2	2½
Winona	18¾	19¼
Wolverine	114	117
Wyandot	1½	2
Yukon Gold	3 13-16	4
Bohemia	3½	4
Begole	1½	2½
Boston Ely	1	1 1-16
Cactus	22	24
Chemung	7¼	8
Cliff	1½	1 9-16
Chief Consolidated	1½	1 9-16
Chino	21¾	21⅞
Corbin Copper	4¼	4⅜
Cortez	1⅞	2⅛
Goldfield Consolidated	8⅝	8¾
Inspiration	9 3-16	9 5-16
La Rose	4 9-16	4 11-16
Live Oak	23	24
New Baltic	6	7
Ohio Copper	1½	1⅝
Oneco	2	2⅛
Ray Central	2	2⅛
Shattuck	24	24½
South Lake	7½	7¾
Tono Nevada	8¼	8⅜
Yuma	20c	25c

DULLNESS IN STOCKS

Trading Throughout the Session Is Lightest for Some Time.

Losses Recovered in Numerous Cases, But Not Well Held.

New York, Dec. 13.—Price changes were unimportant and business in light volume at the opening of today's stock market. With the exception of Lehigh Valley, which showed a decline of ⅝, the list sold off in minor fractions with an irregular undertone.

The sluggishness of the market was relieved by a brief selling movement which forced United States Steel down to 72 and also other leaders a good fraction below yesterday's closing. New York Central gave way 1¼. Slight fractional recoveries threw the market into dullness again.

A majority of issues sold under yesterday's low prices with some recovery before noon. The session as a whole was the dullest in some time and many of the semi-active issues had not been quoted up to noon. Out of a total of 116,000 shares, which changed hands in the first hour, 74,000 consisted of United States Steel, Reading and Union Pacific in the order named

Trading in the second hour was even lighter. Reports of another copper curtailment agreement were without effect on these issues. Bonds were steady.

The market closed dull and irregular. In the last hour prices hardened generally and recovered to yesterday's closing level in numerous cases. The improvement was none too well maintained, however.

Duluth Securities.

SECURITIES—	Bid.	Asked
First National Bank	400	....
American Exchange National Bank	325	....
City National Bank	130	....
Northern National Bank	120	....
St. Louis County State Bank	105	....
Western State Bank	140	....
Duluth-Superior Traction Co.	60	70
do pfd	65	72
Duluth Street Railway, 1st g. 5s 30 M & N. A	96	100
Duluth Edison Electric, 1st g. s. f. 5s March, 1931, op. M. & S. A	98	100
Great Northern Power Co. bonds	80	....
American Carbolite, par $1	2.85	3.25
Zenith Furnace Co.	85	1.00

New York stock quotations furnished The Herald by Piper, Johnson & Case, Alworth building.

STOCKS—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amalgamated	63⅝	63⅝	62½	63
American Sugar	114¾			114¾
American Smelters	74¼	74¼	73⅛	74⅛
Anaconda	39¼			39¼
Atchison	100	100⅛	99⅞	100⅛
Baltimore & Ohio	106			106
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	73⅝	73⅝	73⅜	73⅜
Chesapeake & Ohio	79¼	79⅜	79¼	79⅜
Chicago Northwestern	141	141½	141	141
C., M. & St. Paul	122⅛			
Colorado Fuel & Iron	31¾	31¾	31	31
Canadian Pacific	191⅞	192¼	191⅞	192¼
Distillers	32			32
Erie	27¼			27¼
Great Northern	122½	123	122½	123
Great Northern Ore	56			56
Lehigh	180	180	179⅛	179⅜
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	31¼	31¼	31	31
Missouri Pacific	45	45	44⅝	45
National Lead	52			52
New York Central	111¼	111⅜	111⅛	111¼
Northern Pacific	114¼	115¼	114¼	115¼
Pennsylvania	128⅜	128⅝	128⅜	128⅜
Peoples Gas	105	105	104⅛	104⅛
Republic Steel & Iron	31			31
Rock Island	29⅜	29⅜	29¼	29⅜
Reading	147	147⅛	146⅛	146⅞
Soo Line	128⅛			128⅛
Southern Pacific	112½	113	111⅞	112⅝
Tennessee Copper	34⅜	34⅜	34⅛	34⅜
Union Pacific	168¼	168⅜	167¼	168⅜
Utah Copper	45⅞	46	45⅝	46
U. S. Steel	72⅜	72⅜	71⅞	72¼
do pfd	116⅜	116½	116⅜	116⅜
Wabash pfd	33			33

New York Money.

New York, Dec. 13.—Money on call steady, 3@3½ per cent; ruling rate, 3½ per cent; closing bid, 3 per cent; offered, 3⅝ per cent. Time loans dull; sixty days and ninety days, 4 per cent; six months, 4 per cent. Close: Prime mercantile paper, 5 to 5½ per cent; sterling exchange steady at decline with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.81.80@4.82 for 60-day bills and at $4.85.10 for demand. Commercial bills, $4.81⅜@4.81¾. Bar silver, 54⅝c; Mexican dollars, 46c. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds steady.

Chicago Livestock.

Chicago, Dec. 13.—Cattle—Receipts estimated at 14,000; market 25c lower than last week's close; beeves, $4.35@7.10; Texas steers, $3.90@5.15; western steers, $3.90@5.90; stockers and feeders, $3.25@5.50; cows and heifers, $2.25@5.90; calves, $7.00@9.00. Hogs—Receipts estimated at 38,000; market generally 20c lower than yesterday's average; light, $7.40@7.75; mixed, $7.40@7.80; heavy, $7.40@7.75; rough, $7.40@7.55; good to choice heavy, $7.55@7.75; pigs, $6.80@7.65; bulk of sales, $7.60@7.75. Sheep—Receipts estimated at 30,000; market 10@15c lower; native, $2.40@4.25; western, $2.50@4.30; yearlings, $4.40@5.75; lambs, native, $4.25@6.50; western, $4.75@6.40.

Cotton Market.

New York, Dec. 13.—The cotton market opened steady and generally unchanged to 3 points higher in sympathy with steady Liverpool cables, but soon turned easier, under commission house realizing in the absence of bull support, and during the middle of the morning ruled about 3 to 7 points net lower. Spot interests bought January but sold May, taking no active part in the market, however, much of the scattered selling was attributed to the taking of profits.

Spot closed quiet; middling uplands, 15.05; middling gulf, 15.30; sales, 3,500 bales. Futures closed barely steady: December, 14.64; January, 14.76; February, 14.87; March, 15.05; April, 15.12; May, 15.25; June, 15.23; July, 15.23; August, 14.87; October, 13.56.

South St. Paul Livestock.

South St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 13.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,600; market, 25c lower; steers, $4.00@5.50; cows and heifers, $2.50@4.50; calves, $3.00@7.00; stockers and feeders, $2.75@4.75. Hogs—Receipts, 8,800; 25@50c lower; range, $7.35@7.50; bulk, $7.40@7.45. Sheep—Receipts, 1,500; market 10@25c lower; sheep, $2.00@4.75; lambs, $3.00@5.85.

THE PRODUCE MARKETS.

CALIFORNIA ORANGES—	
Extra fancy navels, 120's to 250's, box	$3.25
Extra fancy navels, 80's to 90's, box	3.00
Pomegranates, half box	1.75
FLORIDA GRAPEFRUIT—	
54's and 64's, box	4.75
80's and 96's, box	4.50
CALIFORNIA LEMONS—	
Extra fancy, box, 300's and 360's	5.50
Imported limes, box	1.25
FRUITS—	
California grapes, crate	2.00
California pears, box	3.50
Malaga grapes, keg	5.00
Cuban pineapples, crate	5.00
Cuban pineapples, doz	2.00
APPLES—	
Illinois Ben Davis, bbl	4.50
New York Baldwins, bbl	4.50
New York Nonesuch, bbl	5.00
New York Kings, bbl	5.25
Jonathans, box	2.10
Roman Beauties, box	2.25
Newton Pippins, box	2.10
Wine Saps, box	2.25
Baldwins and Greenings, box	2.10
Wagners, box	2.10
Ben Davis, box	1.50
Ben Davis, fancy, box	1.75
Wealthys, box	1.50
Kentish fall baskets, box	1.75
TOMATOES—	
California, crate	1.90
California, basket	.50
CRANBERRIES—	
Cape Cod, bu crate	2.75
Jersey Jumbo, bbl	9.50
CIDER—	
New York, keg	3.50
New York, bbl	6.00
New York, 50-gal cask, per gal	.22
FRUIT JUICES—	
Orange, keg	3.50
Raspberry, keg	3.50
Cherry, keg	3.50
Grape, keg	3.50
Cider, keg	3.50
BANANAS—	
Bananas, per lb	.04
BUTTER—	
Fancy, creamery, per lb	.31
Dairy, per lb	.26
Packing, per lb	.20
CHEESE—	
Fancy full cream, twins, per lb	.17
Block Swiss, per lb, No. 1	.19
Primost cheese, per lb	.12
Wheel Swiss, per lb	.19
EGGS—	
Eggs, per doz	.27
PEANUTS—	
Fancy, raw, per lb, by the sack	.07
Fancy, roasted, sacks, per lb	.07½
Fancy, roasted, less than sacks	.08
Salted peanuts, 30-lb pails	3.75
Salted peanuts, 10-lb sacks	1.35
Fancy Jumbos, roasted, per lb	.10
MAPLE SYRUP—	
Vermont, per gal	1.75
MAPLE SUGAR—	
Iowa, assorted pkgs., 30-lb box, per lb	.10
POP CORN—	
Snowball pop corn, 40-pkg box	2.25
Pop corn, on the cob	.03
Pop corn, shelled	.04
HONEY—	
Colorado white clover, per case, 24's	4.00
CABBAGE—	
Home grown cabbage, per ton	20.00
Home grown cabbage, per crate, large	1.50
Holland cabbage, fresh and fine, per cwt	1.20
POTATOES—	
Potatoes, per bu	.58@ .60
Jersey sweets, per bu	4.75
ONIONS—	
Onions, red, 100-lb sack	2.00
White pickling, box	1.50
Yellow, 100 lb	2.00
Spanish onions, per crate	1.50
NUTS—	
Walnuts, New California, 110-lb sack, per lb	.17
Filberts, Sicily, per lb	.14
Brazils, extra large, per lb	.12
Pecans, extra fancy polished, per lb	.15
Almonds, Taragania, per lb	.17
Mixed nuts, 100-lb and 50-lb boxes, lb, new	.12
Cocoanuts, per doz	.70
New hickory nuts, large or small, per lb	.09
Pecans, halves, shelled, extra fancy, 5-lb cartons, per lb	.50
Walnuts, shelled, extra fancy, 5-lb cartons, lb	.40
Almonds, shelled, extra fancy, 5-lb cartons, lb	.42
DATES AND FIGS—	
Hallowi dates, 70-lb boxes, new	5.00
Hallowi dates, 30 packages, per box	2.40
Fard dates, 12-lb boxes, new	1.35
Sugar walnut dates, 9-lb boxes	1.25
New California figs, 12-pkg box, per box	.90
New Smyrna figs, 5-crown, 12-lb box, per box	1.25
New Smyrna figs, 7-crown, 35-lb box, per box	4.25
FRESH VEGETABLES—	
Lettuce, leaf, per bu box	1.00
Lettuce, head, Boston, extra fancy, bu	2.50
Onions, green, per doz	.75
Onions, green, shallots, large bunches, doz	.75
Parsely, home grown, per doz	.35
Garlic, new, Italian, per lb	.15
Cauliflower, California, per crate	2.75
Spinach, home grown, per bu	1.00
Round radishes, hothouse, large bunches, doz	.80
Hothouse cucumbers, per doz (scarce)	2.40
Tomatoes, California, ripe, fancy, per crate	1.90
Green peppers, hothouse, per basket	.50
Celery, Milwaukee, small bunches, per doz	.30
Celery, Milwaukee, per case of 12 dozen	3.50
Celery, California, in crates of 6 to 7 dozen, per crate	4.50
Celery, California, extra Jumbo, per bunch	.75
Hubard squash, per doz	1.75
Endive, New Orleans, per bbl	6.50
ROOTS—	
Table beets, per cwt	1.75
Table bagas, per cwt	1.00
Horse radish root, per bbl	7.00
Horse radish, per lb	.10
Table carrots, per cwt	1.75
Table parsnips, per tub	1.50
MEATS—	
Beef, per lb	.6½@ .09
Mutton, per lb	.08
Pork loins, per lb	.12½@ .13½
Veal, per lb	.9@ .10½
Lambs, per lb	.11
Lard, per lb	.11
DRESSED POULTRY—	
Hens, fancy, fat, per lb	.14½
Hens, small, per lb	.12@ .13
Springs, per lb	.15
Turkeys, per lb	.22
Ducks, per lb	.17@ .18
Geese, per lb	.14
LIVE POULTRY—	
Hens, per lb	.13@ .14
Small hens, per lb	.12
Springs, per lb	.13
Turkeys, per lb	.16½@ .17
Ducks, per lb	.14@ .15
Geese, per lb	.14@ .15
HAY AND STRAW—	
Choice timothy, per ton	$17.50@18.00
No. 1 choice timothy, per ton	16.50@17.00
No. 2 choice timothy, per ton	14.00@15.00
No. 1 mixed timothy, per ton	14.00@15.00
No. 2 mixed timothy, per ton	12.00@13.00
No. 1 upland, per ton	14.00@14.50
No. 2 upland, per ton	12.00@13.00
No. 1 middling, per ton	10.00@12.00
No. 2 middling, per ton	8.00@ 9.00
Rye straw, per ton	6.50@ 7.00
Oat straw, per ton	6.50@ 7.00
HOLIDAY GREENS—	
Wreathing, doz	1.75
Coils, each	1.10

New York.

New York, Dec. 13.—Butter—Market firm; receipts, 8,707; creamery specials, 32c; extras, 30½@31c; third to firsts, 23@29c; held, creamery, second to special, 24½@31c; dairy, common to finest, 23@30c; process, second to special, 23@26c; imitation creamery, firsts, 24@24½c; factory, June make, 23@24c; same, current make, 22@23c. Cheese—Market firm and unchanged; receipts, 2,387; state, whole milk, September quality, special, 15¾@17¼c; same, fancy colored, 15½c; same, fancy, white, 15½c; same, choice, 14⅝@15¼c; same, October quality, fine, 14@14½c; same, current make, common to fair, 12½@13c; skims, 2@13c. Eggs—Market strong and unchanged; receipts, 11,224; state Pennsylvania and nearby hennery white, fancy, 55c; same, gathered white, 40@55c; same, hennery brown, fancy, 45@48c; same, gathered brown, 42@45c; same, fair to good, 35@40c; western, gathered, white, 35@45c; fresh gathered, extra firsts, 38@40c; same, firsts, 35@37c; same, seconds, 30@34c; refrigerator, special mark, fancy, in local storage, 26c; firsts, 24½@25½c; same, seconds, 23½@24c.

Elgin.

Elgin, Ill., Dec. 13.—Butter—Market firm at 30c; output, 630,000 lb.

Chicago.

Chicago, Dec. 13.—Butter—Market steady; creameries, 23@28c; dairies, 23@27c. Eggs—Market steady; receipts, 2,356 cases; at mark, cases included, 19½@22½c; firsts, 31c; prime firsts, 33c. Cheese—Market steady; daisies, 14¾@15c; twins, 14@14¼c; young Americas, 14½@14¾c; long horns, 14½@15c. Potatoes—Market steady; choice to fancy, 43@45c; fair to good, 38@42c. Poultry—Market firm; turkeys, live, 17c, dressed, 22½c; fowls, live, 11½c, dressed, 12c; springs, live, 10c, dressed, 12c. Veal—Market steady; 50 to 60-lb weights, 9@10c; 60 to 85-lb weights, 11@11½c; 85 to 110-lb weights, 12c.

HIDES, TALLOW AND FURS.

GREEN SALTED HIDES—	No. 1.	No. 2.	
G. S. steer, over 60 lb	$ .11½	$ .10½	
G. S. steers, 25 lb and up and steers under 60 lb	.09½	.08½	
G. S. lon haired kips, 8 to 25 lb	.10	.08½	
G. S. veal kips, 5 to 25 lb	.14	.12½	
G. S. Deacon skins, under 8 lb	.80	.70	
G. S. horsehides	3.50	2.50	
DRY SALTED—			
Dry flint hides, over 15 lb	.18	...	
Dry Minnesota, Dakota, Wisconsin and Iowa hides	.15	.13	
Murrains	.15½	...	
Dry kid	.18	.16	
Dry salted calf, under 5 lb, all sections	.21	.21	
TALLOW AND GREASE—			
Tallow, in cakes	.06¼	.05¼	
Tallow, in bbl	.06	.05	
Grease	.05¼	.03¾	
FURS—	Large.	Medium.	Small.
Skunk, black	$4.50	$3.50	$2.50
Skunk, short stripe	3.00	2.50	2.00
Skunk, long narrow stripe	2.50	2.00	1.50
Skunk, broad stripe and white	1.00	.75	.50
Muskrat, spring	.70@50	....	....
Muskrat, winter	.65@64	....	.41@40
Muskrat, fall	.41@40	....	.25@24
Muskrat, kits	....	.10@08	.25@24
Raccoon	3.10	2.10	1.40
Mink, dark and brown	7.50	5.50	4.00
Mink, pale	6.00	4.00	3.00
Beaver	7.50	6.00	3.25
Cat, wild	5.00	3.75	2.50
Fisher, dark	20.00	15.00	10.00
Fisher, pale	12.00	9.00	7.00
Fox, red	10.00	7.00	5.00
Fox, gray	2.00	1.50	1.00
Lynx	30.00	25.00	12.00
Marten, dark	20.00	15.00	10.00
Marten, dark brown	10.00	7.00	4.50
Marten, light br. and pale	6.00	4.25	3.00
Weasel, white	1.00	.50	.25
Weasel, stained, damaged	.25	.15	.10
Wolf, timber	6.50	4.50	3.00
Wolf, brush, cased	4.00	3.00	2.00
Wolf, open	3.25	2.40	1.60
Wolf, coyote, cased	3.50	2.50	1.95
Bear, blk., br., grizzle	17.50@25	14@20	10@15
Bear, yearlings	12.50@15	9@13	7@10
Bear, cub	7.00@10	4.50@7	2.50@4
Fox, blk. and silver gray	80@450	55@350	25@150
Otter, dark and pale	15@20	10@15	7@13

Badger, civet and house cat, cross and kit fox, mountain lion, opossum and wolverine command market prices. The above prices are for Prime No. 1 skins. Nos. 2, 3 and 4 in proportion. Wisconsin and Mississippi river heavy muskrat, 3@5c higher; kits, 2c higher.

SUPERIOR CUSTOMS DEPUTY AT CAPITAL.

Washington, Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—Thomas B. Mills, deputy collector of customs at Superior, Wis., is in Washington upon business before the treasury department.

Wahpeton, N. D., 20 Below.

Wahpeton, N. D., Dec. 13.— It was 20 below zero here at noon yesterday with a strong wind. The ground is dry and freezing. Deep snow is needed, but there is no sign of any and the ground is entirely bare.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION —OF— ELY-IDAHO GOLD MINING COMPANY.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, the undersigned, do hereby associate ourselves together and agree upon the following Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a corporation under and by virtue of the provisions of Chapter 58 of the Revised Laws of Minnesota for 1905, and the acts amendatory thereof and suplementary thereto:

FIRST.

The name of this corporation shall be Ely-Idaho Gold Mining Company, and the general nature of the business to be carried on by said corporation shall be the mining, milling, smelting, reducing, refining and working of ores and other minerals; the lease, purchase, acquisition and sale of timber, land and mines; the leasing, purchasing, acquiring, selling and development of water power.

The place of the principal office or headquarters of said corporation shall be the City of Ely, in the County of St. Louis and State of Minnesota.

SECOND.

The period of the duration of said corporation shall be thirty years.

THIRD.

The names and places of residence of the persons so associating to form this corporation are as follows, to-wit:

M. E. Gleason, Ely, Minnesota.
Charles Grabowsky, Ely, Minnesota.
W. A. McCurdy, Soudan, Minnesota.

FOURTH.

The management of the corporation shall be vested in a Board of seven Directors, who shall be elected at the annual meeting of Stockholders, and whose term of office shall be for one year and until their successors are elected and shall have qualified. The annual meeting of Stockholders shall be held on the second Tuesday of January in each year. The names and addresses of those who shall compose the Board of Directors until the first election are as follows, to-wit:

M. E. Gleason, Ely, Minnesota.
Charles Grabowsky, Ely, Minnesota.
W. T. James, Ely, Minnesota.
M. J. Murphy, Ely, Minnesota.
W. A. McCurdy, Soudan, Minnesota.
James P. Carey, Virginia, Minnesota.
M. L. Derrig, Grangeville, Idaho.

The Stockholders or the Board of Directors may make By-Laws, and from time to time either the Stockholders or the Board of Directors may alter, amend or repeal any By-Laws made either by the Stockholders or the Board of Directors.

FIFTH.

The amount of the capital stock of this corporation shall be Two Hundred Thousand Dollars ($200,000), which shall be divided into two hundred thousand shares (200,000) of the par value of One Dollar ($1) each, and shall be sold and paid for in cash, services or things of value necessary or beneficial to the business for which this corporation is formed, which in the estimation of the Board of Directors is equivalent in value to the par value of the stock issued therefor.

SIXTH.

The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which this corporation shall be at any time subject is Fifty Thousand Dollars ($50,000).

CHARLES GRABOWSKY. (Seal)
W. A. McCURDY. (Seal)
M. E. GLEASON. (Seal)

In Presence of:
O. W. AKERSON,
J. O. MIKE,
As to McCurdy.
M. T. CANNING,
JAMES W. OSBORNE,
Witnesses as to Grabowsky and Gleason.

State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis —ss.

On this 12th day of November, A. D. 1910, before me, a Notary Public within and for said County and State, personally apeared M. E. Gleason and Charles Grabowsky, to me well known to be the identical persons described in and who executed the above and foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and they duly severally acknowledged to me that they executed the same as their free act and deed.

JAMES W. OSBORNE,
Notary Public.
St. Louis County, Minnesota
(Notarial Seal, St. Louis Co., Minn.)
My commission expires Dec. 24, 1915.

State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis —ss.

On this 10th day of November, A. D. 1910, before me, a Notary Public within and for said county and State, personally appeared W. A. McCurdy, to me well known to be the identical person described in and who executed the above and foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and he duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same as his free act and deed.

O. W. AKERSON,
Notary Public,
St. Louis County, Minnesota.
(Notarial Seal, St. Louis Co., Minn.)
My commission expires Dec. 9, 1911.

State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 10th day of December, A. D. 1910, at 9 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book T-3 of Incorporations, on page 503.

JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State.

OFFICE OF REGISTER OF DEEDS.
State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis —ss.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on Dec. 12, 1910, at 10 A. M., and was duly recorded in Book 14 of Misc., on page 39.

M. C. PALMER,
Register of Deeds.
By THOS. CLARK,
Deputy.

D. H., Dec. 13, 14, 1910.

CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION —OF— McCUE MINING COMPANY.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, the undersigned, hereby associate together for the purpose of forming a corporation under the provisions of Chapter 58 of Revised Laws of Minnesota, 1905, and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and for that purpose do hereby adopt the following certificate of incorporation:

ARTICLE ONE.

The name of this corporation shall be McCUE MINING COMPANY, and the general nature of its business shall be exploring for ores and minerals, developing the same, mining, smelting, reducing and refining ores and minerals, and selling and disposing of the same, and acquiring properties and interests therein by purchase, leases or contracts for said purpose, and doing such other business as may be incident thereto.

The principal place of business of said corporation shall be at the City of Duluth, Minnesota, provided that the Company may have an office and do business in any other State.

ARTICLE TWO.

The time of the commencement of the existence of said corporation shall be the 15th day of December, 1910, and the period of its duration shall be thirty years.

ARTICLE THREE.

The names and places of residence of the persons forming this corporation are as follows:

Edward C. McCue of Duluth, Minnesota;
Walter G. Amundson of Duluth, Minnesota, and
E. C. Kennedy of Duluth, Minnesota.

ARTICLE IV.

The government of this corporation and the management of its affairs shall be vested in a Board of Five Directors, who shall be elected annually on the fourth Monday in January in each year.

The names and places of residence of the persons composing the first Board of Directors, until the first election, are as follows:

Edward C. McCue of Duluth, Minnesota;
Walter G. Amundson of Duluth, Minnesota;
E. C. Kennedy of Duluth, Minnesota;
R. M. White of Duluth, Minnesota, and
H. E. Walbank of Duluth, Minnesota.

The first meeting of which Board may be held at room 510 Sellwood Building, in Duluth, Minnesota, on the 15th day of December, 1910, at 2 o'clock P. M., without further notice, at which time shall be elected the officers of said Corporation.

ARTICLE V.

The amount of capital stock of said corporation shall be Five Hundred Thousand Dollars ($500,000), divided into five hundred thousand (500,000) shares of the par value of One Dollar ($1.00) each, and such stock may be sold for cash or its equivalent in property, or both, as may be authorized by the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE VI.

The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which the corporation shall at any time be subject is Five Hundred Thousand Dollars ($500,000).

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have hereunto set our hands and seals this 9th day of December, A. D. 1910.

EDWARD C. McCUE. (Seal)
WALTER G. AMUNDSON. (Seal)
E. C. KENNEDY. (Seal)

Signed, Sealed and Executed in Presence of:
M. L. WISEMAN.
G. F. ROECKER.

State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis —ss.

On this 9th day of December, A. D. 1910, before me personally appeared Edward C. McCue, Walter G. Amundson and E. C. Kennedy, to me personally known to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and they acknowledged the same as their free act and deed.

MARTHA L. WISEMAN,
Notary Public,
St. Louis County, Minnesota.
(Notarial Seal)
My Commission expires June 6, 1915.

State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 12th day of December, A. D. 1910, at 9 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book T-3 of Incorporations, on page 506.

JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State.

OFFICE OF REGISTER OF DEEDS.
State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis —ss.

'I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record December 13, 1910, at 9:15 A. M., and was duly recorded in Book 14 of Misc., page 41.

M. C. PALMER,
Register of Deeds.
By THOS. CLARK,
Deputy.

D. H., Dec. 13, 14, 1910.

WANTS CONTINUED FROM PAGE 20.

TIMBER LANDS.

TIMBER AND CUT-OVER LANDS bought; mortgage loans made. John Q. A. Crosby, 305 Palladio building.

I buy standing timber; also cut-over lands. Geo. Rupley, 615 Lyceum bldg.

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

SOO LINE MINNEAPOLIS, ST. PAUL AND SAULT STE. MARIE RY.

UNION STATION—Superior St. and Sixth Ave. West.

Leave.		TWIN PORTS EXPRESS.		Arrive.
†7.00 am	*7.00 pm	DULUTH	*9.00 am	†5.30 pm
7.30 am	7.30 pm	Superior	8.30 am	5.00 pm
2.45 pm	10.40 pm	Ladysmith	5.15 am	10.50 am
Arrive 10.30 am		Sault Ste. Marie	5.20 pm Leave.	
†5.00 pm	11.45 pm	Owens	4.00 am	†7.55 am
For Eau Claire and Chippewa Falls	3.49 am	Oshkosh	12.01 am	From Eau Claire and Chippewa Falls
	7.15 am	Milwaukee	8.50 pm	
	*9.00 am	Chicago	*7.00 pm	

Dining Cars, Palace Sleepers and Library Observation Cars. Vestibuled — Vacuum Cleaned — Electric Lighted.

Leave.		BROOTEN EXPRESS		Arrive.
	†5.45 am	Duluth	†9.00 pm	
†7.00 am	6.15 am	Superior	8.30 pm	†5.00 pm
10.00 am	8.22 am	Moose Lake	6.20 pm	†12.35 pm
3.10 pm	10.20 am	Wahkon	4.42 pm	7.26 am
†4.00 pm	10.50 am	Onamia	4.25 pm	†6.45 am
	†1.20 pm	Brooten	†1.45 pm	

Connections at Brooten for Twin Cities, Western Canada and the Pacific Coast.

Leave.	DULUTH-WINNIPEG LINE.	Arrive.
† 9.30 am	Duluth	† 6.00 pm
10.05 am	Superior	5.25 pm
11.25 am	Moose Lake	4.05 pm
4.00 pm	Cass Lake	11.30 am
4.37 pm	Bemidji	10.53 am
7.30 pm	Thief River Falls	8.00 am

Connections at Thief River Falls for Winnipeg.

Leave.	CUYUNA RANGE LINE.	Arrive.
† 7.20 am	Duluth	† 6.40 pm
7.55 am	Superior	6.05 pm
9.50 am	Lawler	4.10 pm
10.02 am	East Lake	3.58 pm
10.24 am	Darina	3.35 pm
10.35 am	Roseberg	3.25 pm
10.48 am	Aitkin	3.12 pm
11.45 am	Iron Hub	2.55 pm
Arrive. 11.15 am	DEERWOOD	2.40 pm Leave.
†11.57 am	Cuyuna	† 2.08 pm
12.05 pm	Crosby	2.00 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.

DULUTH, MISSABE & NORTHERN RAILWAY.

Office: 426 West Superior St. Phone, 969.

Leave.		Arrive.
*7.40 am	Hibbing, Chisholm, Virginia, Eveleth, Coleraine, Sharon (Buhl), †Mount'n Iron, †Sparta, †Biwabik	*3.21 pm
*3.50 pm	Hibbing, Chisholm, Sharon (Buhl), Virginia, Eveleth, Coleraine.	*10.31 am
*7.10 pm	Virginia, Cook, Ranier, Fort Frances, Port Arthur, Baudette, Warroad, Winnipeg	*8.31 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.

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*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.

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NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD.

Leave.		Arrive.
*4.00 pm	Ashland and East	*11.15 am
*8.00 am	Ashland and East	*6.40 pm
*7.30 pm	Minn. and Dakota Express	*8.15 am
*8.05 am	North Coast Limited	*6.25 pm
Leave.	"Duluth Short Line"	Arrive.
†9.00 am		*6.30 am
*1.55 pm	ST. PAUL	†2.05 pm
*11.10 pm	MINNEAPOLIS	*7.00 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. 'Phone 214. Union Depot at 334 West Superior street.

NORTH-WESTERN LINE C. ST. P. M. & O. RY.

Lv*3.30pm	*6.15pm	Duluth	Ar*8.25am	*12.59pm
Lv*3.50pm	6.35pm	Superior	Ar 7.53am	12.25pm
Ar	7.45am	Milwaukee	Lv 7.45pm	
Ar 7.00am	8.15am	Chicago	Lv 6.25pm	10.10pm
Lv†8.50am	*4.35pm	Duluth	Ar†3.35pm	*9.55pm
Lv 9.10am	4.55pm	Superior	Ar 3.05pm	9.35pm
Ar 4.30pm	9.50pm	St. Paul	Lv 8.10am	4.30pm
Ar 3.05pm	10.25pm	Minneapolis	Lv 7.30am	4.00pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.
Office, 302 West Superior St., Duluth.

Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic.

No. 6.	No. 8.		No. 7.	No. 5.
†7.45 am	*5.00 pm Lv	Duluth	Ar *10.30 am	†4.55 pm
†8.05 am	*5.15 pm	Superior	*10.15 am	†4.35 pm
†7.55 pm	*5.40 am Ar	Houghton	Lv *11.05 pm	
†8.55 pm	*6.30 am	Calumet	*10.15 pm	
†7.05 pm	*3.50 am	Ishpeming	*12.20 pm	†6.20 am
†7.45 pm	*4.30 am	Marquette	*11.30 pm	†5.15 am
	*10.15 am	Sault Ste. Marie	*5.30 pm	
	*8.00 am	Montreal	*9.50 pm	
	*8.15 am	Boston	*10.00 pm	
†8.50 am	*7.10 pm Lv	Montreal	Ar *7.30 am	†10.15 pm
†8.00 pm	*7.18 am Ar	New York	*7.00 pm	†6.45 am

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. Twin City sleepers, Trains Nos. 7 and 8.

THE GREAT NORTHERN.

Leave.	STATIONS.	Arrive.
†6.00 am *3.25 pm *11.10 pm	ST. PAUL and MINNEAPOLIS	†10.15 pm *1.55 pm *6.30 am
*8.45 am *8.55 pm	Crookston, Grand Forks, Montana and Coast	*6.35 pm *7.15 am
†2.20 pm	Swan River, Hibbing, Virginia	†12.30 pm
†6.00 am	St. Cloud, Willmar, Sioux City	†10.15 pm

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SITUATION WANTED—BY EXPERIENCED retail grocery salesman; good references. N 339, Herald.

SITUATION WANTED — EXPERIENCED camp clerk wishes position. B. 281, Herald.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN desires position as clerk or inside work. Best references. Herald, U 359.

SITUATION WANTED — A YOUNG man desires a position as clerk on work of some kind. X 325, Herald.

SITUATION WANTED — BY YOUNG man in retail or wholesale house; good references. J 355, Herald.

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SITUATION WANTED — AS OFFICE assistant, by young lady; will start with small salary. Herald, Y 289.

SITUATION WANTED—BY EXPERIENCED woman, work by day; washing and ironing. Call Zenith 1474 X.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG LADY bookkeeper and stenographer would like position in doctor's or dentist's office. R 307, Herald.

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SITUATION WANTED—LADY WISHES work Saturday in exchange for board or board and room. U 341, Herald.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we, the undersigned, do hereby associate ourselves together and agree upon the following articles of incorporation under the provisions of chapter 58 of the Revised Laws of Minnesota for 1905 and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and do hereby adopt the following articles:

1. The name of this corporation shall be "Crosby Iron Company."

2. The general nature of the business shall be exploring for and mining, smelting, reducing, refining, working or manufacturing iron, copper and other minerals, the mining and marketing of any kind of ore or other mineral substance, and the buying, working, selling, leasing and dealing in mineral lands.

Any of said business may be carried on in the state of Minnesota or elsewhere.

The principal place of transacting the business of this corporation shall be in the city of Duluth, Minnesota.

3. The period of the duration of this corporation shall be thirty years.

4. The names and places of residence of the persons forming this corporation are as follows: E. F. Alford, J. W. Hunt and Corah L. Colbrath, all of Duluth, Minnesota.

5. The names of the first board of directors of this corporation shall be as follows: E. F. Alford, J. W. Hunt and Corah L. Colbrath. The government of this corporation and the management of its affairs shall be vested in the following officers, to-wit: A board of three directors, who shall be stockholders of this corporation, and a president, vice president, secretary and treasurer. The office of vice president and treasurer may be held by the same person. The board of directors shall be elected by the stockholders of the corporation at their annual meeting. The officers shall be chosen by the directors at their first meeting after each annual meeting of the stockholders. The directors and officers shall hold their respective offices for the term of one year and until their respective successors are elected and qualify.

The annual meeting of the stockholders shall be held the second Monday in January in each year, at such hour and place as shall be fixed by the by-laws of the corporation.

6. The amount of the capital stock of this corporation shall be fifty thousand dollars ($50,000), divided into five hundred shares of the par value of one hundred dollars each, the same to be paid in as called for by the board of directors.

7. The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which this corporation shall at any time be subject is the sum of two hundred thousand dollars ($200,000).

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 7th day of December, 1910.

E. F. ALFORD. (Seal)
J. W. HUNT. (Seal)
CORAH L. COLBRATH. (Seal)

State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis—ss.

On this 7th day of December, 1910, before me, a notary public within and for said county, personally appeared E. F. Alford, J. W. Hunt and Corah L. Colbrath, to me known to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing certificate, and acknowledged that they executed the same as their free act and deed.

C. W. STILSON,
Notary Public, St. Louis Co., Minn.
(Notarial Seal, St. Louis Co., Minn.)

My commission expires May 28th, 1911.

State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 8th day of December, A. D. 1910, at 9 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book 13 of Incorporations, on page 495.

JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State.

OFFICE OF REGISTER OF DEEDS.
State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis—ss.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record Dec. 9, 1910, at 1 P. M., and was duly recorded in Book 14 of Misc., page 35.

M. C. PALMER,
Register of Deeds.
By THOS. CLARK,
Deputy.

D. H., Dec. 12, 13, 14, 1910.

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FOR RENT—BARN; EIGHT STALLS; $8 a month; also carriage shed, $5 per month. Apply 325 East First street.

FOR SALE—COWS.

FOR SALE — CARLOAD OF FRESH milch cows and springers, just came in this morning. Call 429 Forty-sixth avenue west. Zenith 'phone 3133-Y.

FOR SALE—MILK COW; $40. INQUIRE at 1912 Sixtieth avenue east.

ROCHESTER LIKES COMMISSION PLAN

Winona and Red Wing Also Said to Favor That Form of Government.

Rochester, Minn., Dec. 13.—Rochester may be the next city in Minnesota to adopt the commission form of government. Other Southern Minnesota cities contemplating this step are Red Wing and Winona, but there seems little doubt that this city will adopt a new charter at a special election to be called after the holidays.

ROCHESTER ALSO SEEKS CATHOLIC BOYS' COLLEGE.

Winona, Minn., Dec. 13.—While the Winona committee appointed to work toward securing the location in Winona of the Catholic Boys' college, proposed to be established by Bishop Heffron, is actively at work, other places in the diocese are getting busy also, and Winona will have to do well by the school to secure its location here. Bishop Heffron has been advised that in the course of the next few days a committee from Rochester will wait upon him for personal consultation concerning the school and to obtain his views of what will be necessary to be done to secure it.

INDIAN COUPLE WEDDED.

Pipestone, Minn., Dec. 13.—The first Indian marriage to take place in Pipestone in years, was celebrated Sunday at the government Indian training school here, when Allen Sheppard and Miss Lizzie Goodwin, both of whom were graduated from the school with honors, were married. Rev. W. F. Jones of the Presbyterian church performing the ceremony. The wedding took place in the school chapel and was witnessed by all of the officials of the school as well as the employees and 400 students.

EXPERIMENT A SUCCESS

Duluth's Co-Operative Market May Be Self-Sustaining Next Year.

Has Encouraged Farmers to Extend Their Activities Next Season.

The importance to Northeastern Minnesota of the work that is being done by the Duluth Co-operative Produce Market association is strikingly demonstrated in an editorial published by the St. Hilaire Spectator. St. Hilaire is a flourishing town in Red Lake county. The editorial, under the caption "A Good Market," is as follows:

"The farmers of Northeastern Minnesota now have a market to Duluth to which they are not only shipping their potatoes, but everything they have to sell, vegetables of all kinds, poulty, veal, eggs, butter, anything they have to sell. A manager is employed at a salary of $150 a month, stenographer, clerks, teamsters, and a commission house mintained on the market street of Duluth. The value of this co-operative movement for the farmers of Northeastern Minnesota can be estimated only by the success attained by similar co-operative movements in other sections of the country that have become worldwide in their usefulness and influence."

Duluth's co-operative market association has not made any money for itself but it has made a market where, comparatively speaking, there was none before. Farmers in the territory tributary to Duluth are extending their clearings, enlarging their equipment and expanding their activities in many directions because of the bettered market conditions brought about by the association.

The headquarters of the association are on Michigan street, where all the commission houses are located and the business of the organization is rapidly growing without injuring the interests of the commission men. As a matter of fact, the association's activities have contributed to the prosperity of the commission dealers, although the point of view of the two institutions is altogether different. It is the business of the individual commission man to make the farmer's margin of profit as narrow as possible, to the enrichment of the commission man, but the association's work is based on the idea that the farmer's margin should be increased, to the end that Duluth will have a readier and more desirable source of produce supply.

The association's market has not been a profit maker. The business it has transacted has not been sufficient to pay expenses, but another season may be expected to bring about a condition of self-maintenance.

So far the association's experiment has been productive, of nothing but beneficial results, not only for Duluth but as well for northeastern Minnesota.

UNION MINERS CAST BALLOTS

Lewis Predicts His Re-Election in Record Poll of Votes.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 13. — Union miners all over the country today are balloting for their international officers.

The ballots will be sent to the international headquarters in this city, and after the count the result will be kept secret until the annual convention, which will be held in Columbus, Ohio, next month.

President Thomas L. Lewis is opposed for re-election by John P. White of Oskaloosa, Iowa, a former vice president of the international organization and at present president of the Iowa district. President Lewis declares that the balloting will be he heaviest in the history of the organization and at the same time predicts his own election.

THOUSAND POUNDS OF OPIUM SEIZED

Customs Agents Find Smuggled Drug in Chinese Dens.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Special agents of the customs service seized 1,000 pounds of smuggled opium in a raid on Chinese dens in Portland, Or., last night, according to an official report received at the treasury today.

Chief Wilkie is conducting a campaign against the opium trade. More than a ton of the drug has been confiscated in various raids during the last two weeks.

MAKES RETAILERS PEEVISH.

North Dakota's Change in Method of Retailing Foodstuffs Unpopular.

Wahpeton, N. D., Dec 13.—The recent order issued by Food Commissioner E. F. Ladd relative to the selling of foodstuffs by weight instead of by measure, is causing consternation among retail dealers. Potatoes, apples, eggs, celery, squashes—in fact, all vegetables and other food products must be sold by weight, and the wrapping and packing on products will not be counted in the weights. The weights must all be net.

Every sale of a barrel of apples means that the dealer must empty the barrel of apples, weigh them and then weigh the barrel, after which he can pour them back and repack them and then deduct the weight of the barrel from the weight of the apples and give his customer a price with an additional charge of a few cents for the barrel.

The ruling necessitates a readjustment of buying and selling schedules in mercantile establishments. It will be necessary to buy eggs by the pound that are to be sold by the pound, and the same deviation from the old style of buying seems necessary in the purchase of all foodstuffs.

Given $10,000 Verdict.

Montevideo, Minn., Dec. 13.—The jury in the case of Henry O. Reber against the Chippewa Milling company of this place, returned a verdict of $10,000 in favor of the plaintiff.

Reber was employed in the mill and last February, while painting, was caught in a shaft and horribly mangled. The accident resulted in his losing both legs. He sued the company for $30,000. It is said the mill company will appeal to the supreme court.

RAILROADS GAIN NOTABLE VICTORY

Privately Owned Cars Are Held Subject to Demurrage Rules.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Privately owned freight cars were today declared to be subject to the uniform demurrage regulations in the decision of a notable case by the interstate commerce commission which favored the railroads' contention that such cars were subject to the demurrage rules.

The decision was rendered in the case of Proctor & Gamble Company of Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton Railroad company and other interstate carriers. The complainant, which operates approximately 500 private tank cars, and the Indian Refining company of Cincinnati, which operates nearly a thousand private cars in the distribution of petroleum and its products, maintained that demurrage should not be collected on private cars located on the private tracks of the complainants, whether loaded or unloaded.

MARINE

SETTLE LAKE STRIKE IN 1911

Lake Seamen Now in Convention at Detroit Are Hopeful.

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 13.—G. C. Bodine of New Orleans has announced that he is a candidate for secretary and treasurer of the Lake Seamen's union, now in convention here. The office has been held for eleven years by W. H. Frazier of Boston.

President Andrew Furuseth of San Francisco will have no opposition for re-election, it is said.

The matter of selecting the city for the next convention is causing much discussion. Cities in various parts of the country have been talked of, but the number has dwindled down to two. These are San Francisco and Baltimore. The concensus of opinion among the delegates seems to favor the Western city.

It is stated that government intervention in the strike now on against the Lake Carriers' association will soon be asked, and a federal investigation of conditions on the lakes is expected.

Officers of the union are confident that the strike will be settled during 1911.

FEWER DIASTERS ON GREAT LAKES.

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 13.—There were fewer disasters on the Great Lakes during the season just closed than during the season of 1909. Last year there were 128 lives lost, a much higher toll than for 1910.

The worst disaster of this year was the sinking of Car Ferry No. 18 of the Pere Marquette railroad off Ludington, Mich., with the loss of more than a score of lives.

The greatest monetary loss of the 1910 season was incurred when the steamer W. C. Moreland was stranded on Eagle River reef, Lake Superior. The loss to the hull was $420,000 and to the cargo $40,000.

There were eight important fires, accidents and wrecks during the year. The total resulting loss was $1,500,000.

HURONIC, ICE COATED, IS LAST BOAT DOWN.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald)—Literally covered with ice and presenting a most beatuiful sight, the steamer Huronic of the Northern Navigation company passed down through the Canadian lock at noon today. She was the last boat of the season from Lake Superior. The work of laying up the American dock has already started and work will be commenced on the Canadian side immediately. The Glenellah, the last boat up, arrived last night and locked up this morning.

PRESSNELL IS COMMANDER.

Joshua B. Culver Post, G. A. R., Holds Annual Election of Officers.

Capt. Thomas H. Pressnell was elected commander of Joshua B. Culver Post, G. A. R., at the meeting held at Memorial hall last evening. Capt. Pressnell succeeds W. S. Woodbridge. The other officers elected follow: W. F. Bailey, senior vice commander; W. H. Stultz, junior vice commander; S. C. McCormick, surgeon; Rev. Jeremiah Kimball, chaplain; J. H. La Vaque, quartermaster; S. W. Clark, officer of the day; Dr. C. M. Wilson, officer of the guard, and C. E. Holt, patriotic instructor.

The delegates to the state encampment named are: J. W. Morgan of Cloquet and M. H. Stanford of Duluth, with Roger S. Lerch and C. E. Holt, alternates.

FARGO BOY LOSES INITIATIVE TO SPEAK.

Fargo, N. D., Dec. 13. — (Special to The Herald.)—The 18-year-old son of Charles Herdeg of this city has been ill since September and two yeeks ago was found unconscious. Since he recovered consciousness he has been unable to speak except to repeat parrotlike what is said to him. He has entirely lost the initiative to speak. His case has puzzled local physicians and the youth will be taken to Twin City specialists.

Charles Herdeg, the father of the boy named in the dispatch, formerly lived in Duluth, being foreman in a local printing office and worked in The Herald composing room for one year. He was also an old resident of Winona, coming from there here.

PETITION WHITE TO PARDON A. T. PATRICK.

New York, Dec. 13.—The Medico-Legal society has appealed to Governor White to pardon Albert T. Patrick, serving a life sentence for the murder of William Marsh Rice in this city some years ago. It is maintained that Patrick was convicted on medical testimony that embalming fluid introduced into a body through the right bronchial artery would not enter the lungs, but that it has since been demonstrated that the testimony was wrong.

New Bessemer, Mich., Bank.

Bessemer, Mich., Dec. 13.—This city will have a new bank. A temporary organization has been perfected and the bank will open as soon as its capital stock of $25,000 is subscribed.

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Thatcher & Thatcher.		1907
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Peerless Laundry	428	428
Yale Laundry	479	479
Lutes Laundry	447	447
Troy Laundry	257	257
Home Laundry Co.	941	1128
Incline Hand Laundry	1609	2021
DRUGGISTS—		
Eddie Jeronimus	1243	1027
Boyce	163	163
Smith & Smith	280	7
ARCHITECTS—		
Frank L. Young & Co.	4476	
MILLINERY—		
M. A. Cox	4576	
TENTS AND AWNINGS—		
Poirier & Co.		735
DYE WORKS—		
Zenith City Dye works	1888	1888
Northwestern Dyeing & Cleaning Co.	1337	1516
National Dyeing & Cleaning Co.	2376	2376
Interstate Cleaning & Dyeing Co., "Kelly's"	2530	30

REAL ESTATE, FIRE INSURANCE, AND RENTAL AGENCIES.

John A. Stephenson & Co., Wolvin bldg.
E. D. Field Co., 203 Exchange building.
L. A. Larsen Co., Providence building.
H. J. Mullin, 403 Lonsdale building.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—SECOND HAND RANGE. 111 East Fifth street.

FOR SALE — NEW PAIR OF BIRCH-wood skis, 7½ feet. Call 215 East Fourth street.

FOR SALE—$75 BUYS A MINERAL interest on Mesaba range. Address R 302, Herald.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE; RESIDENCE at Stanford University, California. X 323, Herald.

FOR SALE — A VERY LARGE COAL stove; suitable for hall or hotel, with a liberal discount at Gasser's grocery.

FOR SALE—A REMINGTON 12-GAUGE pump gun; good as new; will sell cheap for cash. W 374, Herald.

FOR SALE—GROCERY STORE, GOOD fixtures, horse and wagon; order route four days a week; will invoice about $1,300, including stock, fixtures and horse. Phone 1023-X Zenith.

FOR SALE—ONE DROPHEAD WHITE sewing machine, $19; one $14; one Singer, $19; some others, $5, $6 and $8; to of these nearly new. At White store, next to 10c store.

FOR SALE — CHEAP — THE NEW Werner edition of the Encyclopaedia Britannica; 30 volumes; half Morocco; Ridpath's History of the World, profusely illustrated, 9 vols., half Morocco; all the above are new; a sewing machine, good as new. Call at 1114 Minnesota avenue and inspect.

FOR SALE—500 SHARES IRONA MINING company stock; will consider any reasonable bid on same; it is a good Vermilion range prospect. D 294, Herald.

FOR SALE — LADY WISHES TO DISPOSE of new black lynx furs, large shawl collar and pillow muff; will sell for $12; value $50. J 347, Herald.

FOR SALE — MUST SACRIFICE beautiful Manchuria lynx furs, open rug muff and large shawl collar; recently purchased at $80; will sell for $25. U 340, Herald.

FOR SALE — NO. 5 UNDERWOOD typewriter, slightly used; half price if taken at once. 'Phone Melrose 498 or Zenith 101.

FOR SALE—LOT OF GOOD BUILDING rock at corner of Lake avenue and First street. Call on premises.

FOR SALE — FOUR HUNDRED TONS upland prairie hay at $9 per ton. F. O. B., Onaka, S. D. Call or write Townsend Bros., Northville, S. D.

FOR SALE—MACHINERY, PULLEYS, largest stock, wood split and steel split, shafting, hangers, belting, wood and iron working machinery. Northern Machinery company, Minneapolis.

FOR SALE—MEDIUM SIZE SECOND-hand safe. Christie Lithograph & Printing company.

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WANTED — GIRLS AT MRS. SOMMERS' employment office, 15 Second avenue east.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework; good wages. 2003 Woodland avenue, corner Hardy street.

WANTED — COMPETENT GIRL FOR general housework. 706½ East Fourth street.

WANTED — —GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. 218 Tenth avenue east.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework; good wages. 317 East Third street.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. 112 East Third street.

WANTED — INTELLIGENT WOMAN, spare time, each locality; address envelopes, mail circulars, 15c hour; material, stamps furnished free. Rex Mailing agency, London, Ont.

WANTED—SECOND COOK AND DISHwasher. Warner's restaurant, 305 Central avenue, West Duluth.

WANTED—A COOK OR GIRL WHO has done general housework; $25 per month. Zenith 1213 A. Melrose 1810.

WANTED—COMPETENT GIRL FOR general housework. Mrs. C. A. Wright, 1420 London road.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework; two in family. 2234 Woodland avenue, Melrose 4733.

WANTED—COMPETENT GIRL FOR general housework. 124 North Fifty-sixth avenue west.

WANTED — 500 PEOPLE TO KNOW that we are placing on sale factory samples of jewelry; 100 jewel cases, 500 white stone hat pins, 100 back combs, 300 rings, full line cut glass and holiday goods. Keystone Loan company, 22 W. Sup. St.

WANTED—AT ONCE, GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. 821 East Superior street.

WANTED — YOUNG GIRL FOR housework in small family. 1127 East Third street.

WANTED—WOMAN COOK AT STATE Sanatorium, near Walker; must have had experience in general cooking; good wages. Apply to Superintendent State Sanatorium, Cass Co., Minn.

WANTED AT ONCE—MIDDLE-AGED woman for general housework. Mrs. Thomas Walker, 203 South Eighteenth avenue east. Zenith 2077-D.

WANTED—A GOOD NEAT GIRL FOR general housework; three in family. Call 110 South Sixteenth avenue east.

WANTED — A YOUNG LADY EITHER at school or in business to give help in return for good home; no hard work. Call Melrose 4053.

WANTED—CHAMBERMAID. MARINE hotel, 206 Lake avenue south.

WANTED—A COMPETENT GIRL FOR general housework; must be good cook; family of two. 131 East Second street.

PRIVATE HOSPITAL.

MRS. HANSON, GRADUATE MIDwife; female complaints. 413 Seventh avenue east. Zenith 1225.

Mrs. H. Olson, graduate midwife. Private hospital, 329 N. 58 Av. W. Zenith 3173.

Mrs. A. Ferguson, graduate midwife; female complaints. 2201 W. Fourth St. Zen. 2014-X.

PERSONAL—Private home for ladies before and during confinement; expert care: everything confidential; infants cared for. Ida Pearson, M. D., 284 Harrison avenue. St. Paul. Minn.

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KEYSTONE CHAPTER NO. 20, R. A. M.—Stated convocations second and fourth Wednesday evenings of each month at 7:30 o'clock. Next meeting, Dec. 14, 1910. Work —Annual meeting, election of officers. Andalia W. Torrance, H. P.; Alfred Le Richeux, secretary.

DULUTH COUNCIL NO. 6, D. & S. M.—Next meeting Friday, Dec. 2, 1910, at 7:30 p. m. Work—Annual meeting; election of officers. Carl L. Lonegren, T. I. M.; Alfred Le Richeux, recorder.

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K. of P.
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"THE COMMISSION PLAN IS BOTH PRACTICAL AND ADVISABLE"

JOHN CHRISTIE, JR., AND MRS. EMILY GUTSON TAKE POISON--BOTH ARE LIVING

DEATH PACT IS ALLEGED

Duluth Man Found in Apartment House on Chicago North Side.

Woman's Mother Denies Knowledge of Her Relations With Him.

Divorced Wife of Victim Now Residing in Indianapolis.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—John Christie, Jr., of Duulth and a woman who gave the name of "Mrs. Goodman," took poison last night in the former's apartments in a fashionable apartment house at 5051 Sheridan road. The man is in serious condition and the woman less dangerously ill. The police claim that there was an agreement to end their lives together.

Christie came to Chicago six months ago. He is a son of John Christie, president of the Christie Lithograph & Printing Company of Duluth.

Christie was taken to St. Joseph's hospital, where physicians say he has a chance for recovery.

Both took corrosive sublimate, according to the doctors, and the man's

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HAS BIG LEAD OVER JOHN D.

Carnegie Now Has Given Away $180,000,000 for Benefactions.

New York, Dec. 14.—Andrew Carnegie's gift of $10,000,000 for the furtherance of peace brings the total of his benefactions to something like $180,000,000. The endowment announced today is second in size only to three others of his—the $10,000,000 foundation for the advancement of teaching made in 1905, and increased to $15,000,000 in 1908; the $16,000,000 endowment for the Carnegie institute in Pittsburg, and the $12,000,000 fund for the establishment of the Carnegie institute in Washington. Mr. Carnegie's gifts to libraries during the last twenty years are estimated at $36,000,000 for the United States and $17,000,000 abroad.

Mr. Carnegie's latest endowment widens the gap between him and John D. Rockefeller, who alone rivals the retired steel master in his public benefactions. A conservative estimate places Mr. Rockefeller's gifts to institutions at $120,000,000. All but a small part of this was for educational purposes.

HOUSE RULES FIGHT BEGUN

Representative Hughes Precipitates It By His Demand.

Speaker Cannon Decides to Let the Members Settle It.

Washington, Dec. 14.—Renewal of the fight on the rules which signalized the last session of congress was precipitated today by Representative Hughes of New Jersey. The point raised was whether a bill considered in regular order last calendar Wednesday could be taken up again today.

The question under consideration was whether a bill for the codification and revision of the laws relating to the judiciary, consideration of which occupied all last Wednesday, should again be taken up today simply on the call of the chairman of the committee reporting the measure.

Opposed by Democrats.

The question was raised by Mr. Hughes after Representative Moon of Pennsylvania, chairman of the committee on revision of the laws, had asked

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HATTIE LE BLANC IS FOUND "NOT GUILTY"

Spectators Cheer Verdict at Bay State Murder Trial.

Judge's Charge Includes Reference to Widow of Slain Man.

Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 14.—Hattie Le Blanc, the 17-year-old French girl, was acquitted today of the charge of murdering Clarence F. Glover, a laundryman of Waltham, on Nov. 20, 1909.

The verdict was cheered by the spectators.

When she was brought into the courtroom by the matron of the Cambridge jail the defendant was pale and the greetings of her attorneys failed to dispel her anxiety.

Judge Bond, in his charge to the jury, defined circumstantial evidence and informed the jury that such evidence must establish guilt beyond a reasonable doubt. He referred to a sore on the finger of the defendant which, he said, the prosecution claimed was made by the backfire from the revolver.

No Experiments With Revolver.

The court called attention to the fact that no experiments had been made with the revolver to show that such a shot as had been described on the defendant's finger could be made with the weapon.

"You will be safer," said Judge Bond, "to err in acquitting than to err in convicting."

He said that the jury had the right to infer what interests influenced testimony on either side.

Two Counts in Indictment.

The two counts in the indictment

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BRITISH SHIPYARD STRIKE SETTLED

Men Accept the Terms Offered By the Employers.

London, Dec. 14.—The boilermakers' lockout affecting 50,000 men in the yards of the Shipbuilding Employers' federation ended today with the acceptance by the men of the terms made by the employers. The yards will reopen tomorrow.

The lockout was instituted on Sept. 2 following a strike of the riveters employed at the Walker shipyard at Newcastle-on-Tyne. The federation asserted that the strike was a violation of the agreement made between the federation and nineteen workmen's societies last spring for the prevention of strikes and lockouts, and declared a lockout to remain in force until the boilermakers were prepared to guarantee the fulfillment of the agreement.

THREE ARRESTED FOR MURDERS

Another Suspect Is to Be Taken Into Custody in Kansas.

Kansas City Mo., Dec. 14.—One more arrest will be made in connection with the Bernhardt quadruple murder case, Chief of Police Zimmer of Kansas City, said today.

Sam Bailey and Ike Whitsell, former employes of the Bernhardts, and John Feagle, a neighbor, who are being held for investigation, were questioned by the police and all denied any knowledge of the crime.

A coroner's jury met at Olathe, Kan., today to investigate the case.

"I do not believe we have arrested the right man yet," said Edward P. Boyle, chief inspector of detectives of this city today. "I am confident that Feagle is innocent. I have good reason to believe that the murderer was a farmhand who left the employ of the Bernhardts about Nov. 1."

GRAND JURY PROBING BOY SCOUT METHODS.

New York, Dec. 14.—The grand jury has begun an inquiry into the manner of soliciting subscriptions to the American Boy Scouts, from which W. R. Hearst, Admiral Dewey and others recently resigned. Mr. Hearst was a witness, as was supreme Court Justice Gerard, who says he contributed $1,000 to the organization.

A statement was issued from headquarters of the Scouts announcing that the directors have offered the grand jurors the free use of all records of the organization.

FOUND NOT GUILTY OF MURDERING EMPLOYER

HATTIE LE BLANC.
The Arrow Points to the Position of Scars on Her Hands, Which the Prosecution Claimed Resulted From Wounds Received in a Struggle With Glover.

TAFT IS TO APPOINT NINE MORE JUDGES.

Washington, Dec. 14. — President Taft's task of selecting federal judges was by no means ended when he sent to the senate the names of a new chief justice, two associate justices of the supreme court and the five judges of the new court of commerce. There are nine vacancies now existing in United States courts and Mr. Taft is still weighing the merits of the scores of candidates recommended for his consideration.

CARNEGIE GIVES TEN MILLION DOLLARS TO MAKE RACE PERFECT

Establishes Fund and Names Trustees to Do the Work.

Says War Is to Be Abolished First---Other Reforms Later.

Washington, Dec. 14.—Ten million dollars to help the human race reach perfection was transferred to a board of trustees today by Andrew Carnegie, with instructions as to how the board is to begin its work.

Abolition of war is to be the first step in the Carnegie perfection program. Then the trustees are to take up the next greatest human evil and abolish that, and the remaining ills of mankind are to be assailed in order of their magnitude. Under the terms of the trust deed given today the board is to be self-perpetuating and is to continue "for all time."

Half Million Income.

The $10,000,000 is given in the form of 5 per cent first mortgage bonds, the revenue of which will be used to "hasten the abolition of international war" and establish a lasting world peace.

The formal transfer was made at a meeting in the rooms of the Carnegie Research foundation. The trustees organized by choosing as president United States Senator Elihu Root, the

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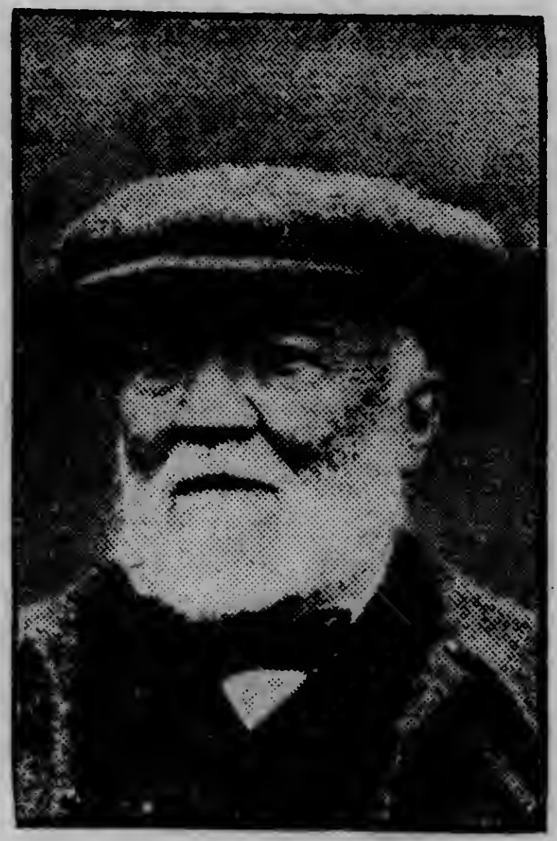
BEMIDJI SAFE IS SHATTERED

Burglars Fail to Heed Warning That Strong Box Is Not Locked.

Bemidji, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—Burglars smashed their way into the office of the Beltrami County Fuel company and blew the safe open with nitro-glycerine, although it had been left unlocked by the manager of the company, who had also left a tag on the combination, saying "Safe not locked; open door."

The burglars ruined the safe and escaped with $2,500 worth of valuable papers and a small amount of cash. Chief of Police Harrington this morning arrested a suspicious character, and will be given a hearing in police court late this afternoon or tomorrow morning.

GIVES MILLIONS TO HELP HUMAN RACE



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ANDREW CARNEGIE.

TIBER TWENTY-ONE FEET ABOVE NORMAL.

Rome, Dec. 14.—The heavy rainfall continued today and the flood situation in Northern Italy became more serious hourly. The Tiber has risen until it is twenty-one feet above its normal level.

Government officials are making every effort to relieve those living in the inundated districts.

Cloquet Man Gets Reward.

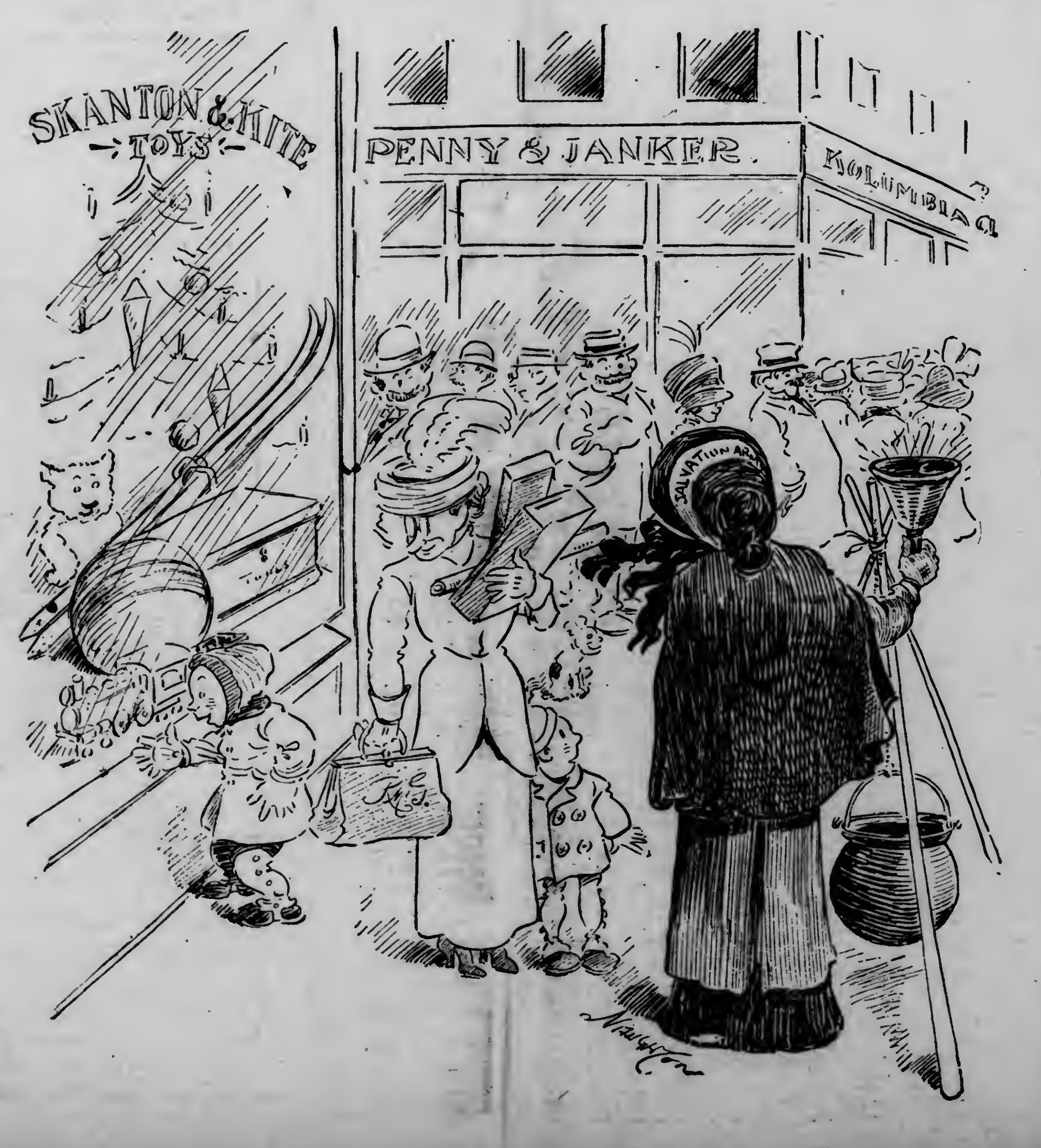
St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—William Gilmore of Cloquet, Carlton county, received $250 yesterday from the state as a reward for the capture Dec. 18, 1907, of John Clark at Spokane.

Clark was later sentenced to life imprisonment at Stillwater for the mudrer of John Holm.

FALL ON PAVEMENT KILLS MICHIGAN MAN.

Menominee, Mich., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—Emil Olson, a carpenter, was almost instantly killed in the village of Stephenson in this county by falling on an icy pavement with such violence that his skull was fractured.

"HELP TO KEEP THE POT BOILING"



JOINT COMMITTEE'S REPORT FAVORABLE TO THE NEW SYSTEM

Des Moines Charter With Some Changes Is Recommended for Duluth.

Committee Announces Its Decision Following a Thorough Investigation.

RECOMMENDATION OF JOINT COMMITTEE

"We are of the opinion that the commission form of government is practical and advisable for the city of Duluth, and we recommend the so-called Des Moines plan with the modifications as herein suggested, many of which are contained in the present Duluth city charter."

MODIFICATIONS SUGGESTED.

Election of judges of municipal court by the people.

Alternating of names of candidates in different precincts so as not to give advantage by alphabetical arrangement.

The commissioner receiving the highest number of votes qualify as mayor.

All ordinances be published immediately after passage.

Rejection or retention of commission plan after six years' operation.

Daily meetings of the council open to the public.

Initiative, referendum and recall based on 25 per cent of the number of votes cast for the commissioner receiving the highest number of votes at the last general election.

The joint committee of the Commercial club and the city-council, appointed to consider the commission form of government and the practicability and advisability of its adoption for the city of Duluth, completed its report today, commending the commission plan and urging its adoption by Duluth. The Des Moines plan, with certain modifications, is recommended. The Commercial club committee submitted its report to President C. A. Luster today and the council committee will report to the council at its meeting next Monday night.

The joint committee was made up of R. B. Knox, A. C. Volk and L. E. Lum, representing the Commercial club, and Aldermen Joseph Shartel, Watson S. Moore and C. R. Hoar of the city council. Alderman Shartel was chairman of the committee and A. C. Volk, secretary.

The report goes into the merits of the commission plan and also into the objections offered against it. It is pointed out that the commission plan is not a cure-all for municipal ills, but the committee reaches the conclusion that the commission plan—giving as it does, the power of controlling the government into the hands of the people through the initiative, referendum and recall, and wiping out party designations and ward boundaries—is a great improvement on the system of government under which Duluth is now working. The committee lays stress on the fact that the commission form of government is a business government and that under it a city is operated as any big business would be, the commission corresponding to the board of directors.

The committees forming the joint committee were appointed about a year ago and have been busy since that time collecting the data on which the report is based. Charters were obtained from the different cities having government by commissions and statements of results were also obtained. The joint committee made an exhaustive and careful study of the subject and the suggestions embodied in the

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DIAZ FORCES FOUGHT TO STANDSTILL BY REBELS

Undecisive Battle Is Waged at Cerro Prieto Village.

Prisoners and Wounded Are Bayonetted By Order of Navarro.

At the Front, Rancho Santiago, near Pedernales, Dec. 12, via El Paso, Tex., Dec. 14. — In yesterday's engagement the revolutionists fought Gen. Navarro to a standstill, although inferior in numbers. All told seventy-four persons are known, by independent investigation, to have been killed.

Navarro took no prisoners — it is contrary to his orders — and in his camp today there were no wounded of the other side. The bayonet had completed the work of the bullet.

A horrible instance of the barbarity of the campaign occurred after the battle. Every man in the hamlet of Cerro Prieto (Dark Hill) was brought before the mayor to prove his innocence of participation in the revolt. Thirty could not do this. As fast as

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GOVERNMENT HAS MAJORITY OF 77

Steadiness of Electorate in British Polling Further Emphasized.

London, Dec. 14.—The steadiness of the electorate so marked since the polling began was further emphasized at yesterday's elections, the returns of which were received today. The totals today were: Coalitionists, 328, Unionists, 251. The standing by parties was as follows: Government coalition — Liberals, 220; Irish Nationalists, 61; Independent Nationalists, 9; Labor members 38—total, 328.

Opposition—Unionists, 251.

Present coalition majority, 77.

Capt. Frederick Guest, whose wife is a daughter of Henry Phipps of Pittsburg, Pa., recaptured the Liberal seat for the East division of Dorsetshire, from which he was ousted by the courts in May last on the ground that the money expended to promote his election exceeded the limit set by law.

The election continues to drag along. The public has lost interest.

WHY BALDWIN WAS NOT THERE

Absence From Dinner at New Haven Explained in Letter.

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 14.—An explanation is now given out which bears upon the absence last night of Judge Simeon E. Baldwin, the governor-elect, at the Chamber of Commerce dinner at which Col. Roosevelt spoke. The invitation extended to the judge read: "To meet the Hon. Theodore Roosevelt."

As there had been a failure to adjust the differences which arose over Judge Baldwin's exceptions to Col Roosevelt's criticism during the recent political campaign, the former absented himself from the dinner. A letter sent to President Ullman of the chamber explained the matter. It is understood that the correspondence between Col. Roosevelt and Judge Baldwin has not yet been closed.

FIRE INSURANCE RATES TOO HIGH

Tapping Testifies at Inquiry in New York State.

New York, Dec. 14.—Edward J. Tapping of Milwaukee, called as a witness today in the inquiry into fire insurance matters by the legislative investigating committee, admitted that many of the rates prevailing were unfair and too high, and that commissions paid to agents in many instances are exorbitant. He said he knew fire insurance companies that paid from 30 to 40 per cent of all premiums they collected.

WEATHER—Fair tonight and Thursday; colder tonight, westerly winds.

THIS SALE IS GOING TO GIVE HUNDREDS OF MEN AND BOYS A MERRY CHRISTMAS

People are thinking of the useful things this year more than ever before. And after all what would be more fully appreciated by Grandpa, Uncle, Father, Brother or Sweatheart than a Suit or Overcoat, and this sale makes it easy to secure.

DOWN! DOWN! DOWN!

GO THE PRICES OF THE

VAN WAGNER BANKRUPT STOCK

We will not reserve one article of merchandise to sell at regular prices.

Men's Suits HALF PRICE
Men's Overcoats HALF PRICE
Boys' Suits HALF PRICE
Children's Suits HALF PRICE
Children's Overcoats HALF PRICE

Holiday Suspenders, Garters, Mufflers, Sweaters, Hosiery, Shirts, Hats, Underwear, Hand Bags, Satchels, Kid Gloves, Shoes, Overshoes.

Just the things you want for Christmas—all selling at less than wholesale cost. Follow the crowds to the Van Wagner Bankrupt Sale.

Oak Hall Clothing Co.

SUPERIOR STREET AT SECOND AVE. WEST.

SUPERIOR

VOLUNTARY REDUCTION

Superior Light and Power Company Will Reduce Its Rates.

Is Result of Agitation to Have Railroad Commission Take Action.

The Superior Water, Light & Power company will make a decided reduction in its rates on gas and electric lights next year, according to an announcement made today by W. H. Winslow, general manager.

The reduction will be a voluntary one and will probably put an end to the agitation which was started by the Commercial club to have the matter of rates laid before the railroad commission.

The reduction of the gas rates will become effective May 1911 and the electric light schedule will be altered so as to take effect Sept. 1, 1911.

FRANK E. SPRING NEW PRESIDENT

Commercial Club Holds Annual Election and Hears Reports of Committees.

Frank E. Spring was elected president of the Superior Commercial club at its annual meeting last evening. H. V. Gard was named as vice president, E. D. Bixby, treasurer and the directors named were Henry Butler, Charles Erhart and Wilbur Ross.

B. C. Cooke, retiring president, submitted his annual report in which he emphasized the need of new quarters for the organization.

The secretary's report showed the organization to be in a flourishing condition, with about $1,600 on the right side of the ledger. The club extended congratulations to Prof B. H. Meyers of Madison on his appointment by President Taft as a member of the interstate commerce commission.

After a warm discussion the club voted to lay before the state railroad commission matters pertaining to the rights of the city and the public utility corporations, the street railway company and the water and gas company.

BANQUET OF OLD SETTLERS

More Than 200 Pioneers Dine at the Methodist Church.

The twenty-fourth annual banquet of the Old Settlers' Asosciation of the Head of the Lakes was held at noon today at the First M. E. church, East end, Superior. Members from Duluth, Carlton, Two Harbors and Ashland attended and covers were laid for more than 200.

John C. Bertrand of Superior was elected president at the business session this morning. The other officers named were: Loren W. Palmer, Duluth, vice president; August Zachau, Superior, treasurer; Walter Van Brunt, Duluth, secretary. The trustees for 1911 are: Charles Rakowski, Duluth; Alfred Merritt, Duluth; Victor A. Dash, Duluth; George L. Brooks, Superior; Frank Hayes, Superior, and Thomas C. McLean, Superior.

The next annual meeting will be held in Duluth. The summer meeting will be held at Billings Park. The association now has a membership of 425, according to the secretary's report.

NEW THEATER ASSURED.

Negotiations for Big Vaudeville House Now Being Completed.

L. F. Allardt, the Illinois-Indiana vaudeville theater circuit owner, was in Superior yesterday completing negotiations for the proposed $50,000 theater, which will be built next spring and will be opened next season.

It will be erected on the southwest corner of Broadway street and Ogden avenue and will have a seating capacity of about 1,200. The new playhouse will occupy thre lots and will run three or four stories high.

It is understood that the Elks lodge and the Commercial club may lease rooms in the new theater.

LA MOE STARTS SUIT FOR THE DEATH OF HIS SON.

A $10,000 damage suit, in which Oscar La Moe is sueing the Superior Water, Light & Power company for the death of his son, who was killed some time ago when he came in contact with a "live wire" is on today in circuit court. It is expected that the case will go to the jury this afternoon.

County Board Meets.

Following the protest made by the Superior Business Men's league against the enactment of the "Barber resolution" passed at the last meeting of the county board and providing for the distribution of 80 per cent of the county's road fund among the various towns of the county, it is probable that it will be resoinded at a meeting of the board Thursday.

The meeting of the board is primarily for the purpose of cleaning up the bills before the holidays and the first of the year and to listen to a report of Highway Commissioner C. J. Morrisset.

TAFT AND ROOSEVELT ON SAME PROGRAM.

Washington, Dec. 14.—President Taft today accepted an invitation to address the Southern Commercial congress on March 10 next during its three days session at Atlanta. Ga. Former President Roosevelt and Governor-elect Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey will also speak. President Taft will speak on the subject, "A Greater Nation Through a Greater South."

Small Chicago Bank Closed.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—A receiver was appointed today for the Cosmopolitan bank, a small private concern here. The action resulted from real estate litigation involving alleged fraudulent certificates of deposit.

BATHTUB TRUST HEARING TO MOVE

Taking of Evidence in Chicago Has Been Completed.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—Examination of witnesses here regarding methods of the so-called "bathtub trust" was ended today with testimony from O. J. Kroos of Sheboygan, Wis. He gave an elaborate technical explanation of a pamphlet issued by the "trust" in regard to prices. Hearing of witnesses will be continued at New York next Monday.

Telephone Discount

Have you paid your rental? Tomorrow, December 15th, is the last day for discount.

Duluth Telephone Co.

DULUTH NOT TO GET MACCABEES

State Executive Committee Meets for Rally at St. Paul.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—Duluth has practically been eliminated as a candidate for the meeting place of the next state camp of the Knights of the Maccabees, according to members of the state executive committee who arrived in St Paul today for the rally tonight at the Commercial club. Dr. Woward H. Haas, great commander, will entertain the members of the committee at a dinner, after which the place of meeting and the program of the state camp will be determined. The choice now lies between St. Paul and Minneapolis. This gathering usually attracts between 600 and 1,000 delegates.

Those who will attend the rally tonight are: E. M Sutherland, great recorder, Minneapolis; G. J. Mallory, Duluth; J. F. Gorman, St. Paul; C. O. Johnson, Minneapolis; J. P. Wolfe, Moorhead; J. C. McCool, Winona; Frank Burmaster, Minneapolis; Josehp Cunningham, Minneapolis; A. E. Frazer, Rush City; Frank Hall, Little Falls; R. A. Nelson, Minneapolis; G. A. Francis, St. Paul; Thomas Hanley, Benson, and J. S Murdaugh, Albert Lea.

The annual reports will be read at this time and they will show that the order has 8300 members in Minnesota and that during the last six months over $300,000 of insurance was written. The order has nationally a membership of 300,000 and a reserve fund of over $11,000,000.

Ice Cream Department open for business. Demonstration now going on. Drop in and have a dish.

Gasser's Grocery

PRESCRIPTION FATAL TO BOY

Brother of Dead Lad Is Seriously Ill as Result of Medicine.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 14.—John F. Staley, 6 years old, is dead and his brother Chester, aged 4, is in a serious condition as the result, it is said, of an overdose of atropine sulphate, from a city dispensary prescription.

The mother, Mrs. C. J. Staley, who is almost prostrated, said she obtained the medicine yesterday with instructions to give the older boy seven drops in water and the younger five, at bedtime. Shortly after giving the medicine she said her older son became worse and she called the dispensary. The doctors attended the children until the older boy died today.

The dose of atropine sulphate for a child is 1-200 of a grain, and it is said the seven drops given to the older child contained 14-15 of a grain. The coroner is making an investigation.

HEAR ABOUT THE CITIES OF CUBA

Delegates of American Civic Association Meet at Capital.

Washington, Dec. 14.—The American Civic association, which has for its object the cultivation of higher ideals of civic life and beauty in America, began a three days' session here today, with delegates in attendance representing all the national and international organizations corelated to civic effort.

"The Sociological Aspect of Cuban Municipalities," was discussed by Dr. F. Correra-Justiz, minister from Cuba to the United States.

"Since Cuba became a republic, through the generous aid of this powerful country, the progressive citizens of the island have undertaken the work of modernizing its local public life," said Dr. Justiz. "We entered into a new state of things with our independence, and one of the first requests was a new organic law of the municipalities.

"Our law contains a full declaration concerning the judicial entity of the municipalities, and the Cuban municipal government is vested with all of the necessary powers in order to regulate all local conditions. The autonomy of the Cuban municipalities emanates from the constitution of the state itself.

Plan Greater Havana.

"We are seriously studying the matter of developing a 'greater Havana' worthy of its splendid possibility. Even now it is a great city with more than 300,000 inhabitants and so clean that, according to the latest vital statistics, our average mortality has been lower than that of any other great city in the world."

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FINE OVERCOATS
AT THE BIG DULUTH

Christmas Eve in Bethlehem.

Ex-Vice President Fairbanks in Leslie's: At 10 o'clock at night we again set out upon our pilgrimage to the homely spot where was centered the thought of hundreds of millions of Christians throughout the world. Bethlehem! What a sweet and majestic name! The story of it was being told from countless pulpits and was bursting forth in song the world about. It was being told about the hearthstones in the abodes of the humble and in the mansions of the great. It was Bethlehem's particular day, when she claimed the attention of the world as no other city claimed it. Our dragoman provided us with a carriage well inclosed, as the air was sharp. The moon was well up, and if the barren, rocky hills and the valleys had been clothed with snow, it would have seemed like an old-fashioned, moonlight, New England Christmas. Our horses were adorned with bells, which they habitually wore and which tended to give a familiar Christmas aspect to the scene.

As we passed out of Jerusalem upon a slow trot, we encountered processions of camels going to and fro with their monotonous swing, as they had done for centuries. Some of the riders had accomplished their day's work in the city and were en route to their distant homes, and others were coming in for the night or business the day following. When we reached the Well of the Magi, a large, bright star above Bethlehem burst upon our vision. It came into view as we reached the summit in the road. The moon was above and back of us, and no other stars were visible from our inclosure, so this particular star almost startled us when we first saw it, and for a moment he was almost speechless. He said he had never seen it, and thereafter frequently commented upon the incident. As we progressed, the star seemd to rise and fall as we followed the undulations of the highway, until we entered the narrow streets of Bethlehem, when we lost sight of it. There was of course, nothing marvelous about it—it was a perfectly natural phenomenon; but observing it, as we did, under the circumstances, it was particularly impressive.

Christmas Morning.

Before the wintry sun is up,
  Oh, what a racket greets my ears,
The din is surely loud enough
  To wake the folks of other spheres.
The trumpets toot, the dollies squeak,
  The woolly lambs in chorus bleat.
The baby locomotives chug,
  And rat-tattoo the drumsticks beat,
    For this is Christmas morning.

A toy piano tinkles out
  A tiny, teeny-weeny tune,
So faint and sweet it might be played
  Away up in the silver moon.
The air with merry laughter rings,
  And shrieks of glee, and whoops of joy,
And happy gurgles of delight
  From rosy, romping girl and boy,
    For this is Christmas morning.

Wee Jimmy sports a soldier suit.
  And Johnny has a wagon red,
And Susie got a camera,
  And Bruce and Bobby each a sled.
And Tom in fringe and feathers gay,
  Just like an Indian chief appears,
And mother hugs them every one,
  And murmurs "Bless the little dears."
    For this is Christmas morning.
      —Mina Irving in Leslie's.

Christmas Plea for Peace.

Rev. David James Burrell of New York, in Leslie's: If the history of war could be adequately written, what a red, red chronicle it would be! Only a pen of sharpest steel dipped in an alembic of hottest fire could record it. It began with the beginning of time. Out of the primeval shadows strode Cain, with a red mark on his forehead and a bludgeon in his hand; and the embattled host fell in behind him, to pursue its sanguinary march down the centuries. The first of songs is the "Sword Song" of Lamech: "Hear my voice and hearken unto my speech; for I have slain a man!" Hear the rude cry of Samson as he returns from Philistia: "I have slain them; heaps on heaps, masses on masses, a thousand men!" On the heights of Esdraelon the daughters of Israel are shouting, "The stars in their courses fought against Sisera!" A father bereaved of a son slain in the battle of Gilboa is staggering up the stairway to his chamber on the housetop, moaning, "Oh, Absalom, my son, my son! would God that I had died for thee!" The banners of Assyria are waving on the mountains that encircle the holy city, and presently a long procession of captives moves eastward, and the glory of the chosen people vanishes in the darkness of an unbroken night. War, war and rumors of war; all along the ages!

At length the Sun of Righteousness arises, with healing in His wings. Now surely the sword will be sheathed, for is this not Shiloh, the Prince of Peace? Was ever a sweeter birthsong than His, "Glory to God in the highest; on earth peace, good-will toward men?" Was ever a more irenic proclamation than His golden rule, or ever a more pronounced "peace policy" than that which He outlined for His church on the farewell night: "Put up thy sword into the sheath; for they that take the sword shall perish by it?"

He'll Find It Useful.

A pretty worker's companion either for a man or a woman is made in the following manner: Take a skewer or an odd knitting needle (a wodden one) and put a few spools of cotton on it. Tie a bow of ribbon on each end. Then make a long loop of ribbon with another bow at the top. After the first spool at each end of the skewer attach a ribbon to hang down. Two small dolls are then seated on this novel swing and are dressed very prettily, to be used as pincushions.

The best advertised store in this or in any city wouldn't change places with the second best advertised store for any consideration whatever!

J. M. Gidding & Co.

"Correct Dress for Women"

Women's Top Coats
$15.00 and $19.50
Former Prices $25.00 to $45.00

About one hundred and fifty smartly tailored coats taken from the regular stocks—a large and splendid assortment of handsome mixtures, plain materials and auto coats—strictly tailored or trimmed styles, in ulster or open-front models—not complete size ranges in all styles and materials, but every size in the lot, and a great choice of "first-class" styles and materials.

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Handsome sets, highly appropriate for gifts, as well as for ones own personal use—in Black Fox, Fine Black Coyote Wolf, Jap Mink, Sable Squirrel and Russian Lynx.

A Sweater
Would Make a Splendid Gift.

Our selections are most complete in sweaters of all styles and colors—for women, girls and children—of fine selected all-wool yarns, full-fashioned in graceful models. Prices $4.50 to $25.00.

Have you seen the new "Wellesley" knitted outing cap, suitable for all out door winter sports? It is highly popular, and would make a nice gift. Price $2.50.

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Women appreciate some dainty articles of Dress, such as Neckwear, Gloves, Hose, Handkerchiefs, Scarfs, Veils or Silk Underwear.

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FURS Our Entire Line at 1/4 OFF!

Our Entire Line of Ladies' Tailored Cloth Suits

Half Price

All Trimmed Hats for Ladies

Nothing Reserved

Coats Choice of Any at 1/4 OFF!

We only give a few items by way of suggestion, any of these would made a sensible gift.

In Jewelry we have hundreds of dainty and useful little articles which women like—prices run from 25c up.

The Seals Are— ALBENBERGS *—On Sale Here*

DEFECTIVE PAGE

A QUESTION OF VERACITY

Owner of Camps Claims Story of Joseph Zareck Is Untrue.

Employment Agents Want Charges Investigated By City Authorities.

Axel Hagstrom, one of the owners of the lumber camps at Dibell siding, today flatly denies every detail of the story told yesterday by Joe Zareck to one of the city officials. The story of Zareck and the vehement denial upon the part of the man who is charged with throwing a man from his camp without necessary clothing, furnishes another chapter in the agitation that is being waged at the present time between the employment agencies and the laboring men.

Mr. Hagstrom came to Andrew Johnson, the agent who sent two men to his camp last Saturday, and today denied every statement made by Zareck, declared the statement a lie, offered to prove the untruth of the man's sensational claims, and furthermore stated that Zareck and his companions ran from his camp after eating at his expense from Saturday until Sunday noon, without doing a stroke of work in return for the board.

According to the story of Hagstrom, he needs men, has employed seven men at the camp, has hired six more here this morning, and will hire more in the near future, as men are scarce. He also says that he tried every argument to keep the men at the camp, as their services were needed.

"There is not a word of truth in the story," says Mr. Hagstrom. "I have always treated the boys fairly and honestly. I have never had a word of complaint against me among the men who have worked at my camp. Zareck and three others came to me Saturday. Only two of the party had tickets. They lived at my expense, sleeping Saturday afternoon. Sunday they had breakfast and lunch and ran away from the camp. I went after them, trying to persuade them to return to work, as I was pressed for men. They refused and ran away through the woods.

"There are farmers' houses all the way along the road to Duluth. If these men had followed the railroad they would have found station houses every ten miles. The story about being nearly frozen doesn't sound good to me or to people who are familiar with the country."

According to the story of Mr. Johnson, the employment agent who has been sending men to the Hagstrom Brothers' camp for a number of years, he has never heard a word of complaint from men who have worked in that camp. In company with Mr. Hagstrom today, Mr. Johnson states that he endeavored to have the men making the charge held pending an investigation, but that they could not be found.

According to the story of some of the employment men who voiced their sentiments today, the managers of lumber companies have stated that instances are not few, where laborers have come to the camps on Saturday, stayed over until Monday, and then refused to go to work.

Employment men today further expressed the intention of compelling the assistant city attorney, if such a course is possible, to make a thorough investigation into the matter that is being wrangled at the present time, find out if there are not certain agitators who make capital out of the fancied wrongs of hte laboring men, to force out of business the dishonest employment agent, and to reach the real facts in a matter that is stirring up a certain amount of bitterness.

The Zareck case is typical of other charges, the employment men claim, and they also state that they want this charge to be tried thoroughly, and that in this particular case the public be shown whether the employment agent or the man making the charges is telling the truth.

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"I'm Just Crazy About You."

Latest song hit, by Duluth composer, for sale at Ingvald Westgaard's. Hear it played and get a copy.

LECTURE

—BY—

Rev. J. M CLEARY,

(Of Minneapolis.)

—ON—

CHURCH and STATE

Cathedral Auditorium, Friday, Dec. 16, 8:15 p. m. Tickets 50c. On sale at Victor Huot's and Oullette & Co.

RECEIVER FILES BOND.

J. T. Nevin Takes Charge of Pittsburg Newspapers.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 14.—Joseph T. Nevin, formerly one of the best known newspaper managers in Pittsburg, filed his bond late yesterday as receiver of the Pittsburg Post Publishing company and the Sun Publishing company, both of which are owned by the same company. The bond in each case was $25,000.

Application for the receivership was made by the Farmers' Deposit National bank of Pittsburg on the ground that the companies could not meet approaching liabilities and were unable to pay their obligations. Answer admitting the allegation was filed. The receiver is to have full charge of the property, and business is to be wound up, and the property and franchises converted into money. Publication of the papers is to be continued.

The bill against the Post says it has 2,500 shares of stock of a par value of $100 a share and has assets as of Oct. 1 of $217,338.13; bills receivable valued at $50,000; other accounts, cash in bank and deposit with postmaster, $6,888,14; accounts receivable from Sun company $124,940.91; plant, $647,621.

There is mentioned in the bill a mortgage to secure 400 bonds of a par value of $100 each, all of which are outstanding. Debts aggregate $882,797.

The Post is the only Democratic newspaper published in Pittsburg and was established in 1842. The Sun is an afternoon newspaper and began its career almost five years ago.

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"NIG" CLARK GOES TO ST. LOUIS TEAM

New York, Dec. 14.—The first important trade of the baseball meetings here was consummated today when the Cleveland club traded Catcher "Nig" Clark to the St. Louis Americans for Second Baseman Griggs.

President Ban Johnson believes the inter-league series rather chimerical and says that so far as he knows, the American league season will open on April 12 and close on Oct. 6. He says he has reason to believe the National league will do the same."

Mr. Johnson expects that the American league magnates will authorize him to confer with President Lynch of the National league and prepare a playing schedule instead of having the playing dates fixed by a schedule committee.

BUILDERS IN SESSION

President Corning of State Association Commends Industrial Education.

Urges Members to Work for Fair Workingmen's Compensation Act.

If the commission appointed by Governor Johnson after the last session of the legislature to consider the subject of employers' liability reports a bill fair to all parties, the employers of the state should get behind it and do everything in their power to obtain its passage, is the opinion of J. W. L. Corning of St. Paul, president of the Minnesota Association of Builders' Exchanges. The presentation of President Corning's report was the feature of the morning session of the annual meeting of the association, which is being held in Duluth today.

Mr. Corning was unable to attend the meeting and his report was read to the assembled delegates.

Mr. Corning dealt at some length with the subject of employers' liability and workingmen's compensation. He recommended that the members of the association lend their influence to the passage of a bill providing for suitable workingmen's compensation, if the bill submitted by the commission prove to be fair to the employers as well as to employes.

Industrial Education.

Mr. Corning also discussed the subject of industrial education at some length and referred with commendation to the steps being taken all through the state to extend the system of industrial education in the public schools. He urged that the builders' exchanges of the state lend their encouragement to all such movements and pointed out that industrial education promises to keep the ranks of the building and others trades full with competent men of advanced ideas.

A special committee appointed at the last meeting of the association to consider industrial education also reported, the report containing the same recommendations as those made by the president.

The committee on uniformity of specifications reported a form for specifications, with sub-heads specified and arranged and recommended that the association adopt the draft for all specifications.

"Peddling" Denounced.

The committee on abuses incident to sub-bids on general contracts submitted a report denouncing the practice of "peddling" sub-contracts. The committee scathingly referred to the "peddling" of contracts as dishonorable and urged the association to adopt a strong resolution condemning the practice. "Peddling" of contracts is a common practice yet, but the holding of the practice as a violation of the ethics of contracting is diminishing it.

All of the reports received were submitted to the resolutions committee with the exception of the president's report, which went to a special committee.

The morning session was given over to the reception of report and the appointment of committees. About forty members of the association were present when the session opened at 10 o'clock in the rooms of the Duluth Builders' exchange, in the Lyceum building. In the absence of President Corning, Alexander Anderson, president of the Duluth exchange, presided. Delegates were present from the Minneapolis, St. Paul, Faribault, Stillwater and Duluth exchanges.

After the morning session, the out-of-town delegates were the guests of the Duluth exchange members, at luncheon, at the Commercial club.

The principal business of the meeting will be transacted this afternoon. The resolutions committee and the committee on the president's report will report and their recommendations will be discussed. Officers will also be elected.

Evening Meeting.

The annual banquet, which has been a feature of the state association's annual meetings in the past, has been dispensed with this year and the open meeting at the Commercial club tonight has been substituted. Employers' liability will be the subject of the addresses at the meeting tonight and the principal speakers will be George M. Gillett, president of the Minnesota Employers' association, and W. E. McEwen, state labor commissioner and secretary of the Minnesota Federation of Labor, both members of the state commission on employers' liability.

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HAD TO DANCE AT POINT OF GUN

Saloon Loungers Forced to Do Tenderfoot Stunt By Louis Peterson.

Louis Peterson pulled off a near Wild West stunt on a Bowery saloon early last evening.

With a loaded revolver the police say that he had half a dozen men in the saloon dancing and jigging for all they were worth. All that was lacking to complete the Wild West part of it was the popping of the gun and the zipping of the bullets through the flor about the rapidly moving feet.

Peterson was arrested on a charge of carrying concealed weapons and got $100 or sixty days in the county jail. Not being supplied with funds he will board with the sheriff for a couple of months It appears that Peterson got the impression that the men in the place were not giving him sufficient room at the bar, and that he pulled the gun to get even for that imaginary grievance.

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Your attention is called to the unusual supply of Holiday Gloves—from Grenoble, France—and elsewhere that many Duluth women are buying these days for gifts at the Silberstein & Bondy company store.

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SUBMITTED TO THE DIRECTORS

Commercial Club Receives Report on Commission Form of Government.

The board of directors of the Commercial club today held a meeting in the office of the secretary of the club and received the report of the joint committee appointed by the council and the club to inquire into the commission form of government question. The report was signed by all the members and was described as a unanimous report. It was accepted by the board of directors.

It is understood that Alderman Shartel, who was chairman of the joint committee, plans to submit to the city council a minority report. He signed the report received today by the club board. It is strongly in favor of the commission form and is printed in full in another column.

The suggested modifications of the Des Moines model to fit local conditions attracted much attention and were quite generally approved by those who had an opportunity to see the report.

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(*for the chick of a girl and her baby brother*)

A snapshot of the sensible side is displayed in our West Windows. Reminds one of Christmas morning as there is nothing absent but the Christmas tree.

Dolls Little Dutch Dolls with painted faces.
Mammoth Rag Dolls as big as a 2-year-old—and you can't break 'em.
Little Red Riding Hoods.
Celluloid Dolls, in all sizes.
An array of Baby Bumps Dolls, Hairy Poodles, Squeaking Bears and Harmless Elephants.

Exclusive Novelties. for the play room, nursery and wardrobe.
Dress and Coat Hangers—Novelty Rattles, hand-painted, in odd fantasies—Pin Boxes—Banks—Talcum Boxes—Ribbon Boxes — Trinket Boxes — Pin Dolls — Teething Rings—Napkin Rings—Pin Trays—tiny fancy Dolls.

Beautiful fancy **White Dresses.**
Princess Slips in silk and muslin.

Guimpes,
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Leggings,
Caps,
Sleeping Garments,
Silk Stockings,
Dainty Shoes,
Hand-knit Sweaters,
Baby Coats, in all materials.

with dainty and attractive Bonnets to match.
These are merely hints of the Baby-Craft Shop treasures.

Her First Set of Furs

A royal gift for a little girl would be furs. Besides their cosy warmth is appreciated by wee people as well as grown-ups—when icy winds off Lake Superior blow the chills thru one.

Do you know a little girl who would be made happy by furs?
Furs of many kinds are here for small girls—
Sets at **$1.50, $3.50, $6.75, $12.50 and $16.50.**

Furs—Second Floor: Baby-Craft Shop—Third Floor.

New Foulards for 1911 are here—and Foulards promise to be on the crest of Silk Fashion the coming spring season.
Your inspection is invited.

An emergency shipment of **Fowne's English Gloves,** came yesterday.
We are as glad to have them as you will be to give them for intimate gifts.
No better gloves made—**$1.50 and $2.**

Silberstein & Bondy Company

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DULUTH'S BEST
CLOAK AND SUIT HOUSE,
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Give Furs This Year!

No better Christmas gift for Mother, Sister or Sweetheart could be thought of than a Set of Furs, or a Fur Coat.

We show an extensive variety of Handsome Fur Sets, which make ideal Christmas Gifts. These include Mink, Sable, Ermine, Pointed Fox, Black Fox, Marten, Delaide Chinchilla, Fisher Marten and many others.

Russian Pony Coats

Beautifully marked garments, with fine brocade linings, well made and specially priced—

$49.50, $55, $57.50

GROCERY FIRE!

Our Grocery store was partially burned Monday morning, and, pending the adjustment of the insurance, we are temporarily located at **222-224 West First Street,** where the Pure Food Show was held.

We have a **FRESH STOCK OF GROCERIES,** fruits and vegetables direct from the wholesalers—everything new. Both phones.

Phone Your Orders—Prompt Deliveries.

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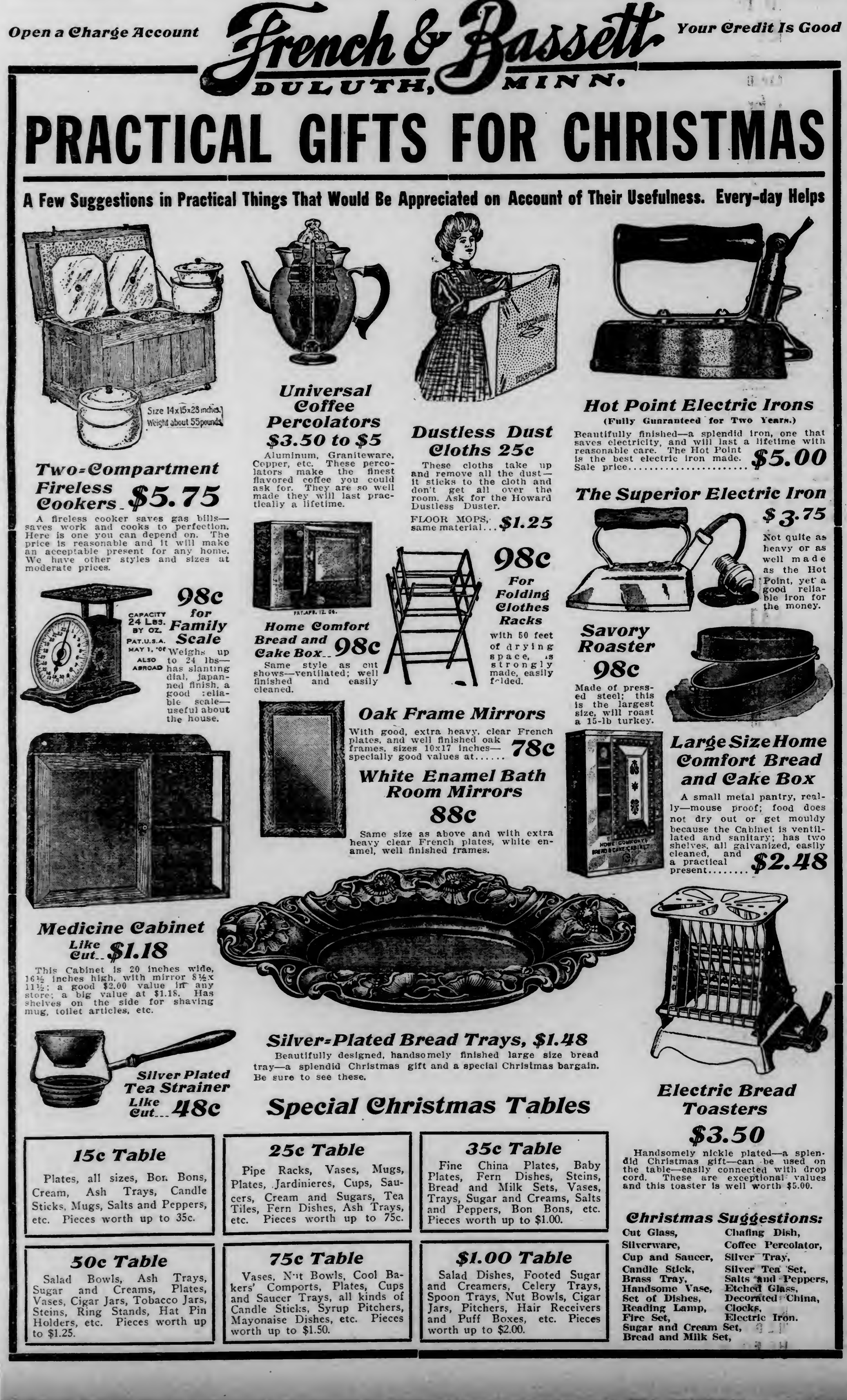

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PRACTICAL GIFTS FOR CHRISTMAS

A Few Suggestions in Practical Things That Would Be Appreciated on Account of Their Usefulness. Every-day Helps

Two-Compartment Fireless Cookers $5.75

A fireless cooker saves gas bills—saves work and cooks to perfection. Here is one you can depend on. The price is reasonable and it will make an acceptable present for any home. We have other styles and sizes at moderate prices.

Universal Coffee Percolators $3.50 to $5

Aluminum, Graniteware, Copper, etc. These percolators make the finest flavored coffee you could ask for. They are so well made they will last practically a lifetime.

Dustless Dust Cloths 25c

These cloths take up and remove all the dust—it sticks to the cloth and don't get all over the room. Ask for the Howard Dustless Duster.

FLOOR MOPS, same material... ***$1.25***

Hot Point Electric Irons

(Fully Guaranteed for Two Years.)

Beautifully finished—a splendid iron, one that saves electricity, and will last a lifetime with reasonable care. The Hot Point is the best electric iron made. Sale price...................... ***$5.00***

The Superior Electric Iron $3.75

Not quite as heavy or as well made as the Hot Point, yet a good reliable iron for the money.

98c for Family Scale

Weighs up to 24 lbs—has slanting dial, japanned finish, a good reliable scale—useful about the house.

Home Comfort Bread and Cake Box.. 98c

Same style as cut shows—ventilated; well finished and easily cleaned.

98c For Folding Clothes Racks

with 50 feet of drying space, is strongly made, easily folded.

Savory Roaster 98c

Made of pressed steel; this is the largest size, will roast a 15-lb turkey.

Oak Frame Mirrors

With good, extra heavy, clear French plates, and well finished oak frames, sizes 10x17 inches—specially good values at...... ***78c***

White Enamel Bath Room Mirrors 88c

Same size as above and with extra heavy clear French plates, white enamel, well finished frames.

Large Size Home Comfort Bread and Cake Box

A small metal pantry, really—mouse proof; food does not dry out or get mouldy because the Cabinet is ventilated and sanitary; has two shelves, all galvanized, easily cleaned, and a practical present........ ***$2.48***

Medicine Cabinet Like Cut.. $1.18

This Cabinet is 20 inches wide, 16½ inches high, with mirror 8½x11½; a good $2.00 value in any store; a big value at $1.18. Has shelves on the side for shaving mug, toilet articles, etc.

Silver-Plated Bread Trays, $1.48

Beautifully designed, handsomely finished large size bread tray—a splendid Christmas gift and a special Christmas bargain. Be sure to see these.

Silver Plated Tea Strainer Like Cut... 48c

Electric Bread Toasters $3.50

Handsomely nickle plated—a splendid Christmas gift—can be used on the table—easily connected with drop cord. These are exceptional values and this toaster is well worth $5.00.

Special Christmas Tables

15c Table

Plates, all sizes, Bon Bons, Cream, Ash Trays, Candle Sticks, Mugs, Salts and Peppers, etc. Pieces worth up to 35c.

25c Table

Pipe Racks, Vases, Mugs, Plates, Jardinieres, Cups, Saucers, Cream and Sugars, Tea Tiles, Fern Dishes, Ash Trays, etc. Pieces worth up to 75c.

35c Table

Fine China Plates, Baby Plates, Fern Dishes, Steins, Bread and Milk Sets, Vases, Trays, Sugar and Creams, Salts and Peppers, Bon Bons, etc. Pieces worth up to $1.00.

50c Table

Salad Bowls, Ash Trays, Sugar and Creams, Plates, Vases, Cigar Jars, Tobacco Jars, Steins, Ring Stands, Hat Pin Holders, etc. Pieces worth up to $1.25.

75c Table

Vases, Nut Bowls, Cool Bakers' Comports, Plates, Cups and Saucer Trays, all kinds of Candle Sticks, Syrup Pitchers, Mayonaise Dishes, etc. Pieces worth up to $1.50.

$1.00 Table

Salad Dishes, Footed Sugar and Creamers, Celery Trays, Spoon Trays, Nut Bowls, Cigar Jars, Pitchers, Hair Receivers and Puff Boxes, etc. Pieces worth up to $2.00.

Christmas Suggestions:

Cut Glass,
Silverware,
Cup and Saucer,
Candle Stick,
Brass Tray,
Handsome Vase,
Set of Dishes,
Reading Lamp,
Fire Set,
Sugar and Cream Set,
Bread and Milk Set,
Chafing Dish,
Coffee Percolator,
Silver Tray,
Silver Tea Set,
Salts and Peppers,
Etched Glass,
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Size 14x15x28 inches. Weight about 55 pounds.
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RELATIONS WITH CHINA

Prominent American Resident of Shanghai Will Talk to Business Men.

Dr. Gilbert Reid Tells of Scope of International Institute.

Dr. Gilbert Reid, founder and director of the International Institute of China, who will make an address at the Commercial club tomorrow night on "Commercial Relations with China," is in the city, a guest of C. E. De Witt. Dr. Reid is exceptionally well informed about Chinese affairs and has made speeches before commercial gatherings in many of the larger cities.

The institute of which he is the head is located at Shanghai and it is a most remarkable one. It was founded for the purpose of bringing about closer relations between the Chinese and the people of other nations and is doing its work well. Dr. Reid left China last May with an appointment from the authorities of the institution to present to the people of this country a clearer understanding of conditions in the Orient and arouse a more intelligent interest in Oriental questions. America is influential in China and this country's opportunities there are great in a commercial way, Mr. Reid says.

Dr. Reid has addressed the commercial organizations of New York city, Cincinnati, Buffalo and Chicago, among others, and from here he will go to the Twin Cities. From there he will go to the cotton belt, where interest in China is more acute than in any other place in the United States.

"The institute at Shanghai is nothing like the American commercial organization," said Dr. Reid this morning. "It has some similarity to the Smithsonian Institute at Washington, on a smaller scale, and is primarily designed to be an agency for the advancement of learning, of knowledge and the spreading of enlightenment. It has scope for special research work and it labors in co-operation with the government of China. The institute has assisted in the establishment by the government of Western systems of education, which has just been adopted, and its activities extend in every direction. It is not unlike the International Association of Conciliation societies, which has headquarters in New York, and promotes peace between China and the rest of the world.

For Educated Chinese.

"It is the one organization where the intelligent Chinese and the prominent American or European united and work for co-operation, and it is the only organization under foreign control that has the sanction of the Chinese government. This sanction was first given in 1897 and then again in 1909. In the latter year the throne conferred a decoration on the largest American contributor to our support, William G. Low of New York city, a brother of Former Mayor Seth Low. The board of foreign affairs also bestowed on the institution an honorific tablet, together with $1,500 in token of its good will and approval.

"The Institution being cosmopolitan, it makes no discrimination as to religion. Representatives of all creeds are joined together in efforts to further humanitarian movements.

"We have one section known as the religious section, in which the representatives of the different religions in China confer on the best ways to prosecute missionary, insuring amicable endeavor by all sects. This section is really a congress of religions in miniature.

"Being located in Shanhai, we have a commercial section, in which the leading merchants of China and foreign merchants engaged in business in the Orient confer on trade questions and on the best ways of removing barriers to commercial progress. The Chinese chamber of commerce and the foreign chamber enjoy the advantages this section offers.

"As the institute is largely educational in character, the educational section is important and its work covers a wide field.

"Then there is the women's section, with which is affiliated the Ladies' International Tea-cup club, the first woman's club ever organized in the Orient. Women of China here associate with those of other lands.

"The institution is incorporated at Hong Kong under the British laws. A most remarkable thing about it is that the Chinese are generous supporters of the work, their contributions proving their appreciation and approval of the enterprise. The subscriptions of foreign residents of Shanghai are liberal, too. All nations are interested in the work and the benefits are common to them all.

"It was in 1904, during the China-Japanese war, that the idea of this institute accurred to me, and it is really worthy of note that within three years it had gained the sanction of the Chinese government. Two months ago the Chinese naval commission visited this country, and the admiral at its head was the president of the institution's general committee."

A large attendance is expected to hear Dr. Reid tomorrow night.

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"I'M CRAZY, YOUR HONOR," SAYS PRISONER.

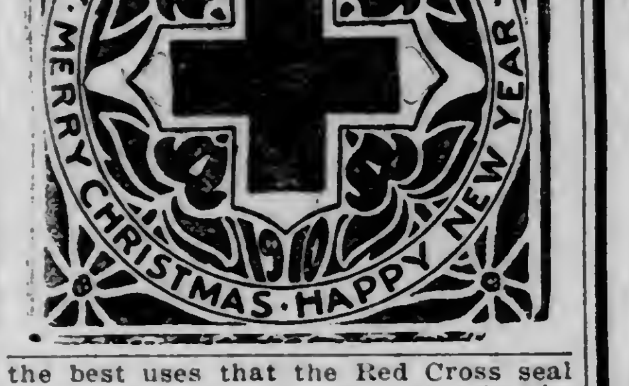
John Lahey, a laborer, claimed in police court this morning, when arraigned on a charge of being drunk, that he wasn't drunk. "I'm crazy, your honor," was his unexpected declaration.

The court ordered that a plea of not guilty be entered on the records and his trial set for Saturday morning. Lahey said that he thought he is entitled to an examination as to his sanity, and he will get it in probate court before being tried on the drunk charge. He came to the police station himself last night, claiming that some one was chasing him with a gun.

SCHOOLS HAVE SOLD 39,479 SEALS ALREADY

Only a small part of the returns from the sale of Red Cross seals from the various schools of the city have been received at the superintendent's office, but already the money for the sale of 39,479 seals have been sent in. These last few days are busy ones for the boys and girls who are determined that their school shall secure the prize of $10 offered to the school that sells the most seals. The contest will close Friday of this week. Every one is requested to note the change in time. It was planned at first to have this contest last until next week.

There are many boys and girls writing essays for the individual prizes offered by the Duluth committee for the best essay on "The Uses of the Red Cross Seal." The essays must be in by Friday of this week, the boys and girls to hand them to their teachers. The prizes will be awarded next week. The essay is to be not longer than 100 words and there is yet time for any boy or girl to enter the contest. Just write what you think are the best uses that the Red Cross seal can be put to and you may win the prize.


AMERICAN RED CROSS
MERRY CHRISTMAS · HAPPY NEW YEAR
1910

Here is the way some one thought the Red Cross seal told about itself:

"I came from Denmark. Santa Claus adopted me there from a big family of brothers and sisters, and said to me, 'Every time you see a letter or a package going off to bring a Merry Christmas to somebody, you just call out to the sender, "Let me go along. I'll make your gift more enjoyable; I'll bring more happiness than you can think of." And then, said Santa Claus to me, "folks will stick you to their letters and parcels and send you all over the world." I was so glad when he told me that, but I was happier still, when a pretty lady with a bright red cross on her sleeve, just like the one on my face, said to a man who wanted me, 'He costs only a penny, and every penny you give for him goes to cure and prevent that awful plague, consumption.' The man listened intently and then he said, 'I'll take $10 worth.' Wasn't I glad? I was helping him to bring a Merry Christmas and I was helping the pretty lady to fight consumption. How happy I was to think that Santa Claus adopted me over in Denmark six years ago!"

RAILROADS

SURVEYORS ARE RUNNING LINES

Work Being Done in Marshall and Beltrami Counties Starts Rumors.

Thief River Falls, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.) — Settlers northeast of Thief River Falls report that surveyors are running lines through Eastern Marshall and Northwestern Beltrami counties. These engineers inform the farmers that they are ditch viewers—a statement hardly credited as all the great ditching projects in that territory have been located, viewed and contracts let for their construction.

Within the last three years several railroad parties have run lines from this city northeasterly towards the Canadian boundary, ostensibly with a terminus at International Falls. The region within these surveys is the only rich territory left in the Northwest not traversed by a railway line, and the company first entering it is assured of an abundant return.

It is probable that the surveyors at work in this territory represent one of the two competing lines which are striving to get possession of the bulk of the railway business in this northwestern part of the state.

FIXES UNIT OF OFFENSE.

Court Sustains the Federal Safety Appliance Act.

New Orleans, Dec. 14.—In an opinion sustaining the safety appliance act of congress and giving to it a broader application than has heretofore been recorded, the United States circuit court of appeals for the Fifth circuit holds that the use of each defective car in a train is the unit of offense.

If as many as twenty cars not equipped as required by the act are used in one train, an equal number of penalties may be recovered, and the court held that even the mere coupling with other cars in a train of such defective cars, were such train engaged in interstate commerce, is a violation of the law.

The opinion was handed down in the case of the government against the St. Louis & Southwestern Railroad company, which came up on appeal from the Eastern district of Texas.

Holiday Excursion Fares.

To points in Michigan and Eastern Canada via the South Shore. Please apply to agents for particulars.

Carrier at Long Prairie.

Washington, Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—Sidney C. Burns was today appointed rural carrier and Annie Burns substitute for route No. 5 at Long Prairie, Minn.

ROSSTEUSCHER DIES OF WOUNDS

Farmhand Who Shot South Dakota Man Succumbs.

Yankton, S. D., Dec. 14.—Daniel Courtney, a farmer, who was shot by George Rossteuscher, a farmhand who had been discharged because of his attentions to Courtney's niece, was still alive today, but doctors hold out no hope for his recovery.

Rossteuscher, who was made prisoner late yesterday afternoon after he had defied a posse all day, died last night. It has not been determined whether he was shot by a member of the posse or shot himself.

"I'm Just Crazy About You."

Latest song hit, by Duluth composer, for sale at Ingvald Westgaard's. Hear it played and get a copy.

EAU CLAIRE WOMAN INJURED AT CLOQUET.

Cloquet, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—Mrs. Charlotte Smith of Eau Claire, Wis., sustained a fractured wrist yesterday afternoon by falling on an icy sidewalk on Third street, several block from the home of her son, Otis Smith, whom she is visiting. The streets of the city are in a slippery condition, and those on the hillsides are especially dangerous, all of them being used by the youngsters for skiing and coasting.

LAST COMPANY PLEADS GUILTY

Chemical Paper Concern Is Fined $1,000 Under Sherman Law.

New York, Dec. 14.—The Chemical Paper company, one of the forty corporations composing the American Paper Board association, all of which were indicted by the federal grand jury a year ago for violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, today withdrew its plea of not guilty entered at the time of the indictmen, and pleaded guily.

Judge Hough, in the United States circuit court, imposed a fine of $1,000 on the company and at the request of United States District Attorney Door, quashed the individual indictment found at the same time against F. W. Newton, president of the company.

The other thirty-nine companies pleaded guilty when the indictments were returned and were fined $2,000 each.

Lea for Postmaster.

Washington, Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—The president today nominated Anton O. Lea to be postmaster at New Richland, Minn.

Plague is Disappearing.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 14.—The bubonic plague is disappearing from Manchuria.

$20 Overcoats Now $10

At the "3 Winners" Clothing company, 115 East Superior street.

A Friend in Need

When you have headache
Heartburn, coated tongue
Gas-belching, incipient cold,
Take Hood's Pills

LAKESIDE

$5,300—Desirable home on McCulloch street, eight rooms and reception hall, and newly decorated; full basement, stone foundation, hot water heat, laundry tubs and supplementary heater; strictly modern throughout; good barn. Lot, 50 by 140; reasonable terms.

$4,775—Excellent value—six-room dwelling on Regent street; all modern; hot water heat, gas heater, hardwood floors throughout; lot 50 by 140; some cash, balance monthly.

See us for further particulars. Don't telephone.

Chas. P. Craig & Co.,
501-505 SELLWOOD BLDG.

MONEY LOANED

At lowest market rates on improved Duluth real estate.

Money Always on Hand.

MENDENHALL & HOOPES
209 First National Bank Bldg.

A SNAP!

7-room house and barn, well located, West end, for sale cheap. Easy terms. Owner going to leave Duluth and must sell.

C. A KNIPPENBERG,
300 Alworth Building.
Phones 597.

Hirsh, Wickwire & Co. FINEST OVERCOATS for ______ **$15**
AT THE BIG DULUTH

Glove Bonds

The fact that Gloves satisfy as gifts in so many instances makes our Glove Bonds an admirable form of giving, as the correct size and desired style in gloves can be selected by the one who is to wear them.

Silk Headquarters at the Head of the Lakes.

Freimuth's

LAKE AVENUE, MICHIGAN AND SUPERIOR STREETS.

Merchandise Certificates

This is a very popular and practical method of giving. The recipient selects merchandise from any section up to the face value of the certificate. Especially recommended to employers desirous of remembering employes.

Half Price Is All We Ask for Any **Women's Tailored Suits** in the House

Nothing reserved, from the handsome plain tailored suits to the finest dressy models, including late arrivals in fine velvet and fur-trimmed suits.

Every Suit a late model and right up-to-the-minute in style—Suits that have an air of elegance prevailing in every line, made of the most fashionable materials, plain and fancies, black and all the new shades—all sizes, so that most any one can be fitted -:- -:- -:- -:- -:- -:- -:- -:

$19.95 Suits at	$9.98
$22.50 Suits at	$11.25
$25.00 Suits at	$12.50
$29.50 Suits at	$14.75
$35.00 Suits at	$17.50
$39.50 Suits at	$19.75
$45.00 Suits at	$22.50
$50.00 Suits at	$25.00
$65.00 Suits at	$32.50
$75.00 Suits at	$37.50

Hudson Bay ..... Seal Coats

Regular Values up to $275, now only $200

A great Christmas leader—your gift will surely please if it's one of these fine Coats of beautiful Hudson Seal.

The fur is of high quality and the workmanship the very best. Beautiful French dye; lined throughout with fine brocaded satin; a very handsome garment and rare value at $200.

Russian Pony Coats—Made of fine selected skin; nicely marked; satin lined; regular $75.00 value, special at **$50.00**

Handsome Russian Pony Coats—Full length, beautifully dapple marked; full brocaded satin lining; regular $100.00 value, special at **$75.00**

Rusian Pony Coats—Made of finest selected skins; very soft and silky; beautifully marked; finest brocaded satin lining; regular $125.00 and $135.00 coats, special at **$100.00**

Trimmed Millinery

At 1/3 Off Regular Prices

A nice hat makes a high class gift. On these hats you save one-third. Handsome creations in tailored and dressy affairs, in all the newest shapes; each hat distinctive—no two alike.

Silver Plated Toilet Sets at $4.98

Exceptional values in silver plated toilet sets, neat designs, consisting of brush, comb and mirror—exceptional value at $4.98.

Sterling Silver Manicure Pieces — Regular 50c value, special at **29c**

Napkin Rings — Silver plated; regular 50c value, special at **29c**

Nut Crackers — Silver plated; six picks and crackers; regular 50c value, special at **39c**

Gold Filled Cuff Links and Scarf Pins—Regular 75c value, at **50c**

Rogers' Silver Berry Spoons—Regular price $1.50, special at **$1.00**

Gold and Silver Jewel Boxes — Neat designs; regular price 65c, special at... **50c**

Silk Hosiery

Always Acceptable and Useful

Women's Black Thread Silk Hose—Made with lisle garter top, sole, heels, and toes; good weight, at 50c, 95c and $1.50.

Women's Colored Silk Hose—Lisle heels, soles and toes, and garter tops; pink, blue, gray, tan, brown, red, lavender and black. Put up in fancy gift box; special pair **$1.25**

Women's Silk Hose—Real hand silk embroidered on black thread silk, and an immense range of designs and colors; priced, pair $2.50 and up.

Women's Linen Initial Handkerchiefs

Here's a favorite gift—pure linen, hemstitched hem, block initial, encircled with embroidery—with 3 in neat box for $1.00.

Women's Pure Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, narrow hem — special at 3 for **25c**

Women's Linen Handkerchiefs, Amrisigul embroidered corners — special at each **15c**

Women's Armenian Lace Edge Handkerchiefs, all pure linen—each **35c**

Women's Lawn Handkerchiefs, embroidered borders, neat designs—special at each **12½c**

Men's Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, embroidered Initial, hemstitched, narrow hem, at **25c**

Men's Pure Linen Handkerchiefs — soft bleached, narrow hemstitched hem —at **25c**

Men's Pure Linen Handkerchiefs — soft bleached—special at **15c**

Children's Initial Handkerchiefs, colored initial, three in fancy box —at per box only **15c**

Excellent Gift Suggestions in Linens

An extensive showing of beautiful pattern Table Cloths, in especially expuisite patterns, at $2.00 and up. Our showing of beautiful sets has caused much favorable comment. Many new patterns have just arrived—all beauties—priced from $4.00 to $35.00 per set.

We feature a handsome Pattern Cloth Linen Set—Pure Irish linen; fine satin finish. Choice patterns. 2x2½-yard cloth. ¾ Dinner Napkins, put up in fancy gift box. Ready for giving at, per set $5.25.

Fancy Gift Towels—In huck and damask, in plain hem, hemstitched and scalloped; priced from 15c to $3.75 each.

Embroidered Sheets and Pillow Cases—In pretty designs, either single or in sets; priced at, per set, $2.25 up to $15.00.

Books Make Ideal Holiday Gifts

Our assortment embraces Books suitable for everybody. Standard fiction by the best living authors, at $1.19. Hundreds of titles of special copyrighted additions at 50c. Complete assortment of boys' and girls' books, all interesting stories, at 25c. Children's books at all prices.

Large line of fancy gift books. Bibles from 50c to $15.00. Testaments and Psalms, 50c to $5.00. Prayer Books from 50c up to $2.50. Prayer Books and Hyms from 50c up. Key of Heaven from 35c up to $5.00.

Myrtle Reed's Books—New addition, "Master of the Vineyard," "Old Rose and Silver" and "Flower of the Dust," at .. **$1.50**

Gift Books — Padded leather cover, gold edge; standard works and poems, each in box, at **65c**

Burnt Wood Special Values.

Burnt Wood Photo and Trinket Boxes — Size 4x7x10, neat designs, special at 25c.

Glove and Tie Boxes — Size 4x5x12 inches, at 25c.

Handkerchief Boxes—Size 2x6x6 inches, each 15c, or two for 25c.

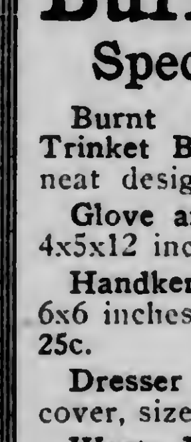
Dresser Boxes—Over lapping cover, size 3x7x15 inches, at 50c.

Waste Paper Baskets—Regular 65c value, for 50c.

8-inch Plaques, 3 for 25c.
6-inch Plaques, 6 for 25c.

Women's Crochet Slippers

Like Cut—Special at 59c



Fifty dozen Women's Fine Crochet Slippers—Made of fine worsted yarn, in all the wanted colors, with dainty ribbon bows.

These slippers are easily worth $1. Through a fortunate purchase we secured fifty dozen at a price enabling us to sell them at 59c.

Other Holiday Slippers at $1, $1.25 up to $2.80.
Men's Holiday Slippers—In great variety at $1, $1.50 and up.
Extensive showing of Children's Warm Slippers, at all prices.

Buy Christmas Neckwear

From the Sample Line and Save a ______ THIRD

The collection embraces every new conceit in neck fixings, dainty lace and silk Jabots, exquisite Lace and Silk Collars, Collar and Cuff Sets, Lace and Silk Bows, etc.

Also included are Silk Throws, in black and colors, all at ONE-THIRD below regular value. -:-

Gift Suggestions for Men

Men's Neckwear at 50c—Thousands to choose from, in plain and fancy silks and every fashionable shade. Newest four-in hands, with wide flowing ends; each put up in fancy gift box, at **50c**

Men's Combination Sets—Pair of pure silk hose, with neck tie to match, in fancy gift box ready for giving, at **$1.00**

Combination Sets—Consisting of Suspenders, Garters and Arm Bands, in fancy box **75c**

We Sell More Toys Than Any Other Store Because We Sell Cheaper and Have the Largest Assortment.

$5 Hobby Horses $3.98

Genuine Hair-covered Hobby Horses—Selling regularly for $5, on sale Thursday, from 8 to 11, at **$3.98**

Laundry Wash Sets

With tub, wringer and basket — Regular 59c value, from 8 to 11, at each **29c**

One Thousand Little Red Carts.

With long wire handle — Regular 10c value, for **5c**

75c Doll Carts 59c

100 Semi-collapsible Doll Carts, with hood, like cut; our regular 75c leader, special Thursday, from 8 to 11, at each **59c**

Limit Two to a Customer.

100 Fancy Cake Plates.

Nicely decorated; regular 25c value, special at **10c**

Oat Meal Sets.

Nicely decorated; bowl, pitcher and plate; regular $1.00 value, special from 8 to 11, at **50c**

Berry & Salad Sets

Nicely decorated; large bowl and six sauce plates to match; regular price $2.00, special from 8 to 11, at each .. **$1.48**

"For Your Good and Ours, Shop in the Morning Hours."

Buying Days *from now* Until Xmas

Shop
Early
GA

The time for completing the gift list is ***now.*** Just nine short days and then—the joyous Yuletide.

The importance of early shopping has been emphasized for days, but many have been detained from unavoidable causes. To these we say: Take no chances with small and incomplete stocks, but come direct to Holiday Headquarters where unlimited stocks, leisurely selection and attention and lowest prices combine to make your shopping a convenient pleasure.

Art Goods Gifts

Dozens of most useful gifts present themselves upon examination of our most excellent stocks. For the woman who is fond of fancy work no more pleasing remembrance could be selected than—

Sewing Boxes: Simple and elaborate, wide diversity of selection from **25c** up to **$8.50.**

Work Baskets: All manner of baskets, sizes, shapes and colors in a myriad of selections at from **10c to $6.**

Pin Cushions: There's plain ones at little cost and a wide range of styles up to the silver mounted designs; prices vary from **59c to $3.**

Gift Stationery

An article you are sure to please with is stationery. Every man or woman needs it. There's moderate, medium and expensive kinds put up in holiday boxes, with envelopes to match. Prices range from **25c** up to **$3.50.**

For the Christmas packages there are appropriate tags, labels, cards, also a most eleborate line of art calendars at most every price one would care to pay.

Sale of Hair Goods

Thursday will be an ideal day to buy high quality, sanitary hair goods at little prices. For this day's special selling we quote—

Parisian Clusters: from selected quality hair, with 22 to 35 puffs to set, regular $6 value, special at **$3.98.**

Chignon Puffs: Good size chignons with many puffs, sanitary hair of good luster, regular $5 value, special for Thursday at **$2.98.**

Switches: Good weight, and selected quality hair, perfectly sanitary—

18-inch length at	98c
20-inch length at	$1.98
22-inch length at	$2.98

Appropriate Gifts for Men

Dress things are most practical things for men. The very newest things complementary to "his" correct attire—fixings with a very "Christmassy" look are shown in great diversity of articles in our first floor men's stores. Casual examination will reveal—

Suspenders: in fancy boxes, ready for giving, plain and silk web, pearl and metal trimmed, at **50c to $2.**

Neckwear: Four-in-hand and open end styles, all colors, selected quality silk, priced at **25c to $2.50.**

Hosiery: Silk and cotton, plain colors and embroidered, put up 2 pairs to holly box, priced from **50c to $3.95.**

Mufflers: Silk and cotton knit mufflers, our own direct importation on which we save jobber's commission and enables us to undersell, fringed styles, all colors, priced from **75c to $4.95.**

Gloves: Cape and Mocha styles, plain and fancy sewed, selected quality, priced at **$1 to $2.50**

"Pearl Trim" Suspenders: widely advertised in magazines, we are exclusive agents for these goods, which are put up in holiday boxes and sell at from **75c to $2.50.**

This Half-Price Sale Has Caused Great Activity in Tailored Suits

The selling has been remarkable. With fully five months of the winter suit season yet to come, thrifty women with a sense of economy have been quick to avail themselves of this unexampled offer. The absence of restrictions—such conditions as prevail at other stores' sales—has won favor, too. Women are glad to participate in a **GENUINE HALF PRICE SALE**—where unrestricted choosing is afforded—where credit is as good as cash—where subterfuges are rescinded entirely. These conditions will meet with further approval Thursday when we offer every suit in the house at just... **Half Price**

Children's Coats at Half Price!

This sale enables you to buy for the little ones a better coat than you had at first contemplated, and at the same time pay less than you would have for a cheap coat. Let them take the one they wear for "nice" now and use it for school—get them a stylish new one for less than a regular "school" coat would cost. This is possible since we offer the entire line of children's and junior's cloth coats at just.......... **Half Price**

All Trimmed Millinery at Half Price!

Pattern and Plume Hats, Fur and Fur Trimmed Turbans, Included.

The exquisite plume hat for the reception or theater, and which many women would indulge themselves in but for prohibitive cost, is no longer impossible. This great half price sale makes it easy and practical to fulfill the desire. Every plume and pattern hat, all fur trimmed and fur turbans, as well as the newest mid-winter trimmed shapes go into the lot with their prices cut in twain. No exceptions to the lot, but every trimmed hat in the house offered at just.......... **Half Price**

Thursday's Important Hour Sale From 8 to 10

75c Emb. Squares 39c

Fine embroidered and hemstitched squares, suitable for shams or table tops; these come in three new and beautiful designs; size 30x30; worth 75c, special at.......... **39c**

Limit Two to Each Customer.

65c Embroidered Hose 39c

Women's black lisle hose, embroidered in colors; grip top, double heel and toe; Hermsdorf dye; all sizes; regular 65c values, in holly box, special 8 to 10, at.......... **39c**

Limit Three Pairs to Customer.

Men's $1 Box Silk Hose 69c

Men's Phoenix silk hose; put up two pairs to holly box; plain colors, varied shades; regular $1 value, special from 8 to 10 at, per box.......... **69c**

Limit Two Boxes to Customer.

Passepartout Pictures 10c

One great lot of passepartout pictures, including such subjects as heads, snow scenes, mottoes, landscapes, marine views, cupids, and college girls; good size; worth 15c to 25c, special at.......... **10c**

Limit Three to Customer.

To 39c Back Combs 10c

Lot of shell back combs, assorted sizes and shapes, gold filled and aluminum finished tops; fancy stone and sets: worth to 39c, special at.......... **10c**

Limit Three Combs to Customer.

Ribbon Remnants at 15c

One great lot of ribbon remnants, including Dresden, plain taffeta, and Persian effects; widths to 5 inches, lengths from ½ to 2 yards, values worth to 48c, closing at, per yard.......... **15c**

Limit Five Yards to Customer.

Panton & White Co.

Mail orders promptly filled same day as received.

Good Glove Gifts

With each pair of $1 or over we give a holly box **free**

Fosters' Rowena Gloves, pearl clasp, pair, **$2.50.**

Fosters' Newton Pique Kid, all colors, street or evening, pair, **$2.**

Monarch Kid Gloves, per pair, **$2.**

Fownes' Dagmar Gloves, pair, **$1.50.**

Fownes' La Tosca Gloves, per pair, **$2.**

Elite Street Gloves, cape new embroidered back, 1-clasp, pair, **$1.50.**

Elite Mochas, **$1, $1.50 and $2.**

Elite 1-clasp Kid Gloves, per pair, **$1.25.**

Solve size question with our Glove Certificates.

Cut Glass and China

Cut Glass Bowls: Rich and deep cutting, highly polished, 8-inch size, at **$3.95** and up to **$12.95.**

Cream and Sugar Sets: Pretty new shapes of splendidly cut glass, footed and unfooted, several new cuttings, priced from **$2.98 to $6.50.**

Salts and Peppers: Beautifully hand painted china, rich colorings and wide variety of designs, pair **$2.25.**

Cream and Sugar Sets: Translucent china, very pretty decorations, ranging from, set **$1.10** to **$8.95.**

French China Plates: Plain and fancy decorations, varied sizes and patterns, from **98c** to **$42.50.**

Hand Decorated Plates: Popular 7-inch size, wide variance of subjects, at **48c** up to **$42.50.**

Christmas Handkerchief Specials

35c Ardinnes Hand Embroidered, 25c: All linen Ardinnes, hand-embroidered corner; also all-linen Ardinnes, hand scalloped edge—worth 35c, special tomorrow at **25c.**

15c Swiss Allover Embroidered, 10c: One big lot of 240 dozen good quality Swiss, hemstitched, barred and allover embroidered; regular 15c values, offered special tomorrow, **10c.**

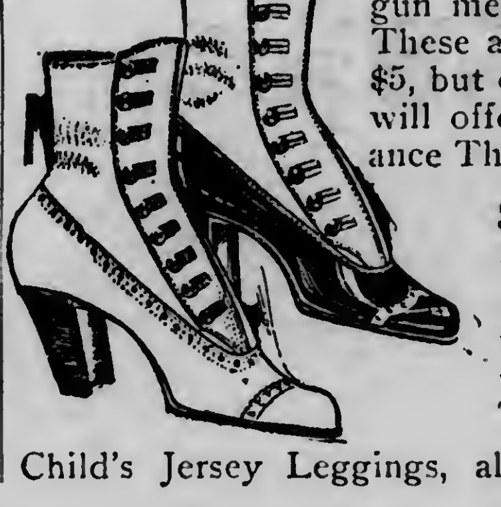
98c Lace Edge and Embroidered, 48c: Sheer barred linen, hemstitched and embroidered, and trimmed with dainty Val. lace edge—regular 98c values, special tomorrow at **48c.**

Men's 25c Colored and Japanette, 10c: Men's Japanette, Shamrock lawn, and pure linen handkerchiefs, with fancy borders to match ties or shirts—worth to 25c, special tomorrow at **10c.**

Initial Handkerchiefs, 35c box: Linen initial handkerchiefs, with block or fancy embroidered initial—special tomorrow at, per box of half dozen, **35c.**

Sale Wright Peters' $5 Shoes at $3.98

Wright Peters' Shoes are the choicest make we carry in women's footwear. It is recognized by hundreds of Duluth women as the best $5 shoe to be had. We have just received a lot that has been delayed almost two months (should have been delivered in October) and after having adjusted the loss, we will offer most unusual bargains to women, right when there is a need for good footwear.



The lot consists of 72 pairs patent colt, bluchers, with plain short vamp, also 72 pairs women's gun metal button, welt sole and cloth top. These are choice stock and should be sold at $5, but owing to the lateness of the season we will offer them for quick clearance Thursday, at.......... **$3.98**

$1.25 Felt Juliets Special at 98c

One big lot of women's felt Juliets, colors black, green, brown and wine, with and without fur trimming, regular $1.25 values, special Thursday at.......... **98c**

Child's Jersey Leggings, all sizes, at only **39c, 50c** and **75c**

BILL ALMOST COMPLETED

Employers' Liability Commission Will Report at Opening of Legislative Session.

George M. Gillett and W. E. McEwen to Speak at Open Meeting.

The employers' liability bill, which is being drafted by the commission appointed in 1909 by Governor Johnson to investigate the subject, will be completed next week and, with the report of the commission, will be ready for submission to the legislature at the beginning of the coming session, according to George M. Gillett of Minneapolis, one of the commissioners.

Mr. Gillett and W. E. McEwen, who is also a member of the commission, are in Duluth today and tonight at the Commercial club they will speak on the subject at an open meeting under the auspices of the Minnesota Association of Builders' Exchanges. H. V. Mercer, the other member of the commission, was unable to come to Duluth for tonight's meeting, as he is still suffering from a slight injury sustained last week.

"The subject of employers' liability and workingmen's compensation is a large one and must be approached carefully and with absolute fairness to all parties concerned," said Mr. Gillett this morning. "We have given careful study to the subject since our appointment and the bill we submit to the legislature will be the result of that study, which extended to the countries of Europe and the states of the United States which have laws on the subject."

"I'm Just Crazy About You."

Latest song hit, by Duluth composer, for sale at Ingvald Westgaard's. Hear it played and get a copy.

HALL FOR RENT!

Parties needing room to hold conventions, annual meetings, club or lodge banquets, dances, lectures, etc., should rent Knights of Pythias Hall, 118 West Superior street. Apply to J. L. Cromwell, 18 Phoenix block.

ANDY H. JONES MAY BE FREED

Former Rugby Banker Hoping to Leave Federal Prison.

Fargo, N. D., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—Friends of Andy H. Jones, the convicted Rugby banker, see hope of his early release from the federal prison at Leavenworth, Kan., since the Federal government has adopted the parole system. The well-behaved prisoners can secure parole at the expiration of one-third of their sentence. Jones was sentenced last February to ten years, and his friends are already planned to have him out on parole as soon as the necessary time expires. Jones was president of a national bank at Rugby, which was wrecked as a result of his exploits in frenzied finance. He was captured in the extreme southern part of Texas some months afterwards. Some Minnesota bankers were among his victims.

CANADIANS URGE THAT CANALS BE HURRIED.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec., 14.—Large delegations from different sections of Canada urged the government to begin work on two canal projects, either of which would involve the expenditure of $100,000,000. An Ottawa-Montreal delegation favored the immediate construction of the Georgian Bay canal. It was urged that the proposed deepening of the Welland canal in conjunction with the building of the Oswego canal would tend to divert the grain traffic of the Canadian West to New York instead of Montreal.

The second delegation, representing towns and boards of trade in Western Ontario, demanded that the Welland canal be first enlarged. The cost of deepening the Welland canal to twenty-five feet is estimated at $25,000,000. The completion of the waterway to Montreal would necessitate the expenditure of an additional $75,000,000.

Sir Wilfred Laurier said the government favored both projects and that the question of money was the only thing that deterred it from beginning the work. Both canals eventually must be provided, but in well-informed circles it is believed that neither project will be undertaken for some years.

New Catholic Weekly.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—To extend Catholic dogma and precept beyond the pulpit and to bring to the family circle Catholic news of the world is the object of the Weekly Bulletin, the first number of which is to appear Jan. 6. The publication has the sanction of Archbishop John Ireland, and is to be published here. It grows out of a demand felt among Catholics, who for the last six years have been receiving, gratis, the Cathedral Bulletin.

ATTENTION! TELEPHONE SUBSCRIBERS

Our next Directory will go to press December 20th. Any changes you desire call Number 1 prior to that date.

WE SOLICIT YOUR PATRONAGE

Not only on account of our having been the means through which you are receiving "more and better telephone service for less money," but because we give you the best Long Distance and Local Service at the lowest rates.

Get your order in early and have your name in the new issue.

Call Number 1 and our Solicitor will call on you.

ZENITH TELEPHONE CO.,
306 Lyceum Bldg.

$20 Overcoats Now $10

At the "3 Winners' great overcoat sale now going on.

COMPANY WILL OPERATE CREAMERY AND SAWMILL.

Brainerd, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Woodworth-Davis company has filed its articles of incorporation with the register of deeds. The company will operate creameries and sawmills near Pequot and also do a general merchandising business. The incorporators are Charles W. Woodworth, president; Merrill C. Davis, vice president and treasurer; Willard R. Tanzer, secretary. The capital stock is $20,000.

Roosevelt in Boston.

Boston, Dec. 14.—Theodore Roosevelt, who came today to deliver the Nobel lecture at Harvard this evening, attended the regular monthly meeting of the Harvard overseers here this morning.

BRAZIL IN CONTROL OF NAVAL AFFAIRS.

Washington, Dec. 14.—The government of Brazil is in complete control of the situation arising from the recent mutiny in its navy. This view was expressed by Irving B. Dudley, American minister at Rio de Janeiro, in a telegram received at the state department today.

Your Doubts Are Traitors!

During the past week a young man, 32 years of age, left the DULUTH BUSINESS UNIVERSITY to accept a $50 clerical position. Two years ago the same young man entered this school with no better education than that of a second grade student. He had no doubts about what he could do. You need have no doubts if you likewise have the ambition and will put forth the necessary effort.

DISTRICT JUDGE IS INJURED HERE

Judge McClenahan Falls on Duluth Street Fracturing Bone of Wrist.

Brainerd, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—Judge W. S. McClenahan of the district court sustained a painful injury while at Duluth last Saturday. In company with his court reporter, George W. Moody, he left the Holland hotel at night, and as he stepped from the pavement to the street he slipped and fell. He supposed at the time that it was a strain to his left hand.

On Sunday he saw Dr. J. L. Camp, who examined it and found that the judge had broken one of the bones of his wrist. On Monday morning Judge McClenahan took his seat on the bench and attempted to hold court, but the injury pained him so much that he was unable to concentrate his mind on the business of the court, which was adjourned to yesterday morning. Although his hand caused him much trouble, he listened to one case and heard thirteen applications for citizenship papers. Court was then adjourned to Dec. 27.

ASKS ABOUT CRIME AMONG THE NEGROES.

Montgomery, Ala., Dec. 14.—Booker T. Washington, principal of the Tuskogee Institution for Negroes, has sent out a letter to the sheriffs of Alabama stating that he is greatly interested in the quetsion of the reduction of crime among the negroes of Alabama. He asks concerning the chief causes of negro crime and the effect of strong drink in making the negro a criminal.

$20 Winter Suits Now $10.

Pure wool materials, all hand-tailored and guaranteed to hold their shape, at the "3 Winners" Clothing company, 115 East Superior street.

MARINE

TALK ABOUT THE STRIKE ON LAKES

Seamen's Union Near the End of Its Detroit Meeting.

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 14.—The general work of the fifteenth annual convention of the International Seamen's union will practically end today. The chief topic will be the arrangements for carrying on the strike against the ship owners of the Great Lakes, organized as the Lake Carriers' association. The problem of financing the strike as well as the methods which will be adopted in urging more vigorously the seamen's claims will be considered by the delegates.

Officers will be elected and next year's convention city will be selected. The next meeting probably will go to either San Francisco or Baltimore.

WILKINSON ELECTED IN L. C. SMITH'S PLACE.

Syracuse, N. Y., Dec. 14.—Horace S. Wilkinson of this city has been elected president and general manager of the American Transit company, the United States Transportation company and the L. C. Smith Transit company, succeeding the late Lyman C. Smith. Mr. Wilkinson is president of the Wilkinson Transit company and the Western Transit company. All of these companies operate on the Great Lakes with a combined fleet of twenty-one boats.

GREAT $15 OVERCOAT SALE
AT THE BIG DULUTH!

Tug Arrives in Port.

The tug Fashion is here from Bayfield, Wis., to be rebuilt at the Superior shipyards.

The boat has not been damaged, but will be practically rebuilt. It is at the dry dock at the present time, and forms a pretty picture with its coating of ice.

TAKE $21,627 LOOT AWAY IN WAGON

Thieves Rob Chicago Store of Furs and Ginseng.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—Furs and ginseng worth $21,627 were stolen early today from the store of S. Silberman & Sons here, the thieves carrying the plunder away in a wagon. The loot consisted of 4,200 mink skins, 100 weasel skins and eighty-three pounds of ginseng.

NEIL KEITH IS FROZEN TO DEATH

Contractor Who Wandered Away While Sick Is Found Dead.

Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 14.—The body of Neil Keith, one of the best known railroad contractors in America, who built railways for all the principal companies in the West during the last thirty years, was found frozen to death in the hills south of Moose Jaw, Sask., today. While suffering from a fever he wandered away about six weeks ago.

IVES SUCCEEDS SEABURY.

As Member of Executive Council of State Historical Society.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 14.—At a meeting of the executive council of the Minnesota Historical society in the old capitol Monday night G. S. Ives, formerly lieutenant governor, was elected member of the council to take the place of Channing Seabury, deceased.

The president of the society was authorized to appoint a committee to go before Governor Eberhart to ask him to recommend in his message to the legislature an appropriation for the erection of a new building for the society. It was suggested that the governor recommend an appropriation sufficient to erect a complete building or at least $200,000 to build a wing to be completed and added to later.

Biographical sketches of Channing Seabury, Judge Francis M. Crosby, and Father Ambrose McNulty were read.

PEARY GIVES MEDALS TO NATIONAL MUSEUM.

Washington, Dec. 14.—Robert E. Peary has turned over to the United States National museum sixteen gold and two silver medals that have been awarded to him. Peary has also deposited in the national museum the flag of his college fraternity and the peace flag given him by the society of the Daughters of the American Revolution. He carried both of these flags with him to the North Pole.

Plan Fine Williston Church.

Williston, N. D., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—Approximately $25,000 will be expended by the congregation of the United Lutheran church of this city in the construction of its new house of worship. The work on the basement is now in progress and the building will be completed in August.

Heavy Blue Serge Suits $10

At the "3 Winners" great suit sale now going on.

I Save You Money on You Shoes and Shoe Repairing!

Men's and Women's Shoes
$2.48 AND $2.98
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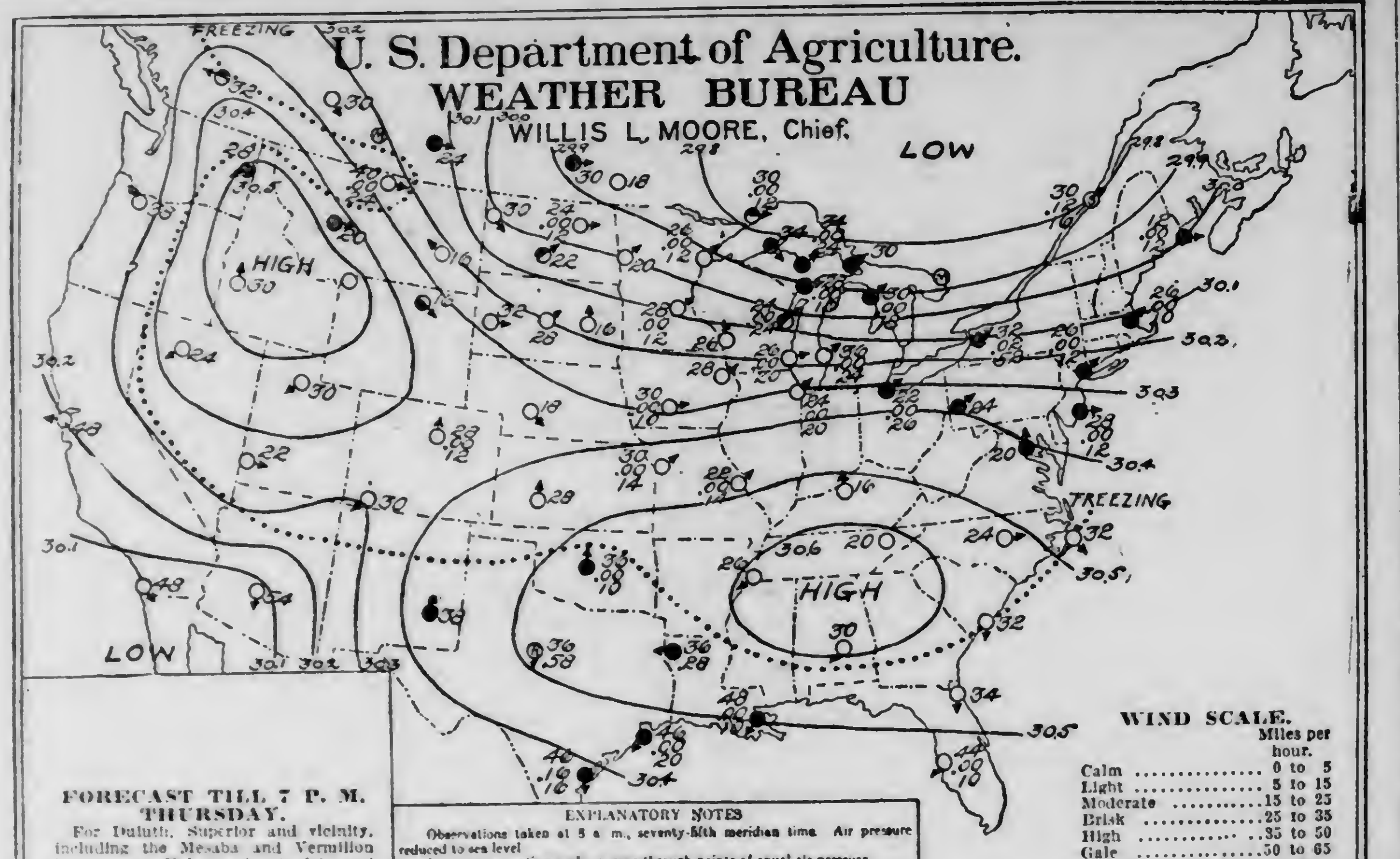
AT THE BIG DULUTH

OFFICIAL MAP OF THE WEATHER



FORECAST TILL 7 P. M. THURSDAY.

For Duluth, Superior and vicinity, including the Mesaba and Vermilion iron ranges—Fair weather tonight and Thursday; colder tonight with lowest temperature varying from about 10 deg. on the iron ranges to about 15 deg. at Duluth and Superior; moderate westerly winds.

EXPLANATORY NOTES

Observations taken at 8 a. m., seventy-fifth meridian time. Air pressure reduced to sea level.

ISOBARS, or continuous lines, pass through points of equal air pressure.

ISOTHERMS, or dotted lines, pass through points of equal temperature; they will be drawn only for zero, freezing, 90°, and 100°.

SYMBOLS indicate state of weather: ○ clear; ◓ partly cloudy; ● cloudy; Ⓡ rain, Ⓢ snow, Ⓜ report missing. Arrows fly with the wind. First figure, temperature; second, 24-hour rainfall, if it equals .01 inch; third, wind velocity of 10 miles per hour or more.

WIND SCALE.

	Miles per hour.
Calm	0 to 5
Light	5 to 15
Moderate	15 to 25
Brisk	25 to 35
High	35 to 50
Gale	50 to 65
Hurricane	65 and above

H. W. RICHARDSON,
Local Forecaster.

FAIR

Discontented seekers after ideal weather conditions may flee to California, Florida, Cuba and other resorts, but they are missing something. The wise ones stay right here in Duluth and not all are held here by force of circumstances either. Last night was just beautiful and today merits the application of the same adjective. Continued fair weather is promised, with a little more snap to the air tonight.

A year ago today was a delightful winter day.

The sun rose this morning at 7:47 and it will set at 4:19, giving eight hours and thirty-one minutes of sunlight.

Mr. Richardson makes the following comment on weather conditions:

"The Alberta-Saskatchewan disturbance has moved its center to the Hudson bay country, its easterly advance resulting in milder weather throughout the entire lake region and Upper Mississippi and Upper Ohio valleys and snow over Lakes Erie and Ontario and the St. Lawrence valley and high southwest winds over most of the lower lake region, Buffalo reporting a velocity of fifty-two miles per hour. Some rain has fallen over Louisiana and Texas, due to a depression overlying Western Mexico. The barometer is high over the Southern states and the plateau region. Freezing temperatures continue as far south as Alabama."

General Forecasts.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—Forecasts for twenty-four hours ending at 7 p. m. Thursday:

Upper Michigan—Generally fair tonight and Thursday; colder Thursday and in north central portion tonight.

Wisconsin and Iowa—Fair tonight and Thursday; moderate temperature.

Minnesota—Fair tonight and Thursday; cooler in north portion tonight.

North Dakota—Fair tonight and Thursday; cooler tonight.

South Dakota—Fair tonight and Thursday; moderate temperature.

Montana—Fair tonight and Thursday; cooler in northeast portion tonight.

Shippers forecast: Protect thirty-six-hour shipments of perishables against temperatures of 10 deg. to 20 deg. above zero in the Dakotas and Minnesota and 20 deg. in Wisconsin and Upper Michigan.

The Temperatures.

Following were the highest temperatures for twenty-four hours and the lowest for twelve, ending at 7 a. m. today:

	High.	Low.		High.	Low.
Abilene	36	34	Milwaukee	26	24
Alpena	32	28	Minnedosa	28	18
Atlantic City	30	18	Modena	44	20
Battleford	26	12	Montgomery	48	30
Bismarck		22	Montreal	30	10
Boise	44	28	Moorhead	40	20
Boston	32	22	New Orleans	52	48
Buffalo	30	26	New York	30	22
Calgary	48	28	North Platte	40	18
Charleston	42	30	Oklahoma	44	36
Chicago	30	24	Parry Sound	34	..
Corpus Christi	68	46	Phoenix	74	48
Denver	48	28	Pierre		26
Des Moines	36	26	Pittsburg	26	18
Devils Lake	36	22	Port Arthur	32	22
Dodge	38	24	Portland, Or	46	38
Dubuque	28	24	Prince Albert	36	18
DULUTH	32	24	Qu'Appelle	34	24
Durango	50	26	Raleigh	40	22
Eastport	20	8	Rapid City	50	28
Edmonton	40	28	Roseburg	48	38
Escanaba	30	26	Roswell	42	38
Galveston	54	46	St. Louis	36	22
Grand Haven	34	32	St. Paul	42	28
Green Bay	24	22	Salt Lake City	42	30
Hatteras	38	28	San Diego	66	46
Havre	46	38	San Francisco	64	48
Helena	30	18	Sault Ste. Marie	28	24
Houghton		34	Sheridan	42	12
Huron	38	16	Shreveport	38	32
Jacksonville	48	34	Spokane	34	28
Kamloops	42	32	Swift Current	42	24
Kansas City	38	28	Tampa	64	44
Knoxville	36	20	Toledo	28	20
La Crosse		26	Washington	30	18
Louisville	24	16	Williston	40	18
Madison	24	20	Winnemucca	50	24
Marquette	36	32	Winnipeg	28	18
Memphis	38	26	Yellowstone	26	16
Miles City	40	14			

CLOQUET MAN HURT WHILE HOUSE MOVING.

Cloquet, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—John Fagen is in the Cloquet hospital, with a broken ankle and some injuries to the chest. Fagen was moving a house from Scanlon to Cloquet when he slipped and a beam fell on him, knocking him unconscious and pinning him down so securely that it was necessary to get a couple of jack screws into action before he could be released. Fagen had a narrow escape from being crushed.

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Mission Rockers in Early English and fumed oak, upholstered in morroccoline and genuine leather, in a nice assortment, rangin in price from $6.25 up to $15. Solid Hardwood Rockers in parlor and bed room styles; well finished and worth $3 to $3.50 regularly, on sale at only.... $1.95

Children's Rockers of all kinds at exceptionally little prices.

$1.95

Reading Lamps.

Mission Lamps, similar to cut, but without bead fringe; regular value $3. Christmas special.............. $1.95

A big assortment of finer Lamps, in mission and brushed brass, with art glass shades, at $4.75, $5.50, $6.50 up to $25

Fine Clocks

Some very pretty styles are shown by us in mantel clocks. You can have your choice from several good ones like cut—worth $6.50 to $7.00—this week at only $4.95. See also the beautiful little clocks in in fancy brushed brass cases. Very cute.

DOLL'S GO-CARTS

We expect to sell hundreds of these popular doll's go-carts this Christmas. Small ones of wire construction, 75c to $1.25 each. Collapsible go-carts, like illustration, with hood all complete, at 69c and upwards to $4.50.

See also the cute toy furniture we have for little girls. They make the finest kind of house for the dolly.

Easy Payments.

Pay as you please—a little now and then. Our payment plan should be a valuable help to you at this time of the year.

WEST END

CO-OPERATION OF CHURCHES

West End Congregations Will Work With Associated Charities.

Will Care for Poor Families in Large District of City.

West end churches will co-operate with the Associated Charities in the work of caring for the city's poor.

Courtenay Dinwiddie, secretary of the Associated Charities, this morning held a conference with the pastors of the various West end churches and the sense of the meeting was that they would assist Mr. Dinwiddie in his work in every possible way.

A systematic plan was hit upon and that section of the city between Twenty-first avenue west and the ore docks was the district alloted to the churches, both Catholic and Protestant. Whenever a new case comes to the attention of any pastor, he will report it to Mr. Dinwiddie.

West of the ore docks, Thirty-second avenue west, the West Duluth branch of the Women's Christian Temperance union has agreed to co-operate with the Associated Charities in the work of looking after the needy.

Most of the West end churches will furnish Christmas dinners to the poor of their congregations. Sunday evening at the Swedish Mission church, Twenty-first avenue west and Second street, a free-will offering will be taken up at the church door for the benefit of the poor on Christmas. There will be a special song service at this church Sunday evening.

The conference this morning between Mr. Dinwiddie and the West end pastors was held at the First Norwegian-Danish M. E. church, Twenty-fourth avenue west and Third street, and was well attended.

FALL ON ICY WALK PROVES FATAL

Martin Tahaney Dies of His Injuries Three Days After Fall.

Martin Tahaney, aged 60, is dead at his home, 1922 West Michigan street, as a result of a fall on an icy sidewalk, Saturday, near his home.

He broke two ribs in the fall and the injuries led to a complication of heart and kidney trouble, from which he died late yesterday.

Tahaney was a longshoreman and is survived only by his widow. The body was taken to the Olson & Crawford undertaking rooms, 2010 West Superior street. The funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

Elect Officers.

Marie Antoinette Court No. 205, Women's Catholic Order of Foresters, last evening held its annual election of officers for 1911 at St. Jean Baptiste hall, Twenty-fifth avenue west and Third street. The following were chosen: Chief ranger, Mrs. Joseph Bernard; vice ranger, Mrs. Louis Pierson; secretary, Mrs. Prouax; financial secretary, Mrs. Orrvar; treasurer, Mrs. L. Gagne; trustees, Mesdames Burdash, Gonthier and Marchileton; medical examiner, Dr. L. T. Pare; delegate to the national convention, Mrs. Burnett.

Tomorrow at 9 a. m.

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We expect to sell every plume in this store in less than the three days advertised. Our reason for so thinking can be explained by just one word, Price. It's always Price that sells anything quickly, and it's the price on these plumes that is going to move them in record time.

	Their Price.	Now.		Their Price.	Now.
Ostrich Tips, three in a bundle	$1.00	49¢	Ostrich Willow Plumes	$9.50	$4.75
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Ostrich French Curl Plumes	$3.65	$1.80	Ostrich Willow Plumes	$21.50	$10.75
Ostrich French Curl Plumes	$4.25	$2.10	Ostrich Willow Plumes	$25.00	$12.50
Ostrich French Curl Plumes	$5.00	$2.50	Ostrich Willow Plumes	$37.50	$18.75
Ostrich French Curl Plumes	$7.00	$3.50	Ostrich Willow Plumes	$42.50	$21.25
Ostrich French Curl Plumes	$8.50	$4.25	Ostrich Willow Plumes	$45.00	$22.50
Ostrich French Curl Plumes	$13.00	$6.50	Ostrich Aigrets	$4.00	$2.00
Ostrich French Curl Plumes	$14.50	$7.25	Ostrich French Heads	$12.00	$6.00

We are showing them in black, white, navy blue, Copenhagen, maize, gray, brown, tan, red, pink, lavender, green, yellow and combinations.

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WILL WATCH THE OLD YEAR OUT.

Plans to watch the old year out and the new one in, are being made by members of the Tabitha Society of Bethany Swedish Lutheran church.

The society has arranged to have a "watch" meeting New Year's eve and all the young people of the West end are invited to attend the affair.

During the evening there will be a program followed by devotional exercises. The Tabitha Glee club, an organization of singers in the society, will make its first appearance at this meeting.

NIGHT SCHOOL FOR NORWEGIANS.

A night school, where instruction in the English language is afforded Norwegians, is now being conducted at the First Norwegian Danish M. E. church, Twenty-fourth avenue west and Third street.

Rev. Edward Erickson, pastor of the church, is in charge of the school, which now has over twenty members. Meetings are held once a week, Thursday evenings, and there is no tuition or expense connected with the instruction.

The school was organized for the purpose of teaching the English language to newcomers and it is open to all regardless of sect, according to Rev. Mr. Erickson. After the first of the year, the school will be held on Monday evenings.

West End Shortrails.

Mrs. C. B. Nunan of 324 North Twenty-fifth avenue west entertained at luncheon and cards yesterday. Favors were won by Mrs. C. E. Dice and Mrs. E. C. Cox.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Norwegian-Danish M. E. church will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. O. Otterson of 2204 West Eighth street.

The Dorcas Circle of Bethany Swedish Lutheran church will give an entertainment this evening at the church, Twenty-third avenue west and Third street. Rev. Carl Solomonson, pastor of the First Swedish Lutheran church, will be the principal speaker.

The Junior Society of the First Swedish Baptist church will hold a "necktie social" Friday evening at the Swedish temple, Twenty-second avenue west and Third street. A program will be held in connection with the affair.

A sleighride party was held last evening under the auspices of the Epworth League of the First Norwegian-Danish M. E. church. About forty young people attended the affair, the sleighs starting from the church, Twenty-fourth avenue west and Third street. After a ride around the western part of the city, the young people returned to the church, where refreshments were served.

A meeting of the Men's Club of Bethany Swedish Lutheran church will be held tomorrow evening at the church.

DIAMONDS.

We are placing on sale a large stock of unredeemed Diamonds.
—Great Reductions—

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22 West Superior Street.

FRENCH HEELS BARRED IN MINNEAPOLIS HIGH.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 14.—French heels in Minneapolis high schools are doomed by the physical director, and Minneapolis high school girls have been told they can not wear them.

The effect of this order will be felt after Jan. 1, when the new gymnasium at the South High school is opened and a woman physical instructor placed in charge.

Dr. C. H. Keene, the physical director, has observed that a large number of the high school girls wear French heels and suffer from deformed feet, which have to be cured by physical culture.

Governor Davidson's New Job.

Madison, Wis., Dec. 13.—Friends of Governor Davidson have proposed that he should be appointed internal revenue collector for the western district of Wisconsin, to succeed F. R. Bentley, whose term expires in February. It is understood that letters have been sent to Senator Stephenson urging the appointment, which would give much satisfaction to the governor's many friends here and throughout the district.

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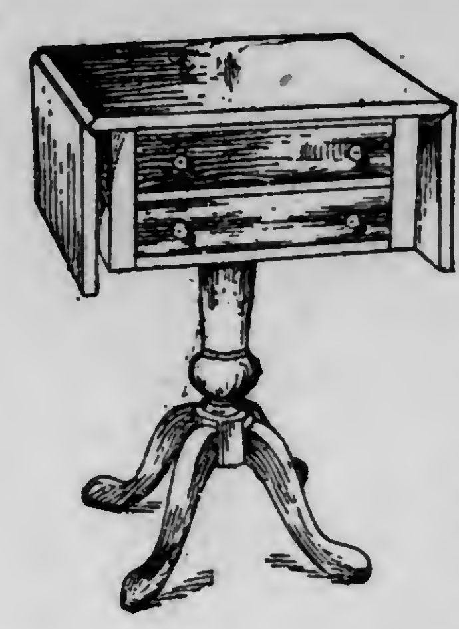
If Your Pocketbook Won't Hold Out, Remember You Can Have It Charged Here—We Are Glad to Grant You Credit.

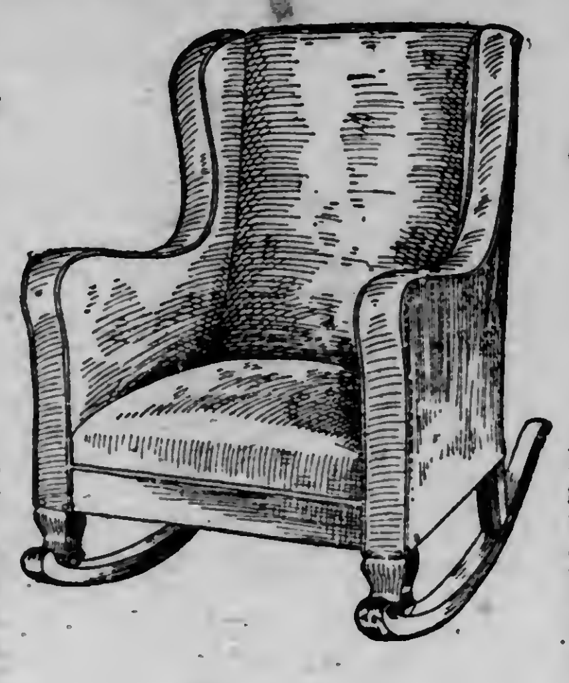
At this season of the year most pocketbooks are put to a pretty severe test—the tightest purse strings have to be loosened—if some of them don't bear the severe strain, just remember French & Bassett are always glad to accommodate you with liberal credit. You can buy a lot of presents with little money on our plan. Christmas time is a good time to open an account with us, if you have not done so before. It will pay you to see what a splendid gift store this is.



This Handsome Genuine Mahogany Colonial Sewing Table

$15.75

A present both useful and ornamental, made of **genuine Mahogany**, handsomely finished; every detail of this table shows high-grade workmanship. A Colonial sewing table, as well made and handsomely finished as this, would sell in the ordinary store for at least $24.00. Be sure to see this.

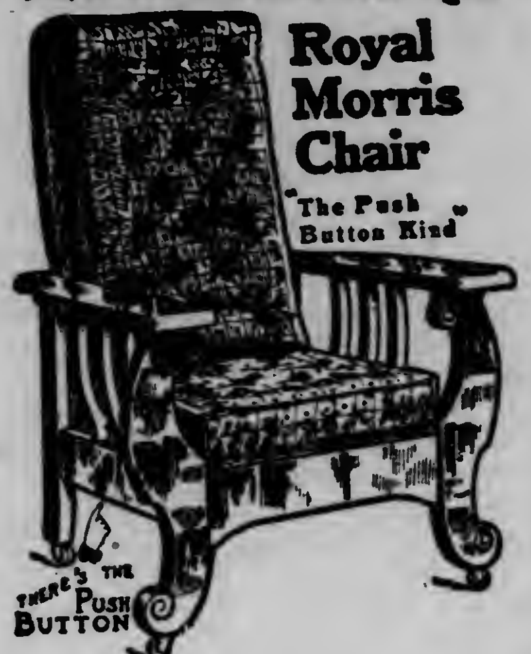


Large Library Rocker—In Best Genuine Leather, A $37.00 Value

$25.00

Chair exactly like the cut, all hand made, covered in very best grade, fully guaranteed leather, wide arms, high comfortable back; one of the newest, latest styles in leather chairs; easily worth $37, but our Christmas price is $25. Be on hand early to get one of these values. They are big ones.

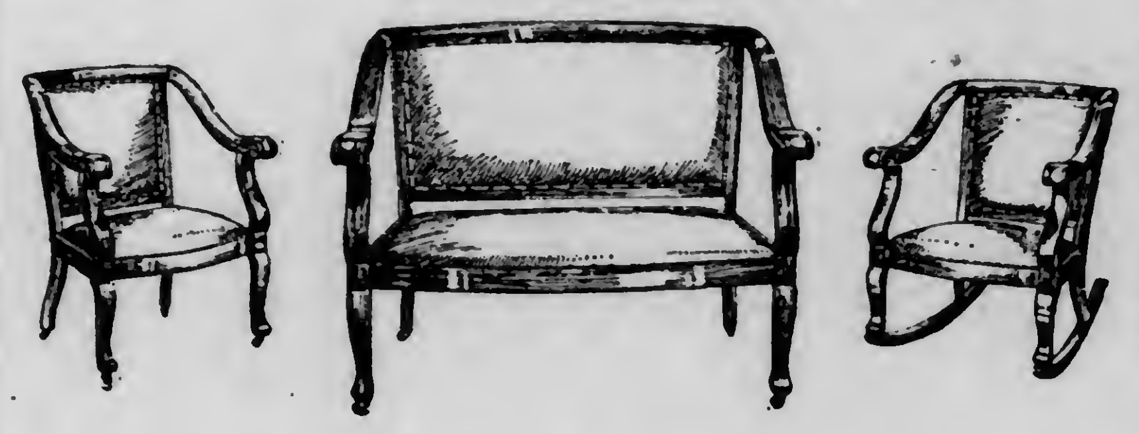
"Push the Button-and Rest"



The Finest Automatic Chair Made—A $15 Value for

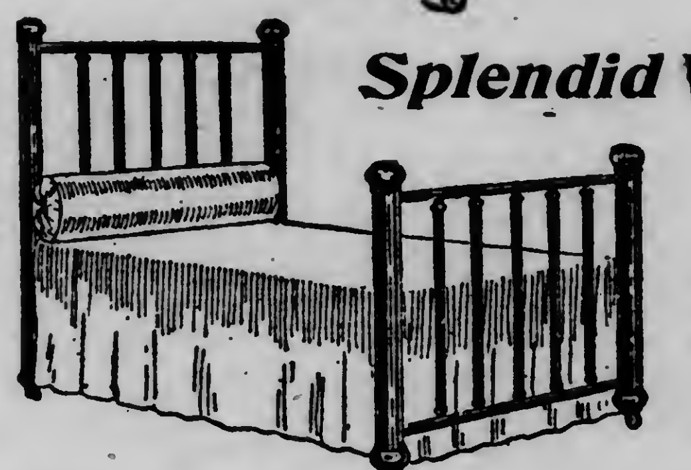
$9.75

The Royal Push Button Library Chairs have a style and comfort all their own; the frames are beautifully finished, polished mahogany or finely figured solid quartered oak. To adjust the back you simply push the button; there are no rods or ratchets; no flimsy devices to get out of order. These chairs have thick, soft, handsome velour cushions. Big values.



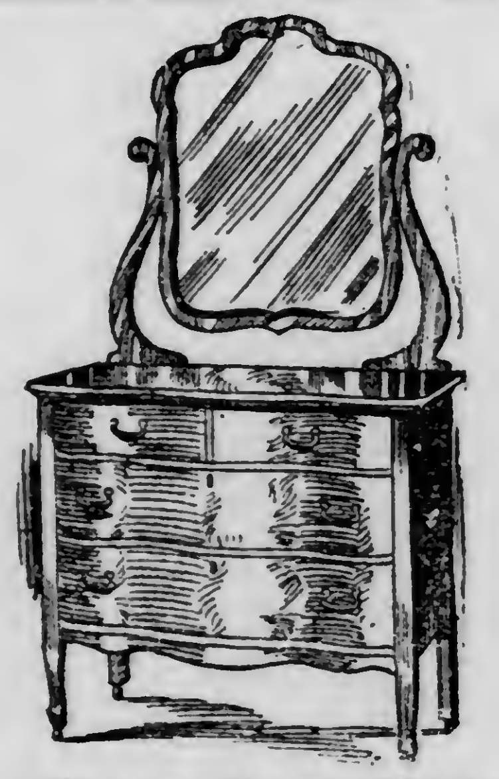
A New Parlor Suite For Christmas—A $50 Value for $38.00

Large, solid, massive frames of beautifully finished birch mahogany—seats and backs covered in selected genuine leather—a suite you would consider **good value** at $50.00. A big bargain at $38.00 for the three pieces. Be sure to see this suite. It's something you'll always enjoy.



Splendid Value in a Brass Bed for $9.75

While the price is certainly cheap—the bed is exceptionally well made—heavily lacquered to prevent tarnishing—has large two-inch posts—new style flat knobs. These beds are finished in soft, dull brushed brass—a splendid gift for any one. Be sure to see these values.



These Beautifully Finished Dressers
Really worth $27, at

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A Dresser made of finely figured, carefully selected quartered oak; full swell front with new style wood knob handles; beautifully finished and polished. A splendid value at $27.00. You may well know it's a big bargain at the special Christmas price.

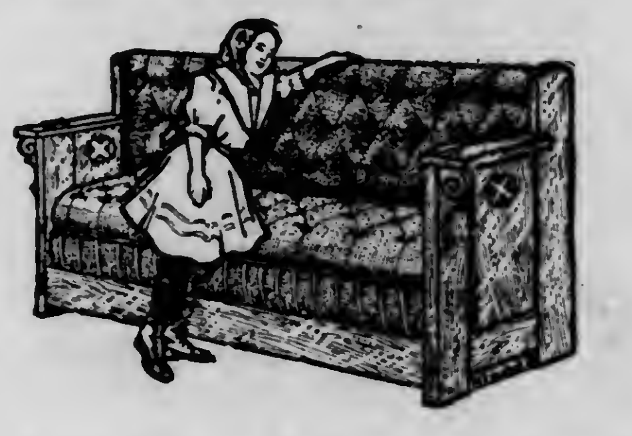
Chiffoniers to Match $14.75

A Reedcraft Chair for Christmas Brings Cheer for All the Year.

Try it and see. We have a fine stock of these comfortable, durable, justly popular living room chairs and rockers; upholstered in tapestry or leather—they add grace, beauty and comfort to the home and are a lasting pleasure.

Special Sale of Bed Davenports.

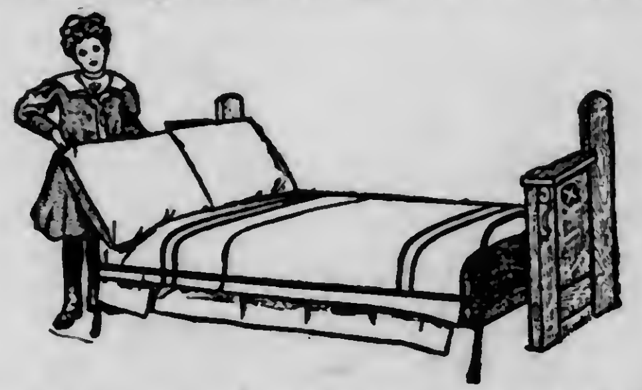
You Don't Sleep on the Upholstering. Has a Revolving Seat.



The finest line of high-grade Bed Davenports to be found in the city. We put on sale a big, massive frame, solidly built, revolving seat davenport—several styles to select from—golden oak, Early English, birch, mahogany—in the very best grades of heavy Boston leather.

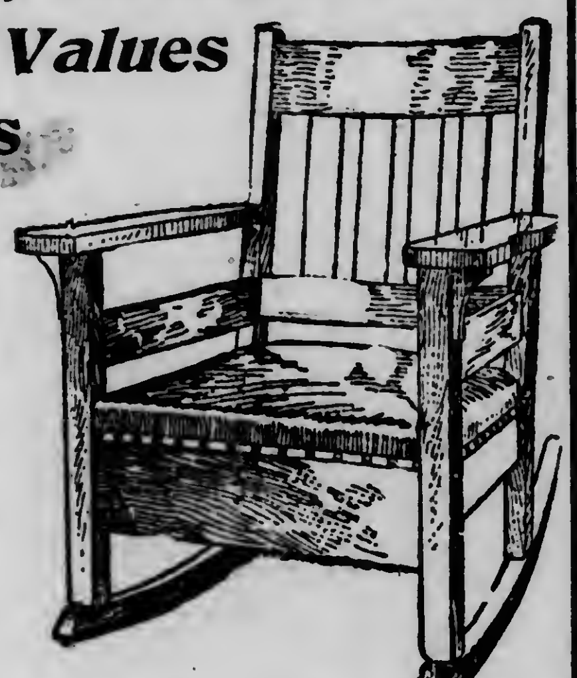
These Bed Davenports have revolving seats—solid heavy iron frames with best grade metal bed fabric—making a comfortable full size bed. Note the special prices:

$53.00 Revolving Seat Davenports for	$34.75
$58.00 Revolving Seat Davenports for	$38.50
$60.00 Revolving Seat Davenports for	$42.00



This shows the way your bed will look when made up for the night—you sleep on a good, soft, comfortable mattress—one of these davenports really gives you an extra room—and at the special prices quoted these beds are splendid values.

The Discount Sale on Mission Chairs Rockers, Settees, Etc., Offers Splendid Values For Gift Seekers.



We can't tell you anywhere near all the big values you'll find—all we can do is to show a few of the styles and give you an idea of the savings—they are certainly worth while—we have Library Suites, Settees, Rockers and Chairs—at discounts all the way from **25** per cent to **50** per cent. Fumed oak and Early English—genuine leather cushions—solidly built—the kind of furniture that will last.

A Big Solid Oak Rocker Like Cut, Reg. Value $9.75, Special $6.25

Fumed oak frame, genuine Spanish Leather Seats—a comfortable, well-made Rocker—and a good, big value.

$12.75 Leather Seat Rockers, for	$ 8.75
$15.50 Leather Seat Rockers, for	$10.75
$17.50 Leather Seat Chairs, for	$12.50
$14.00 Large Early English Rockers	$ 7.00
$12.00 Leather Seat and Back Rockers	$ 7.75
$15.00 Leather Seat Rockers	$ 9.75
$42.00 Leather Upholstered Library Suite, three pieces, Early English, for	$33.00
$15.00 Early English Library Chair	$10.75

Gustav Stickley's Hand Made Genuine Craftsman Furniture for Christmas

People appreciate getting the **genuine Craftsman** furniture. Like all good things, Gustav Stickley's furniture is copied by those who even go so far as to use the name "Stickley" to carry out the deception. Any one who takes the trouble to find out will be easily convinced of the superior qualities of the original Craftsman furniture—made **only** by Gustav Stickley at Eastwood, New York.

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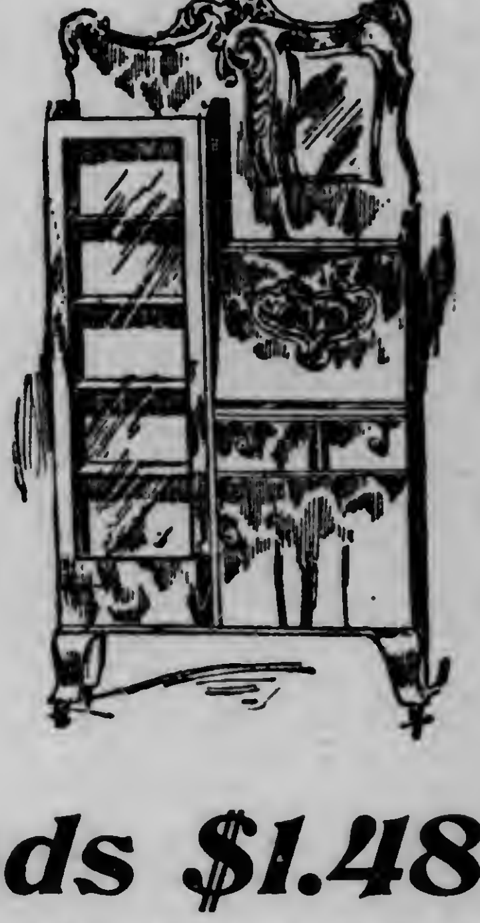
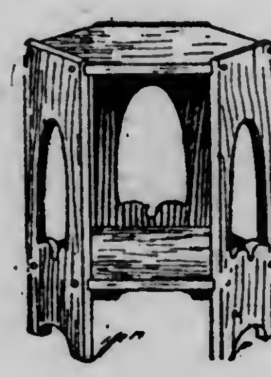
Ordinarily priced at $14.75—made of well seasoned, solid oak, exceptionally well finished—has French plate mirror top—good size desk, adjustable book shelves—large closet under the desk—thoroughly well made and well finished—a fine value at **$9.75**. A present that will last.





Smokers' Stands or Taborets $1.25.

These are beauties, too, well and substantially made, either fumed oak or Early English—a good height—16 inches and 12 inches across the top—just the thing for a smoking set or for plants.

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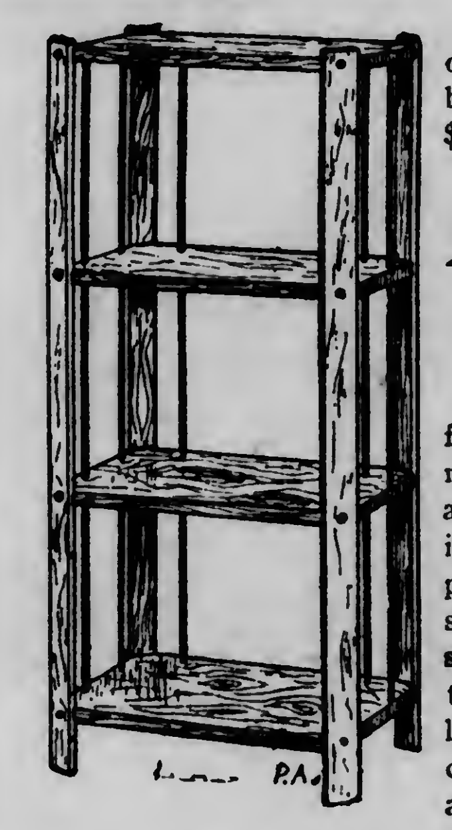
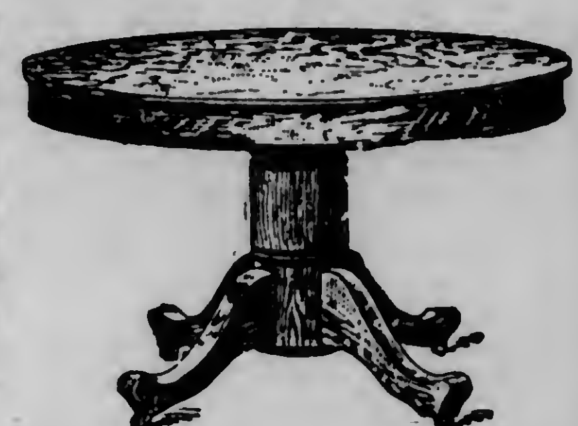


These are well made, finished in fumed oak or golden oak—have four shelves—and you'll find them convenient for books, papers, magazines or music—generally sold for about $3.00—a fine Christmas special **at $1.48.**

A Solid Oak Pedestal Dining Table $7.75

A new Dining Table for Christmas—why not? Here is one not at all expensive, but it's a big value—round pedestal base—good size top—of genuine **solid oak**—top extends to six feet. A Table like this will be a welcome present in many a home.



NO WORD ABOUT THE ELECTIONS

Roosevelt Makes His Scheduled Address at New Haven.

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 14.—Ex-President Roosevelt's first political speech since the recent election, was delivered here last night at a dinner given him by the New Haven Chamber of Commerce. Col. Roosevelt made no reference to the recent elections, or to current political subjects. He confined himself to a reiteration of broad political doctrines to which he gave expression many times during his speaking trips of the last summer, saying he was glad to make in Connecticut just such a speech as he had made to former gatherings in the West.

Governor-elect Simeon E. Baldwin's place at the banquet table was vacant. There were no new developments in Col. Roosevelt's controversy with Judge Baldwin during the colonel's stay here.

Calls Himself Radical.

Col. Roosevelt defined his attitude on policies in these words:

"I am a radical, but I am a radical who earnestly desires to see a radical program carried out by conservatives."

He again declared his faith in efficient regulation of corportations by the Federal government, and defended his attitude by asserting that he sought not to controvert the Constitution, but to help in bringing about the fulfillment of its purposes.

Later Col. Roosevelt started for Boston, where he will speak tonight.

Governor Weeks was not present to represent the state, nor was any member of the congressional delegation present, but the absence was due to other engagements.

Col. Roosevelt was greeted with cheers which lasted fully a minute when he rose to speak.

Praised Taft's Action.

"It seems to me nothing could be a better augury of the future of this republic," he said, "than that a Republican president should appoint an ex-Confederate, of opposite political faith, chief justice of the United States supreme court and receive the unanimous applause of his countrymen.

"With the permission of your president I shall propose two toasts:

"First to President Taft and second to that learned jurist, Chief Justice White."

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DIVORCE CASE IN DISTRICT COURT

Brookston Woman Asks Decree on Grounds of Cruel Treatment.

On the ground of inhuman treatment, Mrs. Mabel Brittany of Brookston, Minn., asks a divorce from her husband, Fred Brittany.

Mrs. Brittany appeared before Judge Dibell of the district court yesterday and gave evidence in the action. She desired the custody of their 2-year-old son.

They were married at Mattawamkeag, Me., in 1900. She alleges that in August of this year he threw a rocking chair at her. In September she claims that he blackened her eyes and threatened to put her in her coffin.

He is said to have written the following to his wife after she started the divorce action. The letter was introduced in evidence:

"If you get a divorce, I'll make life as miserable for you as I can and I hope you will live to be 100 years old so I can have plenty of time. This is no idle threat but I will be so cruel to you that my former cruelties will look a picnic to you."

PIERCE BUTLER TO FIGHT BEEF TRUST.

Washington, Dec. 14.—Because United States District Attorney Soms and his assistants were overloaded with regular work at Chicago, the department of justice has arranged for a special trial force to conduct the prosecutions pending under the anti-trust law against the packers recently indicted at Chicago.

The prosecution will be under the direction of the attorney general, but will be conducted by James Wilkerson, J. M. Shean, Elwood Godman, Burton Corneau, all of Chicago, and Pierce Butler of St. Paul. W. S. Kenyon, assistant to the attorney general, will assist in the trial.

OFFICERS ARE RE-ELECTED.

Maj. A. M. Diggles' Camp, U. S. W. V., Will Hold Installation.

The election of officers of Maj. A. M. Diggles camp, No. 13, United Spanish War Veterans, was held last evening and the officers elected at the organization of the camp a short time ago were re-elected. The officers will be installed at the first meeting in January

Lieut.-Col. Charles E. Johnson of the Fourteenth Minnesota Volunteers, a resident of Mankato, Minn.; Lieut. Christian Briand, United States cavalry, the recruiting officer at Duluth, and W. C. Kimball, Joseph Carhart and Paul Clarkson were elected members of the camp. Several new members were mustered in and the new camp now has fifty-one members.

After the completion of the business of last night's meeting, a social session was held. Louis Larson presented the camp with a gavel, hand-carved, with the emblem of the "military order of the serpent," all his own work.

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MOOSE AND DEER SEIZED BY WARDENS.

One moose and four deer passed through the city last night on the way to the state fish and game commission at St. Paul.

The venison was seized near Hill City and the shipment made from Swan River. The carcasses were in charge of the Great Northern Express company.

The moose was a large specimen and weighed close to 1,200 pounds. The deer were all of ordinary size.

The game wardens in the northern part of the state are particularly active this year. The commission at St. Paul has sent them word to be on the job all the time, that the big game of this part of the state may be protected.

HUSTON GUILTY OF MISUSE OF MAILS

Former United States Treasurer Convicted of Fraud.

Washington, Dec. 14.—James N. Huston, treasurer of the United States from 1889 to 1891, was convicted last night together with Harvey M. Lewis of Cincinnati and Everett Du Four of this city by a jury in the criminal court on indictments charging the use of the mails to defraud in connection with the operation of the National Trust company and other concerns.

The trial lasted five weeks, but the jury was out only a few hours. The maximum penalty for the offense is two years' imprisonment and a fine of $10,000.

The three men were allowed to remain at liberty on their bond, pending the hearing of a motion for a new trial, which will be made within a few days.

The men were indicted Jan. 30 last by the federal grand jury following a raid on the offices of the National Trust company, which was incorporated in Delaware with a capital stock of $1,000,000. It is alleged it guaranteed the stock of other companies on a commission basis. The inspectors declared at that time that they failed to find any funds to support the guaranty assertions.

BALLOT FRAUD WORSE THAN KILLING PRESIDENT.

Camden, N. J., Dec. 14.—Ballot frauds were declared a worse crime against national institutions than the assassination of presidents, by Supreme Court Justice Garrison in his charge to the grand jury which will consider a number of alleged election crimes committed in this county.

"It has been the unfortunate history of this nation to have three of its presidents assassinated," he said, "but terrible as those things were, they had no tendency to destroy the institutions of our government. But a single suppression by fraud or force of the right of suffrage strikes at the institutions of the government more than would any number of assassinations of presidents or judges or any other set of officials."

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WANTS KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS OUSTED

Brooklyn Man Attacks Order in New York State.

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 14.—Attorney General O'Malley has received a communication from Milton Bucky of New York, a lawyer, asking him to begin an action against the Knights of Phythias, one of the largest fraternal organizations, to cancel its certificate to conduct a life insurance business in this state. He also asks that the order be enjoined from doing any further business in New York.

Mr. Bucky, acting for Thomas Barber of Brooklyn, alleges that information furnished by the supreme lodge of the order shows that at the present time it is carying insurance of the fourth class amounting to $20,667,500, with cash on hand to pay this totalling $615,568.

The attorney-general has taken the letter under advisement.

SAY REPORT IS COLORED.

American Publishers Criticize Consul at Quebec.

New York, Dec. 14.—The paper committees of the American Newspaper Publishers' association has sent a letter to the government tariff board stating that the United States consul at Quebec, in reporting upon the available pulpwood supply for American paper mills in private forests in Quebec, "has suppressed data that had been furnished to the consul by the highest official authority in that provice and that province that the consule has misrepresented the situation."

The consul's report said that the recent prohibitions "will not have the effect of reducing the quantity of pulp wood for export for some years to come and perhaps never," implying that all the present needs of the American market, 1,000,000 cords of pulp wood per annum, could be obtained from private forests. But, according to the committee the suppressed data from official sources showed that only 330,000 cords per annum under present restrictions would be available for the American market.

On behalf of these who pay $60,000,000 per annum for news print paper, the committee "protests against one-sided and colored reports."

REFUSE JEWS EQUAL RIGHTS IN FINLAND.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 14.—The duma committee on the bill defining the rights of Russian subjects in Finland has rejected an amendment giving the Jews equal rights. The Octoberists favored subsequent legislation. The Democrats refrained from voting because they were opposed to interfering in Finnish affairs.

Nations Make Up.

Buenos Ayres, Dec. 14.—Friendly relations were re-established yesterday between Argentina and Bolivia. The trouble between the two countries originated in Bolivia's resentment of the decision rendered by President Alcorta, the arbitrator of the Bolivia-Peru boundary dispute, it being alleged that he had favored Peru.

Old Fire Kills Two.

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 14.—Two men were killed and five injured in the Northwestern Improvement company mine at Ravensdale, as the result of an explosion of gas. Fire which had been smouldering in the workings of the mine had eaten into the gangway.

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NEWS AND VIEWS OF LEGISLATORS AND POLITICIANS

Dunn Says the Speakership Fight Is Over, But Burnquist Refuses to Quit the Fight—Congressman Lindbergh's Letter to Sixth District Papers—La Follette Presidential Boom Is on in Minnesota.

Dunn Considers Fight Ended

Although J. A. A. Burnquist of St. Paul persists in saying the speakership fight has not been won or lost. H. H. Dunn of Albert Lea. declares it is over and he "is going ahead making up the committees." "I have enough votes pledged to insure my election and there is no indication that any of them will get away from me," said Mr. Dunn. "I am certain the men who have said they will support me mean it and I don't see where Mr. Burnquist has any excuse for continuing the fight."

Mr. Burnquist has not threatened to carry the fight on to the floor of the house if he fails in the Republican caucus, but he does say he will not be out of the race until the votes are counted. He said yesterday he had received word from the Ninth district that that delegation is staying by him.

P. J. Youngdahl, until lately state superintendent of the Anti-Saloon league, is blamed by the Dunn men for Burnquist's persistence in the contest.

The Minnesota Mascot takes a rap at the Twin City delegation's course in the speakership fight, saying of Dunn that he has little legislative experience and that his election would be a victory for the cities as against the country. The Mascot praises Burnquist as a young progressive.

W. D. Washburn, Jr., chairman of the Hennepin delegation, discussing the speakership situation, said:

"While I have hitherto made no comment on Mr. Burnquist and his theories of political ethics, I want to state that Mr. Burnquist expressed violent indignation when certain of his friends went back on their pledges to himself and cast their votes for Mr. Spooner. He now uses every effort to induce the Hennepin county delegation to do the same thing. Saturday afternoon Mr. Burnquist spent two hours endeavoring to persuade me to assist him in undermining the Hennepin county delegation to do the same thing. Saturday afternoon Mr. Burnquist spent two hours endeavoring to persuade me to assist him in undermining the Hennepin county delegation, so that it should break its pledge for Mr. Dunn and vote for himself. He even advanced the argument that other friends of his own had broken their pledges, which was a reason that the Hennepin county delegation should do the same thing.

"He not only felt that this was right and proper, but when my slow mind refused to follow, he advanced various contrivances whereby the delegation could be sapped without the apparent assistance of myself. I flatly refused to do anything of the sort.

"'Now, with the full knowledge of the fact that nearly every member of the delegation had already refused to break its pledge, Mr. Youngdahl and Mr. Burquist make the deliberate statement that they have nine votes and they send the news to all parts of the state to hold their own men in line."

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Mr. Lindbergh And The "Old Guard."

The Menahga Journal mentions that it has received from Congressman C. A. Lindbergh a letter telling about conditions at Washington, "in which he deplores the fact that it will be necessary for the insurgent members to mingle with the defeated members of the 'old guard' during the short session." The Journal suggests that if he finds the association so obnoxious, "he could easily remedy the matter by sending in his resignation."

In this letter, which is published by many Sixth district papers, Mr. Lindbergh says:

> In the closing session of the old congress it is easily discovered that the Constitution miscarried in not providing that a new congress should begin by holding the first session following its election.
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> In the first place, the people should have an opportunity to judge of the entire work of congress before being forced finally to pass on it.
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> In the second place, no one defeated by the voters should be continued in service. That is especially noticeable in the beginning of this session.
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> In spite of the fact that the old congress was disapproved of, it is going to do business largely under control of the old guard. The people have vetoed many of its members, but they are still on the job, some of them venting their bitterness of defeat in cursing their constituents. A great deal of harm might be done in a short session by disgruntled members.
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> There is, however, generally evidenced a disposition to repair. Many were reminded by the election that they are after all only servants, and in a desire to reinstate themselves in the people's confidence, may be expected to take greater interest in the people's cause. Unless some members should resort to filibuster, and it to be tolerated, the short session may turn out some desirable new legislation, but it is doubtful that much will be done.

Congressman Lindbergh announces that he will from time to time send similar communications to the papers, as he did during the last session.

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La Follette Is Boomed For President.

Robert M. La Follette of Wisconsin is being put forward by a number of Minnesota newspapers as the best man available for the Republican nomination for president two years hence. The Wisconsin senator is praised as the foremost leader of the progressive movement and an ardent, unfailing advocate of measures in the interest of all the people. The Cannon Falls Beacon is epecially eloquent in its espousal of the La Follette cause, saying in part:

> Among the able and courageous leaders of the forward movement, some of whom have long service and distinguished accomplishments to their credit, there are none in quite the same class of merit as Robert M. La Follette. In the bright lexicon of the little giant of Wisconsin there is no such word as compromise. His principles are well defined; his methods clear cut; he neither asks nor gives quarter in the fight which for more than twenty years he has continuously waged against ambitious rivals, backed by corporate power and unscrupulous and tyrannical wealth.
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> The old leaders flattered themselves however that doing things with the legislature of the state of Wisconsin and with the United States senate were contrasting propositions, and that when the "organization" put the steam roller of senatorial custom and personal discourtesy over him a few times he would be reduced to his proper place in the rear rank and would be seen little and heard less.
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> The senatorial conspiracy persisted and the senator from Wisconsin met it bravely and always in the spirit and with the manner and language of the gentleman. He was absolutely sure not only that he was right and that the conspirators were wrong, but he knew that eventually he would win and they would lose. Undismayed he forged ahead, winning his way into the confidence of the people and into the deadlier enmity of the leaders of the old regime. No one dreamed, even so late as two years ago, of the rapid development of the progressive sentiment that has already retired several of the vicious leaders and that changed the policy of the Taft administration; but the seed of insurgency had been sown broadcast by La Follette on the lecture platform for years, and when it germinated its growth was astonishing. There is no question of La Follette having been the main publicity agent of the new movement. His daring, when he stood alone, to demand the dethronement of "Big Business" in the congress made present success possible.

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Senate Combine To Hold a Confab.

Tomorrow afternon at the Minnesota club in St. Paul there will be a meeting, it is said, of the men who rule the state senate, commonly designated "the senate combine." Some of the old guard will be missing from this gathering, for they failed to "come back," and as a result the senate machine will be assembled and set up without their help. Lieutenant Governor E. E. Smith, however, will be there, it is reported, to give the political mechanics the advantage of his deep learning.

Senate patronage will be parceled out at this meeting and other phases of session plans elaborated. Contests are to be decided by the senate and the combine may decide now what shall be done in each case. These contests are between A. D. Stephens and John Saugstad of Polk, Ray G. Farrington and S. J. Froshaug in the Fifty-sixth, S. D. Works and Ben Taylor of Mankato, and Henry J. Emmel and J. J. Hamann of St. Cloud.

There are expected to be thirty-two senators at this meeting, two or more of them Democrats. The senate combine is a non-partisan organization, for the most part.

GARMENT WORKERS REJECT SETTLEMENT.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—A plan for the settlement of the garment workers' strike submitted by Hart, Schaffner & Marx, and approved by the Chicago Federation of Labor, was not accepted by the strikers. The arbitration plan was not submitted to all the strikers as had been planned, only a small proportion voting.

At a meeting of 5,000 strikers they demanded that the closed shop agreement be incorporated in any settlement plan before they would cast a vote. In another meeting 6,000 strikers, by a rising vote, agreed not to accept the settlement plan and no ballots were cast.

MRS. SHONTS' CASE IS SETTLED BY MR. LOEB.

New York, Dec. 14.—Collector Loeb has disposed of the case of Mrs. Theodore P. Shonts, wife of the head of the Interborough Rapid Transit company, by assessing $10,800, the usual 60 per cent duty, on jewelry appraised at $18,000, which was taken from Mrs. Shonts when she arrived from Europe last week. Mrs. Shonts did not declare the jewelry which she had obtained in Paris in exchange for jewelry on which she had already paid duty in this country.

The customs duty regulations state that "no seizure should be made in the absence of clear evidence of fraudulent intent," and Collector Loeb cited this in giving his decision.

J. FREDERIC BAARS, JR., SAW ALEX GLENN LAST.

Alex Glenn, the timber cruiser, who has been missing for some months, was, so far as is known, last seen by J. Frederic Baars, Jr.

At that time Glenn was sitting on a log beside the railroad track of the Spring mine extension, six miles northeast of the mine location. He was leaning forward with his elbows on his knees and his head in his hands.

Mr. Baars says that he thinks this was the last time the man was seen. The land he was sent out to look over was but a short distance from the point at which he was last seen. The work would have taken him but a day and he had provisions for but that length of time. He has now been missing for several months.

A body that was at first supposed to be that of Glenn was found some time ago in the Dunker river, but it was later identified as that of another man.

MRS. SCHENK WILL MAKE INSANITY PLEA.

Wheeling, W. Va., Dec. 14.—Insanity will be alleged in defense of Laura Farnsworth Schenk, who is charged with the attempted murder of her husband, John O. Schenk, by poison, according to affidavits filed by her lawyers in support of a motion for postponement of her trial. Judge Jordan of the criminal court granted the postponement from Dec. 19 to Jan. 9 on the ground that the depositions of witnesses outside this state were wanted to go to prove that the defendant inherited unsoundness of mind. For another month, until the trial, Mrs. Schenk will remain in the county jail where she has been since Nov. 9, when she was arrested.

THREE SUICIDES ON 13TH IN PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 14.—Three persons ended their lives in Pittsburg yesterday, one woman and two men. An unidentified man jumped from a bridge into the Monogahela river and was drowned. His body has not been recovered. Dr. Francis Vincent Fly, a well known physician, made a few professional calls early in the day and, returning home, kissed his wife and two sons then shot himself and died. He had been ill for some time. The body of Mrs. Nellie Brewer Tiggelbeck, wife of Mounted Policeman Henry H. Tiggelbeck, was found on the floor of their kitchen. They had quarreled and she shot herself.

PEANUT FATAL FOR BABY.

Eau Claire, Wis., Dec. 14.—Picking up a peanut on the floor and swallowing it before his mother could interfere, proved fatal for the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Matson Walker, residing near Durand, as the child choked to death, the peanut lodging in the windpipe.

Eau Claire Man Hurt.

Eau Claire, Wis., Dec. 14.—Run over by a heavy oil wagon which he was driving, George F. Garnett, driver of one of the wagons of the Standard Oil company, was taken to a local hospital with a broken collar bone, seven broken ribs and perhaps serious internal injuries as a result of the accident.

F. B. KELLOGG TALKS RATES

Says Government Never Will Get Them Low as They Were.

He Urges Commission for Control of Railroad Tariffs.

New York, Dec. 14.—Frank B. Kellogg, who was special counsel for the government as a prosecutor of railroads and trusts, spoke of railroad regulation last night at the first banquet of the Economic Club of New York.

"The American people," said Mr. Kellogg, "do not wish to, and could not if they did, under this constitutional government, destroy or confiscate the property of railroads or corporations. Agitations may do harm, but wrongs breed agitation, and agitation leads to reform. What the American people have done during the nearly forty years of legislation and experience is to establish a policy for the control of transportation lines and great aggregations of capital in corporate effort. I maintain the wisdom and the necessity for such reasonable control. It has been adopted by the deliberate judgment of the nation, and, in my opinion, has come to stay.

The Days of Rebates.

"Are you willing to return to the days when railroads discriminated and paid rebates? I know whereof I speak and I say that prior to 1903 few if any of the large shippers in this country paid the tariff rates. In my opinion, no lasting prosperity, no permanent industrial growth, could possibly be based upon such an unstable, corrupt and dishonest system.

"I do not believe that the government will ever reduce rates as low as the railroad managers reduced them during the years of paying rebates and cutting rates.

"The only way to control rates is by inquiring into their reasonableness through a commission created with power to fix them subject to the judgment of this nation, expressed through the laws of all the states and the federal government, is that great aggregations of wealth should be controlled."

KEEPING A LINE ON WASHINGTON DOINGS

Getting On the Band Wagon.

The senate listened to the first tariff debate of the session yesterday, and while necessarily the discussion was largely academic, it served to develop the important fact that some senators, among them Messrs. Lodge and Aldrich, are willing to join with Western associates in the piecemeal revision of the tariff.

The subject came up on a motion to refer to the committe on rules the Cummins joint resolution, providing for the limitation of the power to amend bills looking to the modification of paragraphs and schedules of the Payne-Aldrich bill. Mr. Cummins contended that unless the rules of the two houses were amended there would be no possibility of amending the tariff with the consequence that it must remain as it is until "the people in their indignation and wrath rise up and compel a general revision."

Friar Lands Again.

The Philippine Friar land transactions were again under investigation by the house committee on insular affairs. Representative Martin of Colorado continued his statement elaborating the charges against the manner in which those estates had been handled in the Philippine government. Dean C. Worcester, secretary of the interior of the Philippine islands and Frank W. Carpenter, executive secretary of the Philippine government, were present. Capt. T. H. Sleeper, director of lands of the Philippine government, testified that when E. L. Poole, who has figured in Mr. Martin's charges, called upon him, he denied that he was representing the sugar syndicate.

Discuss Tariff Commission.

The creation of a tariff commission to colect and assemble tariff data, but not to make recommendations, may result from a dicussion at a hearing before the house committee on ways and means. Representatives Good of Iowa and Lenroot of Wisconsin, Republican insurgents, and John C. Cobb of Boston, president of the National Tariff Commission league, will endeavor to harmonize the differences and frame a substitute bill. Representative Payne of New York, chairman of the committee and Republican floor leader, opposed the action. Mr. Fordney of Michigan, Republican stand-patter on the committee and owner of large lumber interests, objected to a tariff commission on the ground that it would keep up agitation and business unrest. Mr. Lenroot argued that a commission would solve tariff problems and end business unrest.

The principle difference is over tenure of ofice of the members of the commission, as to whether its members serve five or ten years. Advocates of the long service claim that business interests would be better served by the less frequent changes in personnel.

LAW INDEFINITE; RULING DESIRED

Question of Ownership of Penalty and Interest on Assessment Levies.

Grand Forks, N. D., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—Every township in North Dakota is interested in an action that will be brought in the district court of Grand Forks county to determine whether the county, the municipal, or the township corporation that levies special assessments is entitled to the penalty and interest collected on such assessment by the county. The action will be brought by this city against Grand Forks county as a result of the county commissioners refusing to make such payment of interest and penalty to the city.

When special assessments are certified to the county auditor for collection, and the time passed in which such taxes are to be collected and they become delinquent, penalty and interest is added. Heretofore it has been the custom of the counties to retain the penalty and interest so collected, contending that it is entitled to such money for making the collection. On the other hand the cities contend that the collection of the money is paid for in the 1 mill allowance that is made.

In Grand Forks, where the special assessments are large, the penalty and interest collected amounts to several thousand dollars a year. The city's contention is that the penalty and interest collected is to reimburse the city for interest that it is obliged to pay because it does not have the tax in question before the time it becomes delinquent.

The law on the question is very indefinite and an effort will be made this winter to clear up the questionable points.

PROPOSE HALF HOLIDAY.

Traill County Sunday School Workers Would Stop Sunday Baseball.

Hillsboro, N. D., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—To stop Sunday baseball playing the Traill county Sunday school workers propose at the annual meeting of the association, just held, that business men throughout the county give employes a half holiday for ball playing.

Sunday school people also will ask that the merchants and other business men who assist in supporting the "home team" by cash subscription or otherwise, refrain from doing so when Sunday ball is played, agreeing to come to the front liberally in case Sunday play is banished and the Saturday afternoon rule is adopted.

The association has also adopted resolutions favoring the very strictest enforcement of the state anti-cigarette law, and will take steps to assist the state's attorney in compelling complance with this measure so far as Traill county is concerned.

SEIDEL WILL SPEAK.

At Dedication Next Sunday of Negaunee's New Labor Temple.

Negaunee, Mich., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—Elaborate preparations are being made for the dedication next Sunday afternoon and evening of the new Labor temple.

Emil Seidel, the Socialist mayor of Milwaukee, will speak in the afternoon and in the evening a historical drama in five acts, entitled "Daniel Hjort," will be presented. In addition to Mr. Seidel's address in the afternoon, a musical program will be given by the Negaunee Italian band and a Negaunee choir. Mr. Seidel will speak at 2 o'clock. The admission will be 50 cents. In addition to the drama in the evening there will be several musical numbers, including selections by a large orchestra.

NORTH DAKOTA HATCHERY SECURES WATER SUPPLY.

Rolla, N. D., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—With the construction of a drain leading from Garber lake to Gravel lake the probability that the state fish hatchery at Fish lake would be obliged to suspend operations, is done away with. Because of the low water during the last year, Gravel lake, from which the state hatchery secures its supply of water, went dry, and to obtain the same kind of water it was necessary to drain Garber lake. The newly constructed drain, which has just been completde, does this and in that manner the work of the hatchery will not be in any manner interrupted.

Presbyterians Reject Immersion.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 14.—A movement to substitute immersional baptism for the sprinkling method now employed by the Presbyterian church in the United States was approved in the report of a committee yesterday, but was finally defeated by a large majority. The movement, altogether a futile one, was regarded as important for the fact that the Presbyterian headquarters are nominally in Pittsburg.

What About Brain Food?

This Question Came Up in the Recent Trial for Libel.

A "Weekly" printed some criticisms of the claims made for our foods. It evidently did not fancy our reply printed in various newspapers, and brought suit for libel. At the trial some interesting facts came out.

Some of the chemical and medical experts differed widely.

The following facts, however, were quite clearly established:

Analysis of brain by an unquestionable authority, Geoghegan, shows of Mineral Salts, Phosphoric Acid and Potash combined (Phosphate of Potash), 2.91 per cent of the total, 5.33 of all Mineral Salts.

This is over one-half.

Beaunis, another authority, shows "Phosphoric Acid combined" and Potash 73.44 per cent from a total of 101.07.

Considerable more than one-half of Phosphate of Potash.

Analysis of Grape-Nuts shows: Potassium and Phosphorus, (which join and make Phosphate of Potash), is considerable more than one-half of all the mineral salts in the food.

Dr. Geo. W. Carey, an authority on the constituent elements of the body, says: "The gray matter of the brain is controlled entirely by the inorganic cell-salt Potassium Phosphate (Phosphate of Potash.) This salt unites with albumen and by the addition of oxygen creates nerve fluid or the gray matter of the brain. Of course, there is a trace of other salts and other organic matter in nerve fluid, but Potassium Phosphate is the chief factor, and has the power within itself to attract, by its own law of affinity, all things needed to manufacture the elixir of life."

Further on he says: "The beginning and end of the matter is to supply the lacking principle, and in molecular form, exactly as nature furnishes it in vegetables, fruits and grain. To supply deficiencies—this is the only law of cure."

The natural conclusion is that if Phosphate of Potash is the needed mineral element in brain and you use food which does not contain it, you have brain fag because its daily loss is not supplied.

On the contrary, if you eat food known to be rich in this element you place before the nerve forces that which nature demands for brain-building.

In the trial a sneer was uttered because Mr. Post announced that he had made years of research in this country and some clinics of Europe, regarding the effect of the mind on digestion of food.

But we must be patient with those who sneer at facts they know nothing about.

Mind does not work well on a brain that is broken down by lack of nourishment.

A peaceful and evenly poised mind is necessary to good digestion.

Worry, anxiety, fear, hate, etc., etc., directly interfere with or stops the flow of Ptyalin, the digestive juice of the mouth, and also interferes with the flow of the digestive juices of stomach and pancreas.

Therefore, the mental state of the individual has much to do (more than suspected) with digestion.

This trial has demonstrated:

That Brain is made of Phosphate of Potash as the principal Mineral Salt, added to albumen and water.

That Grape-Nuts contains that element as more than one-half of all its mineral salts.

A healthy brain is important, if one would "do things" in this world.

A man who sneers at "Mind" sneers at the best and least understood part of himself. That part which some folks believe links us to the Infinite.

Mind asks for a healthy brain upon which to act, and Nature has defined a way to make a healthy brain and renew it day by day as it is used up from work of the previous day.

Nature's way to rebuild is by the use of food which supplies the things required.

"There's a Reason"

Postum Cereal Co., Ltd.,

Battle Creek, Mich.

SPECIAL SALE

ON—

Good Pocket Knives and Carving Sets All This Week.

Three-Piece Stag Handle Carving Sets—Regular price $3.75, sale price **$2.60**

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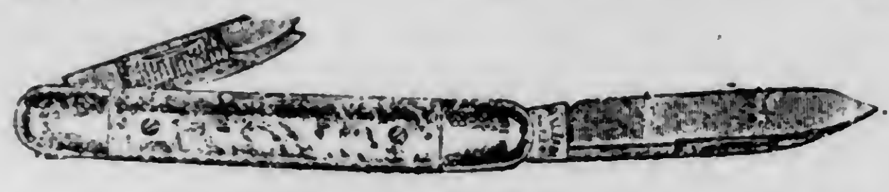

Boys' Two-bladed. Stag Handle Pocket Knives—Regular price 65c. sale price .... **45¢**

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This Flexible Runner Sled is what all the boys and girls want.

Prices from .... **$1.50 to $3.50**
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We make a specialty of Carpenter Tools and carry, we believe, the finest line in Duluth. We will gladly make up a set of anything you might want for the boy or father.

Tool Cabinets from .... **$8.00 to $40.00**
Work Benches from .... **$8.50 to $16.50**

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23 Second Avenue West.

SEARCHING THE COUNTRY FOR HIS MISSING SISTER

John Bohlin, automobile driver at the police department, has been prosecuting a country-wide search for his sister, Margaret Matilda Bohlin, for over twelve years. He has advertised extensively and followed up every possibility of loctaing her, but without success. He is firmly convinced that she is alive and that he will be able to find her. The last he or any of her relatives heard of her was in 1898 at St. Paul. They were in Sweden, their old home, at that time, coming to this country since. Her brother says that she does not know that he is in Duluth and thinks that she would look him up if she knew his whereabouts. She is now 36 years of age, about 5 feet 2 inches tall, of stout build, with brown hair, blue eyes, medium complexion and carries a scar over her right eyebrow and parallel to it. He has heard that a man named Hanson, living at Cloquet, saw her about four years ago, but he has been equally unsuccessful in getting into communication with him.

MATILDA BOHLIN,
Whose Brother Is Searching the Country for Her.

You Can Save $10

If you buy your suit or overcoat now at the "3 Winners" Clothing company, 115 East Superior street.

"Rebels Are Routed."

Washington, Dec. 14.—The Mexican federal troops have completely routed the revolutionists in Chihuahua and captured the city of Guerrero, according to a telegram received today by the state department from Ambassador Wilson at Mexico City.

"This cleared the state of Chihuahua and other parts of the country," said Mr. Wilson, "of all organized resistance to the government."

The Most Serious Diseases

Have been successfully cured by the Chiropractic treatments of Dr. D. W. Riesland. He can cure you. Let him convince you that Chiropractic methods are the safest and surest methods. He has demonstrated the remarkable efficiency by permanently curing patients of the most serious diseases. Call on him at 707-708-709-710-711-712 Palladio Bldg., Duluth, Minn.

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AT THE BIG DULUTH

HID HIMSELF IN TOOL CHEST OF LOCOMOTIVE.

George Parker, 13 years old, is being detained at the police station on a charge of being a runaway boy. He came to Duluth yesterday afternoon in a tool chest of an engine in which he had hidden himself. He was seen by his uncle, a baggage man, as he was leaving the engine. His uncle said that he has run away from home twice before.

A. O. U. W. Officers.

At a large and enthusiastic meeting held last evening Duluth lodge, No. 10, A. O. U. W., elected the following officers for the year 1911: Past master workman, R. E. Wray; master workman, R. G. Foote; foreman, A. C. Heller; overseer, M. J. Walsh; recorder, G. E. Lindberg; financier, T. J. St. Germain; receiver, O. J. Swanson; guide, R. R. Deichsel; inside watchman, Anton Wessel; outside watchman, Norman Johnson; trustee for three years, C. F. Ottinger; medical examiners, Robert Graham and T. W. Weum; delegates to grand lodge, R. G. Foote and R. E Wray; alternates, R. R. Diechsel, Norman Johnson and H. B. Ivens.

NORTON IN A NEW ROLE

County Attorney Plays the Part of Little Dan Cupid.

Settles Lovers' Quarrel and Is a Witness at Marriage Ceremony.

County Attorney John H. Norton has settled all kinds of difficulties between people, neighborhood rows and the like, but it remained for him to break his own record when this morning he straightened out a badly mixed love affair and accompanied the principals to the judge of probate's office, where he signed their marriage contract, as a witness.

Some people have the idea that the county attorney is a kind of bureau where free advice is doled out for the asking. The men in charge are supposed to know everything. If they don't, they have no right to be there. Not a day goes by but what several people visit the office asking that some one be arrested on some petty charge or another. Sometimes the other side will come in at the same time, and they are usually sent away together the best of friends.

This morning there was a young man waiting at the office when Mr. Norton appeared. He said that he had been unable to sleep last night thinking about his troubles. Asked as to what they were, he answered that the girl had given him the worst of it, and it had happened at a most inopportune time, for they had planned to be married this afternoon, so that they could catch an afternoon train for Detroit, Mich., where they had intended to make their home.

He said that last night when he had called at the girl's home, the father and he had a difficulty in which the girl took the father's part and it ended suddenly when he called the older man a "slob" and the father said that the first thing he would do in the morning would be to get the county attorney after him.

The young man said that he wanted to get married and didn't care anything about fighting. Besides he was all over his fit of anger. He was afraid the father had been there earlier in the morning and he wanted to get his story in first.

It seems that the father left home this morning vowing that he would visit the county attorney's office and that before noon the would-be son-in-law would be thinking it over from behind the bars of the St. Louis county jail.

The girl became alarmed and hurried to the office. The young man was there telling his story. The father had not shown up.

After hearing the story, it didn't take Mr. Norton long to decide what to do. Yes, that was just what they wanted—to get married.

It was but a moment's work to get the license and the judge of probate was but two floors down.

It was over in a short while and they left to tell their folks, gather their traps and catch their train as though nothing had happened.

The girl said she was a little disappointed as she had wanted to be married at home and several of her friends had been invited in, b utshe said she did not mind as it would be almost as much fun to surprise them.

One wedding that had been planned for this afternoon is off because it has already taken place.

BURIAL BY A MINISTER

Poor Farm Inmates Will Be Interred With Fitting Services.

Will No Longer Be Placed Without Ceremony in Potter's Field.

Human derelicts who die without money, friends, or relatives, and who have to be cared for by the county, will henceforth be given a Christian burial.

In the past no one has taken an interest in the matter, and they have been placed in the paupers' field at Greenwood cemetery at the poor farm without any services of any kind, unless some one has taken the trouble to make a special request.

This morning Rev. R. S. Read, assistant rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church, had charge of the last rites over the bodies of five men and women who had no one, except the county, to look after them. Services for two were held at Crawford's undertaking rooms. They were Howard Fish, a woodsman 35 years old, who died at a hospital after contracting typhoid fever in a lumber camp, and Mary Anderson, who had earned her living for years at West Duluth by taking in washing. All the rites and ceremonies of the church were observed.

At the poor farm Rev. Read performed the same office for three others in the same position. A deep interest in the services were shown by the other inmates of the institution.

The matter was taken up at the last meeting of the ministerial association and the president directed to appoint a different preacher each month to take charge of services of this nature. The situation was explained by Rev. Read and he and Rev. A. W. Ryan volunteered their services for the months of November and December.

TAKE YOUR CHOICE AT $15 OF OVERCOATS
WORTH $30 to $20
AT THE BIG DULUTH!

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Use Red Cross Stamps! Cost 1c Each! Every Penny Goes Into the Tuberculosis War Fund.

19c for Men's 35c Neckwear

Four-in-Hands and Club Ties in handsome styles—regularly selling at 25c and 35c. A big lot on sale tomorrow on Bargain Square at **19c**

Let Us Do Your Stamping and Stenciling. Many New Designs for Christmas Gifts.

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59c for 75c and $1.00 Mufflers

White, gray, or black Silk Mufflers for men. Qualities which will regularly sell at 75c and $1.00; on sale special tomorrow at **59c**

Christmas Gloves in Gift Boxes

When in doubt, "give gloves," is a safe maxim for any gift giver

Many discriminating women prefer Gray-Tallant Gloves, so you are sure to please if you give any of the following:

Alexander Kid Gloves in fine kid, various colors—$1.00, $1.50 and $2.00 the pair.

Fowne's Dagmar Gloves, $1.50.

Fowne's La Tosca Gloves, $2.00.

Jersey Lined Mocha Gloves or Mittens, $1.00 and $1.50 the pair.

Children's Kid Gloves, $1 the pair.

Children's Kid Mittens, 50c the pair.

ALL KID GLOVES PUT IN DAINTY BOXES IF DESIRED.

Women's and Children's Golf Gloves, 25c and 50c the pair.

Women's Fur-Lined English Gloves

Fowne's finest Mocha Gloves—in grays or browns—lined with Siberian squirrel, in gray or brown to match mocha—beautiful and warm—here only at $5.00 the pair.

Christmas Stockings That Will Be Sure to Please

Silk stockings are sure to win the heart of any woman, and selections made in our big stock are sure to please.

Kayser's Italian Silk Hose—plain or embroidered effects—$1.50, $2.00 and $2.50 the pair.

Wayne Knit Hose — made from heavy pure silk—all colors, with reinforced garter tops—$1.50 and $1.75 the pair.

McCallum Silk Stockings, all shades and colors, garter tops—lisle soles—lisle heels and lisle toes. Prices range $1.00, $1.50, $2.00, $2.25 and $2.50 the pair.

Women's Black Lisle Hose — lace and embroidered effects—50c, 65c, 75c, $1.00 and $1.25 the pair.

Gift Boxes of Hosiery

Will be made up of one or more pairs of our stockings, and the many novelties on sale at reasonable prices, offer unusual opportunities for Holiday shoppers.

This Suit— $12.50 Was Regularly $25

All Suits at ½ Original Prices

EVERY woman's suit in the house, not a limited lot, but your unrestricted choice of every suit in the house. The very creme de la creme of tho season's vogue on sale here tomorrow, at exactly Half of the original regular prices.

$18.50 SUITS	$9.25	$35.00 SUITS	$17.50
$22.50 SUITS	$11.25	$40.00 SUITS	$20.00
$25.00 SUITS	$12.50	$50.00 SUITS	$25.00
$30.00 SUITS	$15.00	$65.00 SUITS	$32.50
$75.00 SUITS	$37.50		

No Approvals, no exchanges, no refunds and no lay-bys.

This Suit— $22.50 Was Regularly $45

$11.25 for Some of Our $15, $18.50 and $22.50 Dresses

WOMEN'S wool dresses—very charming styles in serge, cheviot, panama and worsteds, selling regularly at $15.00, $18.50 and $22.00. On special sale for early Christmas shoppers at $11.25.

These garments are made up in navy blue, wine, shepherd checks, and blacks. Some have fancy net yokes—others have hand-embroidered waist fronts. Sleeves are pretty new models. Skirts are in kilted, cluster pleated, or modified gored hobbles.

$11.25

Altogether the values are most unusual at regular prices, and are indeed amazing values at $11.25.

All Trimmed Hats ½ Price

$5.00 HATS	$2.50
$7.50 HATS	$3.75
$10.00 HATS	$5.00
$12.50 HATS	$6.25
$15.00 HATS	$7.50
$20.00 HATS	$10.00
$25.00 HATS	$12.50
$28.50 HATS	$14.25
$30.00 HATS	$15.00
$45.00 HATS	$22.50

$2.98 for $3.98 Silk Dressing Sacques

Very dainty and useful gifts.

Silk dressing sacque made up of dainty silks, trimmed with bands of satin ribbon and ribbon girdle, finished with shirred yokes and collar, and sleeves with ribbon bands. Very special at $2.98—regular prices were $3.98.

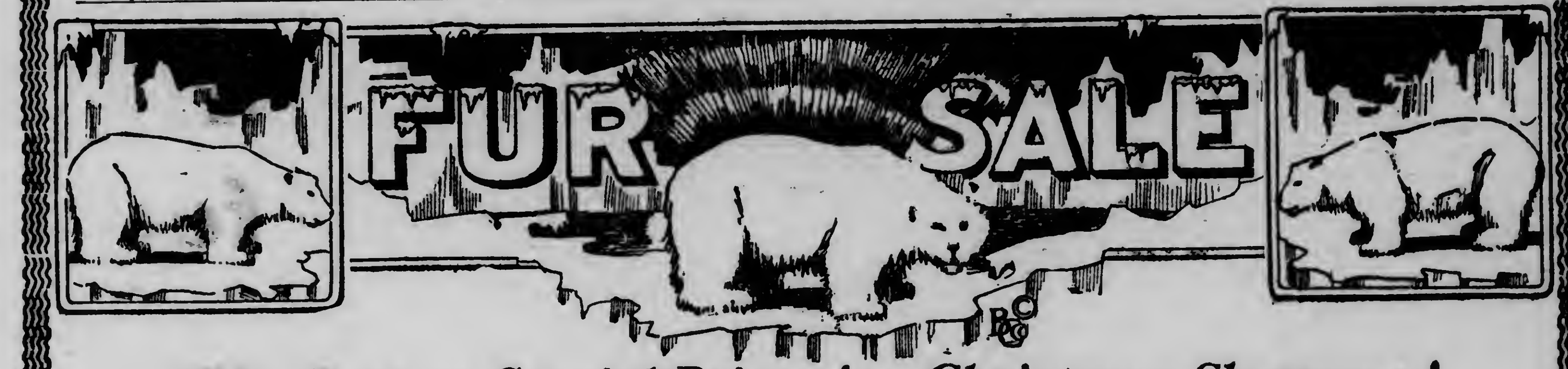
$5.00 for $7.50 Black Panama Skirts

Tomorrow we shall offer as a special for early Christmas shoppers, our $7.50 Black Panama Skirts, pleated hobble band, or kilted models. Special only $5.00.

50c for $1.98 and $2.50 Dressing Sacques

To close out small sizes.

We have carried over a line of wool dressing sacques in sizes 32, 34, and 36 only, in light gray, greens, blues and heliotropes. They sold regularly at $1.98 and $2.50. Because size lines are broken, we offer choice at 50c.



Fine Furs at Special Prices for Christmas Shoppers!

WIDE-AWAKE women plan to be here early tomorrow. There are special advantages for early shoppers, and the prices on furs quoted below will attract many. Note the special prices offered on furs for Christmas shoppers.

All we ask is a fair comparison of qualities to convince you that you can do better here.

$16.50 for $22.50 Pillow Muffs

Choose from 18-inch sizes in handsome Jap Mink, Black Fox, Sable Fox, Sable Wolf, Black Wolf and Gray Wolf. Your choice of our $22.50 lines at **$16.50.**

$10.00 for $15.00 Shawl Scarfs

Beautiful big shawl collars of River Mink, Marmot and Siberian Wolf, finished with two tabs down front. **$17.50** for $22.50 27-inch Scarfs.

$17.50 for $22.50 Shawl Scarfs

Luxurious Shawl Scarfs in Fox, River Mink and Opossum—finished with two heads or three tabs. Splendid value at $22.50—very special at **$17.50.**

$8.50 for $12.50 16-18-In. Pillow Muffs

Black Opossum, Brown Opossum, Black Coney, and Coney Lynx Pillow Muffs in 16-inch and 18-inch sizes. They are plain or trimmed with heads and tabs. Our best $12.50 grades—special tomorrow at only **$8.50.**

Christmas Coats $28.50 to $210.00

Fur Coats are mighty fine Christmas gifts—a big assortment of good kinds here. Prices range **$28.50 to $210.**

Children's Fur Sets

Just suited for the little folks from a New York maker, who specializes in good furs for children. A fine assortment at **$1.98 to $18.50.**

$5.00 for 16-inch French Coney $8.50 Pillow Muffs.

Our $68.50 Pony Coats for $55

Beautifully marked skins, dyed a rich lustrous black, elegantly lined. They look like $75 and $85 coats. Our regular price $68.50—special to early shoppers, only **$55.00.**

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Many Sweepers Will Be Given

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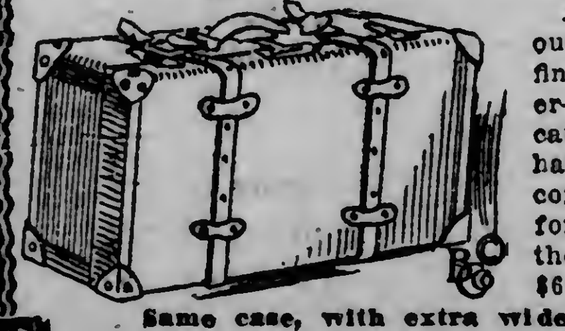

A lot of these—our big leaders—fine cowhide leather—best locks and catches — anchor handle—sole leather corners — a present for any member of the family — price $6.50.

Same case, with extra wide straps, $7.50.

30-Inch Kimono Silks a Yard— 55c

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30-Inch Imported Challis—a Yard 65c

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39c for 59c Silk Crepe Meteor

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25c FOR 39c POPLINS.

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From his brimstone bed, at break of day,
A-walking the devil is gone,
To look at his little snug farm of the world,
And see how his stock went on.
—*Southey.*

A REPORT ON THE COMMISSION PLAN.

It is to be hoped that every citizen will read the report of the joint committee from the Duluth Commercial club and the city council on the commission form of city government, published in The Herald tonight.

After several months of earnest investigation, during which the committee has studied the workings of the plan in many communities where it has been adopted, its report is warmly and enthusiastically in favor of the plan, and urges its adoption in Duluth. One member of the committee, Alderman Shartel, found himself unable to agree with the others, and will present a minority report, it is understood, expressing his hostility to the plan.

The reasons offered by the committee for its approval of the new system are sound, strong and convincing. They agree in every particular with the conclusions reached by The Herald as a result of its study of the theory of the plan and its operations in a score of cities. The committee favors the commission form of government for this city, and its reasons are as follows:

1. Because it establishes the city on a business basis and under it the city is operated as any large commercial corporation would be, thus eliminating political interests of all kinds.

2. Because it centralizes responsibility so it cannot be evaded.

3. Because it facilitates and expedites the transaction of business and the making of public improvements.

4. Because it naturally follows that greater economy will result from such a purely business administration.

5. Because it provides, or should provide, that the commissioners shall give all their time to the city's business, and that they shall be paid salaries sufficent to attract the right kind of men.

6. Because the provisions of the referendum, initiative and recall give the citizens greater responsibilities, greater interest in public affairs and greater incentive to participate in them.

7. Because it abolishes the ward system by electing city officers from the whole city, makes them responsible to all parts of the city and compels them to take care of the needs of all parts of the community.

In a nutshell, the commission form of government centralizes responsibility, now so divided that it is impossible to place it, and thus evils creep in for which nobody will admit responsiblility; it eliminates ward and party politics, putting city business on a plain business basis; and it puts the government of the city in the full control of the people at all times. Thus it works for better service at smaller cost.

The committee recommends the adoption in Duluth of the Des Moines system, which undoubtedly is the highest type of city government yet devised, with a few minor changes. For instance, it is proposed that instead of having the municipal judges appointed by the commission, they be elected by the people subject to recall as are the commissioners. An innovation, so far as we have observed, is the suggestion that the charter contain a provision that after the new system has been in operation for six years, it be submitted again to the people for their indorsement or rejection. There is no harm in this suggestion, and we venture the prediction that, if it is adopted, when the six years have elapsed the commission plan will be indorsed by a much larger vote than it will get when it is first adopted, and that in the second election many of those who were most active in opposition to its adoption will be most active in favor of its retention. It has worked that way in most of the cities in which it has been tried.

A TAX ON CHRISTMAS TREES.

A chorus of warning against despoiling Duluth of its last remaining evergreens for Christmas decoration has lately risen, in which The Herald has joined. Similar choruses have been heard in previous years, yet every season sees fewer sightly spruce, balsam and fir trees in the Duluth landscape.

Vermont, which has been furnishing a large part of the Christmas trees for New York, Boston and other large Eastern cities, has become fearful that its supply of evergreens will vanish, and its legislature is anxiously casting about for a way to stop it.

It is announced from Montpelier—which, you may remember if your "jogerfy" lessons still cling to your mind, is the capital of Vermont—that a plan has been devised.

The legislature is going to pass a law imposing a tax of 25 cents a tree on all the Christmas trees shipped out of the state. "This means," says the dispatch from Montpelier, "that the Vermont Christmas tree will disappear from the markets of Boston and New York.

That's a beautiful plan if it would work—but it won't.

The trouble is that the states haven't the power to levy taxes on exports, and that's what the proposed tax on exported Christmas trees comes to. If it doesn't get into the courts it may be all right; but it will not last five minutes in any court.

It's a pretty wise inhibition, too, though there are exceptions, such as this Christmas tree tax would be, that show the possibility of beneficent results from state export duties. But if the states were allowed to levy such taxes, the very mischief would be to pay. Some coal-producing state, for instance, might get greedy and levy an export tax on coal, with a view to conserving its supply for its own use and to getting a little easy money for state purposes. That would anger the coal-consuming states, and they would retaliate with export duties on wheat and corn and lumber. Presently the sisterhood of states would be engaged in disastrous commercial warfare, in which all would lose and none would gain.

The Minnesota legislature found out about this thing when the tonnage tax made its first appearance. The tonnage tax was not devised, in the first place, especially as a mode of taxation. Its originators thought that there should be more iron ore manufactured in this state, and not so much shipped out. They were willing to agree that it was possible to tax the iron interests adequately by the ordinary methods; but what they wanted was to penalize the practice of shipping most of the ore out of the state instead of manufacturing it within the state—a thoroughly worthy object, of course.

So the first tonnage tax bill provided a tax of 25 cents a ton on iron ore, of which 20 cents was to be rebated on every ton manufactured in the state. This meant that iron ore manufactured here would be taxed 5 cents a ton, while ore shipped out would be taxed 25 cents a ton. This glowing plan was nipped in the bud by the discovery that it would be a tax on exports from the state, and therefore unquestionably unconstitutional.

That was the beginning of the tonnage tax agitation. Its original purpose has disappeared, and those who still advocate it do so only because they have got into the habit.

ANOTHER OREGON EXPERIMENT.

Oregon seems likely to prove itself every useful in deed as a trying-out place for political and economic experiments, something as New Zealand is the world's political experiment station.

Oregon has succeeded in getting around the fact that the Federal Constitution didn't intend that the people should pick out United States senators. It has succeeded in getting around the fact that the fathers of the nation had little or no conception of the fact that some time the people might like to do their own lawmaking without relying on unreliable representatives.

And in the recent election it adopted an amendment to its Constitution authorizing a new experiment in taxation that will be watched with keenest interest by tax experts everywhere—county option in taxation.

Under this new provision of the Oregon Constitution, each county may choose whatever form of levying taxes it thinks best. If one county wishes to get all its revenues from land, and does not wish to penalize progress and reward sloth by taxing improvements, it may do so in Oregon.

Undoubtedly one or more counties in Oregon will adopt the land tax idea. It is high time that an experiment were being made in this plan of taxation. Though never tried in this country, it has theoretical merits that are appealing more and more to thinking citizens. It is so clear that taxing personal property is unequal, unjust and impossible, that there is great need of some system of taxation that will obviate the need of taxing personal property. It is so clear that taxing improvements on land tends to discourage the building of homes and to encourage the holding of vacant property to allow the enterprise of others to increase its value, that there is need of a demonstration of the plan of taxing land only, and taxing it so that the community, which gives land its value, shall receive some of that value for the common good.

What will be done as to state revenues under the county option system of taxation in Oregon is not yet decided. Though it has always been assumed that there is only one way to take care of this point, really there are two. The method usually urged is to provide the state with independent sources of revenue, so that it need levy no direct taxes. The usual procedure looking toward county option in taxation has been along this line. It was with a view to divorcing state and local taxation to make county option in taxation possible that the tax amendment which the supreme court read into the Minnesota Constitution was proposed.

But of late years tax experts have come to believe that it is not wise to sever the relations between state and local taxation, for two reasons: first, because it is wholesome to have the state interested in local taxation; second, because it is wholesome to have the individual taxpayer interested directly in what is done with the state's funds.

Another way to take care of the state's needs would be to apportion among the counties the state's need for money, leaving to the counties the option of raising it as they please. This would allow county option in taxation, without divorcing state and local taxation from each other.

A SUBJECT OF VITAL IMPORT.

The most interesting and most important feature of the convention in this city of the State Association of Builders' Exchanges is the open meeting tonight at the Commercial club for the discussion of employers' liability laws. This meeting will be addressed by W. E. McEwen, state labor commissioner, and George M. Gillette, two members of the commission appointed by the late Governor Johnson to study this subject and report to the next legislature. Their studies have been deep, and they are equipped with valuable information.

Minnesota must soon adopt an employers' liability law that will insure justice to both employers and employes, and by eliminating the wastes of litigation will provide ample protection for the worker without additional cost to the employer. That is why tonight's meeting is of unusual importance.

DULUTH'S CO-OPERATIVE MARKET.

A local article in The Herald last night called attention to the growing success of the Duluth Co-operative Market association. It is not yet paying expenses, but the rate of growth in its business is such that it seems certain that within a short time it will be on a self-sustaining basis. It is not planned to make money by it, but to make it helpful to the farmers in Duluth's territory by providing them with a market service on which they can rely, and to help the consumers of Duluth by getting farm products to them with as little waste and as few middlemen's profits as possible. It is fully justified by results so far, and that's very good to know because its success is a fundamental need of this city.

Roosevelt drank a toast to Taft last night, but one swallow does not make a summer.

The tide that began at Bemidji, grew at Crookston and reached its flood at Brainerd will sweep down upon the legislature next month and wash away some of the old prejudices that have hampered the development of Northern Minnesota.

Governor-elect Foss must be crowding Senator Lodge pretty closely judging by the latter's "seeing a great light" on the tariff question at this late hour. A few more Fosses to camp on the trails of other standpat senators would help.

THE OPEN COURT.

(Readers of The Herald are invited to make free use of this column to express their ideas about the topics of general interest. Letters should not exceed 300 words—the shorter the better. They must be written on one side of the paper only, and they must be accompanied in every case by the name and address of the writer, though these need not be published. A signed letter is always more effective, however.)

SHOULD GRANT OFFICERS' REQUEST.

To the Editor of The Herald:

If the finance committee of the council believes that the policemen of the city are entitled to a raise, why doesn't the committee recommend that they be paid $5 a month more from July 1, 1911, instead of $2.50? This in accordance with the recommendations of Chief Troyer. He said that with the appropriation for next year he thought it could be done by starting July 1. The firemen are getting a $5 raise and the policemen are certainly entitled to the same consideration. It doesn't seem fair that one department should be raised more than the other. There is scarcely a doubt but that the policemen would rather wait until July 1, for a $5 raise than to get a $2.50 raise beginning the first of the year. It would amount to the same thing the first year, but the department will not go out of existence after next year. The men will still be on the job, and the same arguments that apply for a raise now, will apply then.

H. J. L.

Duluth, Dec. 14, 1910.

BARDELL AGAINST PICKWICK.

By Charles Dickens: You have heard from my learned friend, gentlemen of the jury, that this is an action for a breach of promise of marriage, in which the damages are laid at £1,500. The plaintiff, gentlemen, is a widow; yes, gentlemen, a widow. With her little boy, her only child, the desolate widow shrunk from the world, and courted the retirement and tranquillity of Goswell street. Here she placed in her front parlor window a written placard, bearing this inscription: "Apartments furnished for a single gentleman. Inquire within."

Mrs. Bardell's opinions of the opposite sex, gentlemen, were derived from a long contemplation of the inestimable qualities of her lost husband. She had no fear; she had no distrust; all was confidence and reliance. "Mr. Bardell," said the widow, "was a man of honor. Mr. Bardell was a man of his word. Mr. Bardell was no deceiver. Mr. Bardell was once a single gentleman himself. To single gentlemen I look for protection, for assistance, for comfort and consolation. In single gentlemen I shall perpetually see something to remind me of what Mr. Bardell was, when he first won my young and untried affections. To a single gentleman, then, shall my lodgings be let."

Actuated by this beautiful and touching impulse (among the best impulses of our imperfect nature, gentlemen), the lonely and desolate widow dried her tears, furnished her first floor, caught her innocent boy to her maternal bosom, and put the bill up in her parlor window. Did it remain there long? No. The serpent was on the watch; the train was laid; the mine was preparing; the sapper and miner was at work!

Before the bill had been in the parlor window three days—three days, gentlemen—a being, erect upon two legs, and bearing all the outward semblance of a man, and not of a monster, knocked at the door of Mrs. Bardell's house. He inquired within; he took the lodgings; and on the very next day he entered into possession of them. This man was Pickwick; Pickwick the defendant.

Of this man I will say little. The subject presents but few attractions; and I, gentlemen, am not the man, nor are you, gentlemen, the men, to delight in the contemplation of revolting heartlessness, and of systematic villany. And when I say systematic villany, gentlemen, let me tell the defendant Pickwick, if he be in court, as I am informed he is, that it would have been more decent in him, more becoming, if he had stayed away.

Let me tell him further, that a counsel, in the discharge of his duty, is neither to be intimidated, nor bullied, nor put down; and that any attempt to do either the one or the other, will recoil on the head of the attempter, be he plaintiff, or be he defendant; be his name Pickwick, or Noakes, or Stoakes, or Stiles, or Brown, or Thompson.

Intoxicants and Tobacco.

Harper's Weekly: We are drinking more alcoholic drinks than ever, more not only in gross, but per capita. So the internal revenue bureau says after toting up its receipts for the year ending on the 30th of last June. Here is its report of some of the products that paid taxes:

163,000,000 gallons of distilled spirits, 30,000,000 gallons more than the year before.

59,485,117 barrels of fermented liquors, an increase of 3,000,000 barrels.

7,600,000,000 cigars, 160,000,000 more than 1909.

6,830,000,000 cigarettes, an increase of 1,000,000,000.

402,000,000 pounds of plug, fine-cut, cube-cut, granulated, or sliced smoking or chewing tobacco or snuff, 4,000,000 pounds more than the year before.

141,862,282 pounds of oleomargarine, 50,000,000 pounds increase.

It appears that the consumption of spirits increased last year by over 20 per cent. Perhaps taxes were paid on more liquor than was drunk, but the payments from year to year are a pretty close measure of consumption. That drinking should increase in the face of so much prohibition and local option legislation causes some astonishment, but is not, we believe, contrary to experience. Legislation may have an effect on manners, methods and details of consumption, but it does not change habits. Prohibition, if Maine is any criterion, does not help at all in promoting temperance. Local option may do good, but is more likely to benefit the rising generation than the one whose habits are formed.

It is possible that in spite of the internal revenue figures the manner of drinking may be improved and the drinks better distributed.

It bears on this subject that of the 9,000,000 population in New York state 7,000,000 live in cities. Local option in this state is confined to country townships. The increase of city population all over the country has doubtless a relation to this increase in the consumption both of alcohol and tobacco. The nervous tension of city life is greater than of country life, calling more for stimulants, and affording more convenient opportunities to get them. Drinking and smoking, too, are both social practices, and there is more society in the cities than in the country.

The consumption of spirits has increased more in proportion than the consumption of beer, and the consumption of cigarettes more than of cigars. The report is not complimentary to legislation.

Mixed Emotions.

Lippincott's: A Bostonian tells of a clean, well-set-up young Irshman, who formerly saw service in the British navy, but who is now engaged in business at the Hub.

"When are you going to get home rule in Ireland, John?" the Bostonian once idly asked.

"The only way that we'll get home rule in ould Ireland," said the Celt, "will be if France—an' Russia—an' Germany—an' Austria—an' maybe Italy—if they would all join together to give those blackguards of England a rare ould batin'. That's the only way, sir, we'll get home rule."

Then, as he looked cautiously round, a twinkle of cunning was added to his expression. "An' the whole lot of 'em together couldn't do it, sir. Oh, it's the grand navy we've got!"

Snow-Burden.

They bear the burden of the snow—
They bear it with a patient grace,
The drooping trees! Yet well they know
A melting hour comes on apace.

Ah, if but Time, that crowns me white,
An equal clemency would show,
Then I, some soft, mild day or night,
Would drop the burden of the snow!

—Edith M. Thomas in Scribner's.

ALL ABOUT PUSSYFOOT.

Very Dry Humor.

Mesaba Ore: Supposing, now, that Pussyfoot should take it into his three-cornerd head to close the saloons of St. Paul this winter, what kind of a legislative session do you think we would have? (Add another question mark, or two, for good measure.)

He's Real Enough.

Princeton Union: It begins to look as if the padfooted Mr. Johnson is the real chief of the interior department.

Take It To the Indians.

Moorhead Citizen: The closing up of the saloon at Georgetown was a fine piece of work on the part of the government agents. It seems to us they at least ought to have given him a chance to get out of town with his stuff. We wouldn't be afraid to bet that there are people who have lived there for twenty years who have never seen an Indian.

One Course To Pursue.

Crookston Times: Enough has been said on the subject to fix it in the mind of any reasonable person that there is but one course to pursue at the present time, and that is, to take no chances. The sale of bottled goods, or jugs, is dangerous business, and in Crookston it is actually crooked business. They have agreed not to. Let them stick to the agreement, and not try and sneak a little business on the side for which their fellow dealers may suffer also.

Pussyfoot and the Future.

Coleraine Optic: Hibbing people are rejoicing. A cruiser and surveyor over there have figured it out that the 1855 treaty line runs four miles west of Hibbing. Nevertheless, "Pussyfoot" will come along some of these fine mornings and inform them that the 1851 treaty extends eastward over Northern Minnesota and Michigan and then "there'll be weeping and wailing and gnashing of teeth."

New Job For Mr. Johnson.

Bemidji Sentinel: It would seem that it is against the treaty of '55 to maintain a trust. If it is, all that will be necessary is to put Pussyfoot on the trail of the octopus. If there are no prominent men in it he will put it out of commission as quickly as he put down the rebellion in Cass Lake in 1910.

In the "Indian Settlement."

Virginia Virginian: "Pussyfoot" Johnson is by far the most cordially disliked man in Bemidji, in fact the whole Indian settlement.

Property Is Destroyed.

Litchfield Independent: Northern Minnesota has been having a hot time of late with the government Indian bureau on the liquor question. Agents of the interior department have been closing saloons at Bemidji and lots of other towns, destroying the stocks of liquor, worth thousands of dollars. This has been done by authority vested in the department through Indian treaties. The object of the raids is to prevent the sale of liquor to Indians.

Dr. Osler's Challenge.

Chicago Evening Post: The American Magazine prints an interesting address by Dr. William Osler in which, among other things, that great physician pays his respects to the anti-vaccinationist. He says:

"A great deal of literature has been distributed casting discredit upon the value of vaccination in the prevention of smallpox. I do not see how anyone who has gone through epidemics as I have or who is familiar with the history of the subject, and has any capacity left for clear judgment, can doubt its value.

"Some months ago I was twitted by the editor of the Journal of the Anti-Vaccination League for a 'curious silence' upon the subject. I would like to issue a Mount Carmel-like challenge to any ten unvaccinated priests of Baal. I will go into the next severe epidemic with ten selected vaccinated persons and ten selected unvaccinated persons. I should prefer to choose the latter—three members of parliament, three anti-vaccination doctors, if they could be found, and four anti-vaccination propagandists. And I will make this promise: Neither to jeer nor jibe when they catch the disease, but to look after them as brothers, and for the four or five who are certain to die I will try to arrange the funerals with all the pomp and ceremony of an anti-vaccination demonstration."

The challenge, of course, has a slightly mediaeval air—in spite of the grim smile with which it was probably accompanied—but, after all, it has certain obvious merits. It looks now as though the anti-vaccinationists would make large gains simply by talking, talking, talking. If they talk long enough and passionately enough they will impress a good many people. If the history of medicine does not suffice to still the clamor, then about all that is left, it would seem, is an actual test. Such a test was proposed in a recent vaccination struggle in St. Louis, but unfortunately nothing came of the suggestion.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

New York Press: A very good investment is to be born the son of a millionaire.

Most all of us can remember experience without being guided by it.

So many men can get swindled because all the others feel ashamed to tell it.

A woman knows a man loves her long before he knows it, and then goes to work to prove it to him.

People who are ashamed of a good appetite have lots of other things in their lives they could be more ashamed of, but they aren't.

Pointed Paragraphs.

Chicago News: The loser never wastes his sympathy on the winner.

It's not a difficult matter to be as honest as policy is.

The world is full of misers—as the spendthrift looks at it.

No man is so color blind that he can be fooled on the long green.

People who try to practice all they preach learn to cut their sermons short.

A man is sure to have enemies—unless he marries a woman who has no relatives.

Some women would eat predigested sawdust if it was labeled "complexion beautifier."

Anyway, a woman can sharpen a pencil just as gracefully as a man can thread a needle.

You may have noticed that a good many men who attend church are not troubled with insomnia.

The average girl is apt to generate a desire to kiss her little brother when the right young man is present.

The Generous Pullman Company.

Detroit Journal: The Pullman company announces a reduction in the price of upper berths. That is, some upper berths. To be sure, it isn't entirely patriotism and impulsive generosity on the part of the Pullman company. The announcement is incidental to a little litigation which the interstate commerce commission is conducting against the Pullman company. Indeed, the Pullman company insists that "upper berths cost more to build, furnish and maintain than the lowers," but concedes the fact of "public discrimination against the uppers."

Such candor is disappointing. It would have been more gratifying if the Pullman company had merely confessed, sobbingly, that the protest of the rotund myriads who for these generations have been mounting blushingly upon the broad shoulders of the colored porters to climb into those inquisitorial cabinets of torture had at last melted the hearts of the Pullman. If that were the case, we could continue to cling frantically to the bars and the sliding covers of those upper berths with contrite hearts for a decade or two more. "Mister Dooley" still preserves his authority as a student of the vicissitudes of the upper berth. He says:

"Hennessy, when you feel like takin' an upper berth, don't do it. Stay home. Go out and climb up to the upper panthry-shilf, put a cinder in your eye and throw a dollar and a half out of the window, and you'll have all av the binifits of travel—with little av the discomfits."

Even with the involuntarily reduced price that holds pretty good.

THE FACE UPON THE FLOOR.

(Printed by request.)

'Twas a balmy summer evening, and a goodly crowd was there,
Which well nigh filled Joe's barroom on the corner of the square;
And as songs and witty stories came through the open door
A vagabond crept slowly in and posed upon the floor.

"Where did it come from?" someone said. "The wind has blown it in."
"What does it want?" another cried. "Some whisky, rum or gin?"
"Here, Toby, seek him, if your stomach's equal to the work—
I wouldn't touch him with a fork, he's filthy as a Turk."

This badinage the poor wretch took with stoical good grace;
In fact, he smiled as though he thought he'd struck the proper place.
"Come, boys, I know there's kindly hearts among so good a crowd—
To be in such good company would make a deacon proud.

"Give me a drink—that's what I want—I'm out of funds, you know;
When I had cash to treat the gang this hand was never slow.
What? You laugh as though you thought this pocket never held a sou;
I once was fixed as well, my boys, as any one of you.

"There, thanks; that's braced me nicely; God bless you, one and all;
Next time I pass this good saloon I'll make another call.
Give you a song? No, I can't do that, my singing days are past;
My voice is cracked; my throat's worn out, and my lungs are going fast.

"Say! give me another whisky, and I'll tell you what I'll do—
I'll tell you a funny story, and a fact, I promise, too.
That I was ever a decent man, not one of you would think;
But I was, some four or five years back. Say, give me another drink.

"Fill her up, Joe, I want to put some life into my frame—
Such little drinks, to a bum like me, are miserably tame;
Five fingers—there, that's the scheme—and corking whisky, too.
Well, here's luck, boys, and, landlord, my best regards to you.

"You've treated me pretty kindly, and I'd like to tell you how
I came to be the dirty sot you see before you now.
As I told you, once I was a man, with muscle, frame and health;
And but for a blunder, ought to have made considerable wealth.

"I was a painter—not one that daubed on bricks and wood,
But an artist, and, for my age, was rated pretty good.
I worked hard at my canvas and was bidding fair to rise,
For gradually I saw the star of fame before my eyes.

"I made a picture, perhaps you've seen, 'tis called 'The Curse of Fame.'
It brought me fifteen hundred pounds and added to my name.
And then I met a woman—now comes the funny part—
With eyes that petrified my brain, and sank into my heart.

"Why dont' you laugh? 'Tis funny that the vagabond you see
Could ever love a woman, and expect her love for me;
But 'twas so, and for a month or two her smiles were freely given,
And when her loving lips touched mine it carried me to heaven.

"Did you ever see a woman for whom your soul you'd give,
With a form like the Milo Venus, too beautiful to live;
With eyes that would beat the Koh-i-noor, and a wealth of chestnut hair?
If so, 'twas she, for there never was another half so fair.

"I was working on a portrait, one afternoon in May,
Of a fair-haired boy, a friend of mine, who lived across the way;
And Madeline admired it, and, much to my surprise,
Said that she'd like to know the man that had such dreamy eyes.

"It didn't take long to know him, and before the month had flown
My friend had stolen my darling, and I was left alone;
And ere a year of misery had passed above my head
The jewel I had treasured so had tarnished, and was dead.

"That's why I took to drink, boys. Why, I never saw you smile;
I thought you'd be amused, and laughing all the while,
Why, what's the matter friend? There's a teardrop in your eye.
Come, laugh with me; 'tis only babes and women that should cry.

"Say, boys, if you give me just another whisky I'll be glad,
And I'll draw right here a picture of the face that drove me mad.
Give me that piece of chalk with which you mark the baseball score,
You shall see the lovely Madeline upon the barroom floor."

Another drink, and, with chalk in hand, the vagabond began
To sketch a face that well might buy the soul of any man.
Then, as he placed another lock upon the shapely head,
With a fearful shriek, he leaped and fell across the picture, dead.

—T. Antoine D'Arcy.

Imported Tuberculosis; A Black Cloud in Texas.

Francis H. McLean in The Survey: Tuberculosis, both imported and domestic, hangs like a black cloud over Texas. Wherever there exists an associated charities, there also exists a feeling approaching despair, caused by facing a situation without facilities to combat it. There is very little provision for sanatorium care. The state regulations for registration and disinfection are variously carried out in the different cities. Consider that into this state which, after all, is just beginning to know itself, there is pouring a stream of unfortunates from other states, fleeing, as they think, to save their lives in this sunny clime. Some do; but they are the ones who have resources. Many others, whose resources are small, through the criminal ignorance and incompetency of local medical practitioners, waste what would go a long way at home toward care in coming her to strive and scrimp for a few weeks or a few months, and then collapse. Even then they may become victims of a ghastly comedy, may be shipped from place to place, by public officials, at public expense; shipped wherever their despairing whims suggest; hastened to death, and the public treasury in the end the sufferer.

So far only the associated charities have attempted to send home sufferers of this sort. Public officials in some instances have acted humanely in providing what care they could.

Not Enough Boy.

New York Tribune: Mayor Frank J. Rice, in a Thanksgiving speech at a newsboy's dinner in New Haven, praised mince pie.

"Mince pie," he said, "is the crowning glory of a Thanksgiving dinner. I am sure you will all agree with me when I declare that it is impossible for anyone, at any time, ever to get too much mince pie.

"Once upon a time a mother said to her little son during the Thanksgiving day repast:

" 'Tommy, this is the last piece of mince pie you can have.'

"Tommy frowned as black as a thunder cloud.

" 'There was a little boy like you,' his mother continued sternly, 'and he ate mince pie and he ate mince pie and finally he burst. Yes, he burst from too much mince pie.'

" 'No,' said Tommy, 'there's no such thing as too much mince pie.'

" 'Then,' said his mother, 'why did he burst?'

" 'There wasn't enough boy,' Tommy answered."

A MOMENT WITH THE WITS.

Roseleaf: "That man you see over there is a sky pilot."
"Pulpit or airship?"

Buffalo Express: "We live in an age of marvels."
"It is, indeed, wonderful how so many persons escape being struck by automobiles."

Washington Herald: "How would you like a game picture for your dining room? A brace of canvas-backs, say?"
"No cheap stuff for me. Paint me a picture of a dozen eggs."

Toledo Blade: "Is your daughter getting on well with her music?"
"I guess so. The neighbors are getting so they speak to me civilly again."

Smart Set: Crawford—Do you really like to please your wife?
Crabshaw—I can't say that I do, but I've found out it's the best plan.

Judge: Young Lady—Please show me your extremest style of hobble skirt.
Salesgirl—For yourself.
Young Lady—No for my chaperon.

Cleveland Leader: "So your proposal was not pleasing to Miss Stoxe?"
"Oh, I guess it pleased her all right. I never, in fact, saw anybody laugh so hard."

Houston Post: "How's your divorce suit coming on?"
"It is almost done, and it is a dream!"
"I mean in court?"
"Oh, I guess that's coming along all right."

Washington Star: "If your ideas fail to find popular indorsement now, you can appeal to posterity."
"Yes," replied Senator Sorghum, "but the contributions to campaign funds made by posterity will be of no service whatever to me."

Louisville Courier-Journal: "Why are you weeping, little boy?"
"I broke de pitcher."
"Well, there's no use crying over spilt milk."
"G'wan! Dis wuz beer."

Washington Star: "All men," said the earnest citizen, "are born equal."
"They are that," replied Mr. Rafferty, "but they don't stay equal after they're big enough to get together in the school yard."

Cleveland Leader: "Your face is a mass of scars. Did you cut yourself while shaving?"
"No, but I managed to shave myself while cutting."

Out of Work.

Am the fall guy
You see.
Some Wall street gentlemen desired to
break some other
Wall street gentlemen,
And incidentally
They broke
My boss—with one stroke—
And me
At the same time.

Consequently I'm out of a job,
In debt—and though perfectly respectable,
Just about desperate enough
To throw a bomb.
Yes, I know I should be calm
And placid and patient, like a psalm,
But you see,
You can't blame me,
Very much, because, after all,
It's us kind of people that are the fall
Guys for everything.

We pay the higher cost of living,
We're forever giving
Somebody something for nothing.
And when they feel,
Ill at ease or mean
They turn on us and clean
Break us. Yes, I'm keen,
For the present state of things.

I tell
You, it's hell,
To be out
Of a job; in doubt
Where the next meal is coming;
To go bumming
Around begging for work,
With the kids at home and the wife
Making you hate your life
Because you can't do better for them
Than you do.
I'm no shirk,
I'm no charity case—I want work,
I'm willing, honest, true
To my employer—when I have one.

Yet I get
Out of a job and in debt,
And desperate because
Somebody goes after
Another big grafter
And gets
Me.

—Berton Braley in Pacific Monthly.

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VERDICT AGAINST GREAT NORTHERN

North Dakotan Put Off Freight Train Gets Judgment for $1,000.

Towner, N. D., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—Because he was not allowed to ride on a freight train, but was obliged to leave it under pain of being thrashed, Ador Javnagor, former sheriff of McHenry county, will receive $1,000 from the Great Northern railroad. A jury in the district court having granted him a verdict for that amount.

According to the company's claims, Javnagor boarded a freight train without a permit or pass, and refused to pay for his transportation.

Larimore Fair Thursday.

Larimore, N. D., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—The annual mid-winter fair and women's institute will open tomorrow. The fair, held under the direction of the Commercial club of the city, is expected to attract a large attendance of farmers from all over the western part of Grand Forks county.

The women's institute is a new feature.

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NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST

GRAND JURY TAKES HAND

Directs Crow Wing County Board to Grant No More Licenses.

Inquisitors Also Severely Criticize the Brainerd City Jail.

Brainerd, Minn., Dec. 14.—In addition to finding several indictments, which, in the interest of justice, have not been made public the grand jury examined the county jail and found it to be in a clean and sanitary condition. The city lock up was strongly criticized. The jury said a railing should be put around the stove to prevent a drunken inmate from upsetting it. The bedding was found in a filthy condition: the facilities for lighting were inadequate. The building should have its interior painted and whitewashed.

The county commissioners were instructed not to grant any licenses to sell intoxicating liquors in Crow Wing county in that part of the county included in the Indian reservation treaties until such time as these treaties were abrogated or amended.

In the criminal case against John Miller, arraigned on an indictment found by the grand jury, the defendant entered a plea of not guilty of the assault charged.

OLD COUNTIES TO MAKE FIGHT

Expected to Resist Loss of Representation in North Dakota.

Williston, N. D., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—The warmest fight before the next session of the legislature promises to be that waged over a reapportionment of the representation in the legislature in keeping with the big gains in counties in the western part of the state shown by the federal census.

Under the present apportionment the counties of the western section, have not as great a number of members as they are entitled to compared with the condition in the eastern and older settled counties.

The new apportionment, which is provided for under the constitution, will create a hot fight, as several of such old established counties as Pembina, Walsh, Cavalier and Traill county are due for a reduction in members, while such newer counties as Morton, Williams, Ward and Stark will get increases. Ramsey, too, will seek for greater recognition in the assembly.

Under the present apportionment the six Red River valley counties, Pembina, Walsh, Grand Forks, Traill, Cass and Richland, have a total of forty members, but this number will be reduced under the new bill because of decrease in the population of three of the counties, Traill, Walsh and Pembina. The last apportionment of the state was made in 1907 following the state census.

SOUTH DAKOTA BAD MAN TAKEN

Rejected Lover of Farmer's Niece, Who Shot Her Uncle, Captured.

Yankton, S. D., Dec. 14.—George Rossteucher, the discharged farm hand who shot and mortally wounded, last night, his former employer, Daniel Courtney, living six miles from here and then barricaded himself in the home of Courtney, was shot and captured last evening by the sheriff's posse and members of the South Dakota national guard.

Rossteucher had made a truce with Sheriff Hickey and members of Company M., whereby friends were allowed to enter the house and remove his dying victim, the latter's wife, the niece Bernice Culligan and a son.

Rossteuscher, who was discharged a week ago by Courtney, returned to the Courtney farm Monday night at 11 o'clock, and asked to be let in. Courtney refused and Rossteuscher then fired at him, the bullet taking effect in his intestines. Courtney sank to the floor of the porch and Rossteuscher entered the house and sat talking to Courtney's wife and son, aged 8 and Bernice Culligan.

The little boy stepped out of the door, mounted a horse and rode to Utica, two miles away for help.

The house was soon surrounded by armed men.

After Rossteuscher had allowed friends of the family to remove them from the barricaded home, Sheriff Hickey ordered the soldiers to open fire and a fusillade of shots was poured into the house.

Rossteuscher, it is said, was enamored with Bernice Culligan.

The girl's refusal to marry him, and his discharge on account of his unwelcome attentions, were the cause for the tragedy.

DIETZ' TRIAL IS POSTPONED

Case Goes Over Until March on Motion of Defense Which Wins Victory.

Hayward, Wis., Dec. 14.—About the first ray of hope that has been the lot of John Dietz and his family since the Cameron dam defender was taken into custody came yesterday afternoon when Judge Reid, after hearing motions by counsel for the defense, granted a continuance of the trial of John Dietz his wife and Leslie for killing Deputy Sheriff Oscar Harp, until March 6.

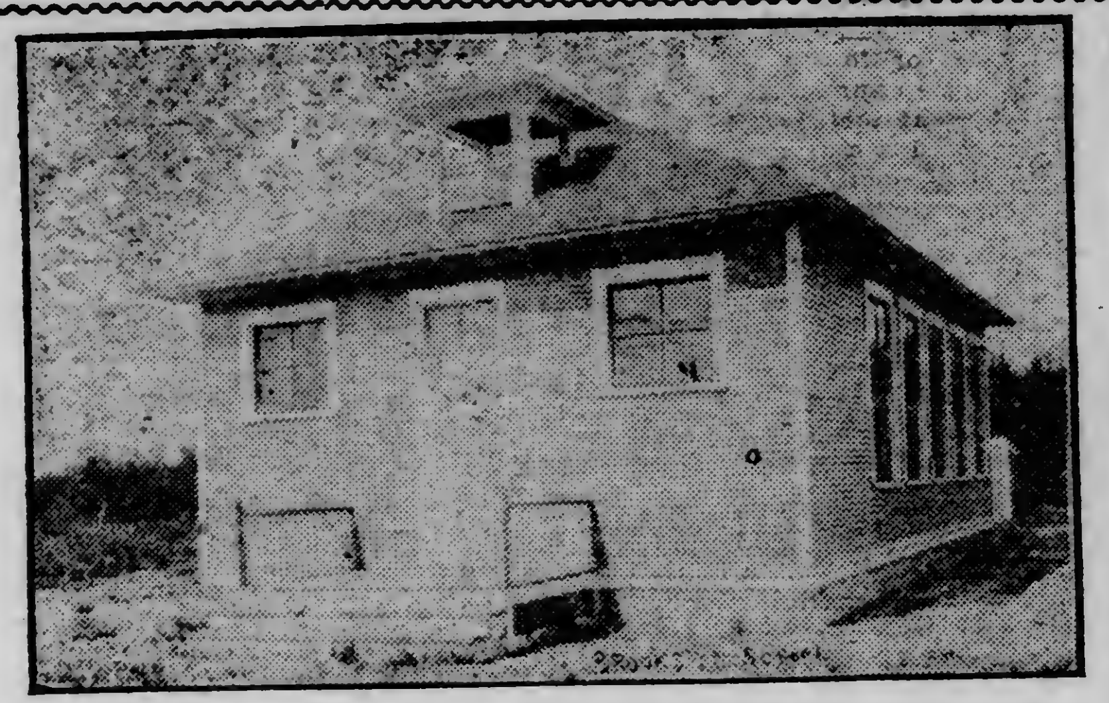
These two victories, the first that have come to the Deitzs, were the result of yesterday's proceedings.

The continuance which Judge Reid allowed without naming the duration, was made until Feb. 27 at the opening of court at 2 o'clock and later changed to one week later at the request of Attorney W. B. Rubin, chief counsel for the defense. A number of motions were made by the defense, one of them being a reiteration of the application argued before the state supreme court, that a lump sum of bail be named on all indictments and charges, which, if furnished, would set the prisoner at liberty. Judge Reid said he would not rule until he had seen the supreme court's opinion, which will be furnished him later.

Dietz, on being arraigned on the assault with intent to kill charge, pleaded not guilty, Mr. Rubin announcing that he would later file a demurrer to the complaint. The court announced that it would not consider the case and it will go over this term.

The next development will be the preliminary examination which comes up on Thursday morning of John, Hattie, Clarence, Leslie and Myra on a charge of assault with intent to kill John Regich and John Hefft, and a charge against John and Clarence of assault with intent to kill Bert Horel, last primary election day. The attorneys with the exception of District Attorney J. C. Davis, left town last night. Mr. Davis is a resident.

BROOKSTON'S NEW SCHOOL



It Was Opened at the Beginning of the Present School Year With Miss Rachel Epperson of Brookston as Teacher.

PRESIDENT EMERITUS.

Will Be Dr. Northrop's Title After April 1, Next.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—The highest honor that the board of regents of the state university can pay to President Cyrus Northrop of the university who retires April 1, to be succeded by George E. Vincent of the Chicago university, has been paid in his election as president emeritus, so that as long as he lives he will have an official and honorable connection with the institution to which he has given more than twenty-five years of devoted service. The regents adopted a motion to appoint a suitable committee to draw up resolutions indicative of the board's appreciation of Dr. Northrop's long service and of the feelings with which it bade him farewell as the active head of the university. On this committee Mr. Lind appointed C. G. Schulz, Pierce Butler and B. F. Nelson.

The new president will receive a salary of $10,000 per year.

BEDPOST HER GIBBET.

Despondent Calumet Woman Takes Life By Hanging Herself.

Calumet, Mich., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—Despondent over the death of her son a month ago from diphtheria Mrs. Brown, of this place, aged 35, took her life by hanging herself from her bedpost, using a piece of clothesline to strangle herself to death.

VAUDEVILLE ACTRESS CALLED AT MENOMINEE.

Marinette, Wis., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—Mrs. Elizabeth Pleasanton Lamanthe, wife of Leon Kent of the Wright Stock company, and known on the vaudeville stage as Elizabeth Preston, died at the Menominee River hospital after a long illness following an operation. She was 26 years of age. Her father, Alfred Pleasanton, of Philadelphia is expected here to attend the funeral.

MOUNTRAILL COUNTY IS TO BUILD COURTHOUSE.

Stanley, N. D., Dec. 14.—Assurance of the fact that Stanley will be the permanent county seat of Mountrail county has given rise to discussion as to the question of constructing a court house. It is planned at the present time to bring about the holding of an election next spring at which the question of issuing bonds would be up for consideration.

WILKIN COUNTY RECOUNT HAS DEVELOPED TIE.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Dec. 14.—A curious condition of affairs has developed in Wilkin county, where a recount has failed to settle an election contest. There were three candidates for commissioner in the Third district and A. B. Pederson, (Dem.) received 59 votes; John A. Falla, (Rep.), 81 votes, and Emil Braun, who ran as an independent, using stickers, 80, according to the official count. Mr. Braun asserted that three doubtful votes that had been cast for him in the village of Rothsay had been thrown out, and he demanded a recount. The vote was recounted and Braun gained one vote, so that he is tied with Falla. The question who is to serve is to be submitted to the district court.

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BUTCHER FINED $50.

Linton, N. D., Man Kills Calf Only Six Days Old.

Linton, N. D., Dec. 14. — It cost Fred Kelch, a local butcher, just $50 to slaughter and place on the market for sale a 6-day-old calf. Leon A. Congdon, a member of the pure food department staff, chanced to arrive in the city just two or three days following the butchering of the calf and gaining information of the same, he had Kelch arrested for violating the pure food law. The defendant entered a plea of guilty and received his fine.

Menominee Man's Father Dead.

Marinette, Wis., Dec. 14. — (Special to The Herald.)—Louis Corbell, a pioneer resident of Brown county, Wis., and father of Alfred Corbell of Menominee, dropped dead at the home of his daughter at Duck Creek, of heart disease in the 78th year of his age.

Former Menominee Man Dies.

Menominee, Mich., Dec. 14. — (Special to The Herald.)—George Horvath, formerly a prominent merchant of Menominee, died at Manistique in the 76th year of his age.

To Light Berthold, N. D.

Berthold, N. D., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—Berthold will have an electric lighting system, the ordinance granting a franchise to John I. Moore being passed by the city council in spite of the fact that no little opposition had developed to the plan. The franchise owner proposes to commence operations at once and will have the plant in readiness for operation at as early a date as possible.

Menominee's Municipal Rink.

Menominee, Mich., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.—Menominee can boast of one of the largest skating rinks in the United States, and 500 people may be seen disporting themselves on it every night. The rink is kept up by the city and is one of the most popular municipal projects ever tried.

PENINSULA BRIEFS

Marquette — The marriage of Miss Helen Marie Larson and Capt. Francis E. Gould, son of Capt. Samuel W. Gould of Cleveland, took place Tuesday afternoon at the home of the bride's brother, Ed Larson. Miss Larson is a graduate and past graduate nurse of a Chicago hospital.

Negaunee — Clark Kirkpatrick, who has been here the past month, visiting relatives, has taken a position as superintendent of the National Pole company's operations at Park Falls, Wis. Mrs. Kirkpatrick, who is visiting her parents, Capt. and Mrs. J. H. Rough, will join her husband after the holidays.

Munising — W. H. Masters of Munising, who a few weeks ago was appointed a deputy state game and fire waren, has forwarded his resignation to state Game Warden Pierce. After a thorough trial Mr. Masters has decided there are more congenial positions to be had than a game wardenship.

Ishpeming — Gust Rantals, who recently returned from a several months' stay in Canada, claims to have had a rather expensive steam bath in John Kunnari's place on Fourth street. He says that while he was in the bathroom some one went through the pockets of his clothes in the changing room and robbed him of $185.

Marquette — At the meeting of the Visiting Nurses' association held Monday, Miss Bronson reported that she had cared for seventeen patients and had made 161 visits during November. A doctor was called in one instance, employment was found for two persons, immediate relief was given in six instances, and 160 garments were distributed.

Hancock—Harold Montgomery, formerly of this city, has gone to Duluth, where he will enter the service of the Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic Railroad company as cashier.

Houghton—R. H. Shields of this city has returned home from Lansing, where he attended a special meeting of the board of state tax commissioners held last week. Very little of importance was done at the session.

Calumet—The Lake Eagles and the St. Johns met at the opera house hall Sunday afternoon, when the St. Johns had an easy walk-away, winning the contest without a struggle.

Hancock—Five persons were the quarry of an early morning raid on the saloon of Joseph Taddeucci and Michael Coragiola of West Hancock Monday, when Chief of Police John B. Tibor swooped down on the place at 4 a. m. in response to a call. Three women and the two proprietors were placed under arrest.

Calumet——The death accurred Sunday from scarlet fever of the 7-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Cody, of the Tamarack location. The funeral took place Monday morning, with interment in Lake View cemetery. Another child of the family is ill with the disease.

Hancock—The musical classes of Prof. Collom of the Hancock public schools will give a competitive recital at the assembly room of the high school building on the evening of Dec. 21, at which the several classes will be matched against each other in the rendition of a program that is now being prepared.

Marquette—Thomas B. Wyman, president of the Upper Peninsula Sportsmen's association, has called a meeting of the clubs forming the association, at Marquette on Tuesday, Dec. 20.

Negaunee—Mr. and Mrs. William H. Yates have arrived here from Milwaukee to take up their residence. Mr. Yates, who is a representative of the Allis-Chalmers company, Milwaukee, has been assigned to the territory embraced by the Upper Peninsula.

Hancock—The funeral of John Fassana of Franklin, who was killed in the Quincy mine Thursday, took place Sunday afternoon and was attended by large delegations of the Italian Benevolent society and the Citizens' league, of which organization the decedent had been a member. Services were held at the St. John's church, and interment took place in the old Catholic cemetery.

DAKOTA BRIEFS

Grand Forks, N. D.—Monday was the coldest of the season, and at an early hour in the morning the thermometer registered 21 deg. below zero. The cold was intensified by a brisk wind from the north during the morning, but toward noon the mercury slowly rose.

Lamoure, N. D.—Harry Smith of this city had an unusual method of maintaining a stock of liquor on hand for bootlegging purposes, if the case against him is proved in court. Several bottles of whisky were introduced at his preliminary hearing, authorities stating that these had been found secreted in the defendant's bedroom by being laid away under the mattress of the bed.

Grand Forks, N. D.—Acadia lodge of Masons has elected these officers: W. M., D. W. McKenzie; S. W., Joseph Bell De Remer; J. W., Charles M. Cooley; treasurer, J. Walker Smith; secretary, I. A. Berg; member of board of trustees, C. A. Hale; senior deacon, C. S. Marsden; junior deacon, A. L. McDonald; senior steward, H. W. Randall; junior steward, M. Panovitz.

Fargo, N. D.—Oscar Olson, aged 14, died Monday. The little lad has been a continual sufferer for seven years. He became afflicted when in his infancy with infantile paralysis, and during the last few years has suffered intensely, not being able to walk. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of the deceased's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Olson.

Jamestown, N. D.—Jamestown is to have a new $30,000 public library building, with $10,000 aditional for a reading room, both sums the gift of the late Alfred C. Dickey of Minneapolis. The bequest of $10,000 for the reading room is made directly to the library board, and the new reading room is to be named in honor of Alfred Dickey, the father of the deceased.

Fargo, N. D.—The news of the promotion of A. B. Clancy, assistant manager of the Fargo branch of the International Harvester company, comes as a big surprise to the many friends of the genial thrasher man. Clancy has been advanced to the position of general manager of the branch house at Eau Claire, Wis., to succeed E. H. Boltie.

Mandan, N. D.—Little Louise, the 8-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cole, met with a painful and serious accident when she fell through a chute in the sidewalk that leads into the basement of the Klondike hotel. The flesh of her chin was laid open to the bone and the lower lip torn loose from the lower jaw.

WISCONSIN BRIEFS

Ashland—The National Fraternal league has elected the following: Chief councilor, J. A. Thoreson; vice councilor, John Scharding; orator, Mrs. Catherine Gay; secretary and treasurer, W. G. Nohl; warden, Archie Thoreson; inner guard, Mrs. E. J. Lewis; outer guard, E. J. Lewis; trustee, three years, Mrs. R. W. Parsons; trustee, three years, Ephraim Gay.

Madison—Strong sentiment on the state board of agriculture favors the election of James A. McKenzie, Portage, as secretary of the board to succeed John M. True, recently elected state senator. McKenzie is now filing clerk in the office of the secretary of state. He was formerly sheriff of Columbia county.

Evansville—Martin Hixon, aged 89 years, and one of the first settlers of Rock county, died here Monday morning. He was born in Pennsylvania, and came to Wisconsin in 1846.

Green Bay—Louis Corbell, a pioneer of Duck Creek, passed away suddenly on Friday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frank Champeau. His death was due to heart trouble.

Madison—Thus far 462 young men and two young women have entered the fourteen weeks' short course in agriculture at the University of Wisconsin. Eleven states are represented and there is a marked increase in the number of students from outside the state. Indications are that the total enrollment will reach 475.

Racine—Racine is the mecca of manufacturers of gas and gasoline engines and accessories, from all parts of the United States and Canada this week. The third annual convention of the National Gas and Gasoline Engine Trades association convened on Monday at Dania hall. About 250 to 300 members of the association are present at the convention.

Milwaukee—Mrs. Anne Boyd Currie, widow of James Currie, Sr., and a descendant of Lord Boyd of Kilmarnock, Ayrshire, Scotland, died Sunday morning, aged 85 years. It is a matter of family pride that Mrs. Currie was a direct descendant of the Boyds, a noble family of Ayrshire, Scotland, prominent in the eighteenth century.

Madison—The first Wisconsin country life conference has been called by Dean H. L. Russell of the college of agriculture of the University of Wisconsin to be held at Madison, Feb. 14 and 15.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Fergus Falls—Stanton Post, G. A. R. has elected the following officers: P. Winsor, post commander; Ole Larson, Dane Prairie, S. V. C.; Amund Nelson, J. V. C.; George M. Ross, Q. M.; W. H. McBride, chaplain; James Ferr, surgeon; W. N. Chapman, O. D.; K. O. Sletto, O. G.; Ole Larson was elected representative; George M. Ross, alternate; E. E. Corliss, installing officer.

International Falls — State Auditor Iverson conducted a sale of timber at the courthouse Friday afternoon, at which he offered approximately $32,000 worth of timber which had been damaged by fire. He disposed of $24,000 worth and received half of the amount in cash, the remainder to be paid for when the timber is cut and scaled.

St. Cloud—After being out a little over three hours the jury reported to the court that they found the verdict for the plaintiff with $500 damages, in the case of Ole Peterson of Belgrade against the Soo line. This action was brought for $5,000 damages for injuries alleged to have been received by Peterson by being struck by a freight train on the Soo line at night.

Crookston—Supt. C. G. Selvig has received a telegram from Governor W. S. Vessey of South Dakota, to the effect that he would leave Pierre in time to arrive here on Monday, Dec. 19, and will address those attending the Farmers' Short Course, which opens on that date at the Crookston School of Agriculture the same evening.

Little Falls—Bert Boyce, who has been employed as a bartender at Northome, is visiting his family here. Mr. Boyce was employed in the northern town when that place was closed through the vigilence of Special Agent Johnson and his proteges, hence he was thrown out of employment.

Mankato—Sudden illness prevented Rev. W. N. Jamieson from occupying his pulpit at Centenary Methodist church Sunday night, but he had a most worthy substitute in the person of Mrs. Jamieson, who preached a beautiful sermon.

Onamia—Claim Agent Goddard of the Soo line and Attorney C. H. MacKenzie of Onamia, have been busy for the past two or three days, settling claims of ranches for damages caused by fire set by sparks from locomotives. Up to date more than $1,000 has been paid on such claims in this vicinity, and the end is not yet.

Stillwater—The orders of Mayor J. W. Foley to enforce the law against the sale of intoxicants and malt were strictly observed Sunday. The police were watching closely and found no violations.

Spooner—Throughout the residence district building activity appears to be more and more on the increase, instead of the reverse, and the vacancies caused by the recent fire are gradually and effectually diminished by the erection of better and more beautiful homes than the citizens possessed formerly.

Waseca—A serious accident occurred at Waldorf Monday, in which Michael Morrissey and Edward Michalles were injured, when two traction engines collided. The men were moving a house and it was found necessary to use two engines. The chain and drawbar holding the first engine broke and it started ahead and struck the other engine with full force.

Minneapolis—The new downtown hall of the Knights of Pythias, in the Masonic Temple, was formarly opened Monday night. The rooms will be used by Minneapolis Lodge No. 1, Hermion Lodge No. 18, and Ivanhoe Lodge No. 189. The Pythian lodges formerly met on the second floor of the temple, and the celebration last night was a homecoming for them.

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Jelly Roll Recipe

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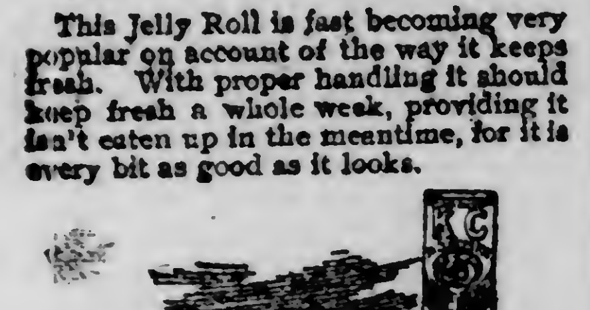

K C Jelly Roll

One cup sifted flour; scant half teaspoonful salt; 2 level teaspoonfuls K C Baking Powder; grated rind of 1 lemon; 2 eggs beaten light; 1 cup sugar; ½ cup hot milk; glass of jelly; powdered sugar.

Beat the sugar into the eggs; add the lemon rind, then the flour, sifted three times with the salt and baking powder; and, lastly, the milk. Bake in a buttered dripping pan; turn out on a damp cloth, trim off the crisp edges; spread with jelly and turn over and over into a roll while still warm. Dredge the top with powdered sugar.

Hot milk used in the jelly roll enables it to be rolled without danger of cracking. Have the milk scalding hot, also be careful to have the eggs and sugar beaten together until very light and creamy. Bake in a moderate oven.

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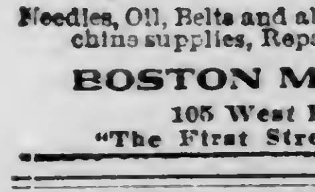

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AMUSEMENTS

TONIGHT'S ATTRACTIONS.

ORPHEUM—Vaudeville.
EMPRESS—Vaudeville.
ODEUM and LYRIC—Motion pictures.

Green Room Gossip.

Charles A. Marshall yesterday concluded arrangements with Henry W. Savage for the coming to the Lyceum in February, of "Madame X." Barney Reilly, well known here, is manager of the company.

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John W. Considine of the Sullivan & Considine circuit, is expected in Duluth today or tomorrow to inspect the Empress theater, which is on the Sullivan & Considine circuit.

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Manager Pierong of the Orpheum theater today received the billing for the Christmas week show at the Orpheum, and incidentally a most pleasant surprise. There are four headline acts on the bill, and the local manager predicted it would be the greatest vaudeville bill the local theater has ever played.

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The dates for the "Three Twins" at the Lyceum, were definitely fixed today. They are Jan. 5, 6 and 7. Victor Morley and Bessie Clifford are still the leading members of the big cast.

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Harry Alli, who is appearing at the Orpheum this week in the "Top of The World Dancers," is a son of George Ali, probably the most famous "animal actor" in the world. George Ali has appeared as almost every common kind of animal, from "Tige" in "Buster Brown" to the polar bear in "The Top of the World." He is always the first choice for an animal part in a new musical comedy. His son, Harry, has not followed in his father's footsteps, and does not play the polar bear in the vaudeville act, but appears as one of the comedians.

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Hope Booth, the clever actress who is appearing in the feature sketch at the Empress this week, is a member of a very prominent Canadian family, and has been most sucessful in her work. She has appeared in the support of some of the most prominent American stars, and was in a fair way to herself become one of the leading emotional stars, when she was taken ill in Italy, and was an invalid for eight months. On her return to America she was too late to secure a suitable engagement in "the legit" and booked out for a tour of the Sulllivan & Considine circuit, in her present sketch, "The Little Blonde Lady," which is the work of George Cohan and herself.

MISS HOPE BOOTH.

The late Senator Platt of New York was godfather to Miss Booth, and she is now engaged in writing his biography.

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Miss Maxine Elliott, who comes to the Lyceum theater next Monday night in her latest comedy success, "The Inferior Sex," has the distinction of bearing a world wide reputation as an actress of note, a beauty of renown and a business woman of eminence, which is proven by the fact that she is the only woman on the stage to own and manage a theater in New York, which she has naturally named after herself. Miss Elliott has recently completed a return engagement in "The Inferior Sex" at her own palatial playhouse and brings the company on tour with the same supporting company and the same scenic investiture which she revealed to the theater-goers of the metropolis.

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In many cities where he has appeared, John Dough, the diminutive negro comedian appearing with the Harvey-De Vora trio at the Orpheum, has been subjected to the interested inspection of the people whose duty it is to enforce the child labor law. The little comedian's age is not definitely known, but he is on the shady side of 30, and has been on the stage for many years, appearing as the Gingerbread Man in the musical comedy of that name several years ago.

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The company that will be seen in "Baby Mine" at the Lyceum, beginning Thursday for four nights and two matinees, is the one which was seen originally in that very successful farce during the entire summer just past at the Princess and Garrick theaters, Chicago. In the company are: Consuelo Bailey, George Probert, Natalie Perry, Earle Mitchell, Richard Collins, George Stanhope, J. H. Davies, Gilda Varesi, May Barton and others, who have established themselves as fun-makers of the finest quality.

William A. Brady, Ltd., in making the production of "Baby Mine," was aware that the psychological moment was due for the return of the farce to public favor, and the nightly receptions of the farce indicate clearly that William A. Brady, Ltd., struck the right moment with the right material.

The story, in brief, is concerned with the tribulations of a kind-hearted friend who wants to help a childless wife bring back her husband. To do so, a baby must be had, and the friend's wife gets an idea of securing a baby at a foundling home. The friend succeeds in stealing one there, but in order to cover his stealth, he tries to borrow a baby from the adjacent washerwoman. That plan fails. The deluded father, as a result, finds three babies in his arms. When the police are called, everything is explained, and the wife promises to tell the truth in the future.

"THE COMMISSION PLAN IS BOTH PRACTICAL AND ADVISABLE"

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report are based on the best judgment of the six members of the committee.

It is understood that Alderman Shartel will file a minority report.

The report of the committee follows:

Merits of Commission Plan.

"While recognizing that in many of the cities to which the attention of the public has been called, there were exceptional conditions existing when the commission plan of municipal government was adopted, it is our opinion that it is a decided improvement over the so-called 'old form' of mayor and aldermen or councilmen elected from various wards, as such, of the city.

"It establishes the city on a business basis and under it the city is operated as any large commercial corporation would be, thus eliminating political interests of all kinds.

It centralizes responsibility so it cannot be evaded.

"It facilitates and expedites the transaction of business, and the making of public improvements.

"It naturally follows that greater economy will result from such a purely business administration.

"It provides, or should provide, that the commissioners give all of their time to the business of the city, that they have no other employment, and that they should receive a proper remuneration for their services.

"It provides for an initiative, referendum and recall, all of which have a tendency to give the citizens a greater personal interest in the government of the city, at the same time emphasizing to each commissioner the necessity for strict attention to his governmental duties, as he will be held strictly accountable to his own acts and the proper conduct of his particular office.

"It does away with the so-called ward representative, each commissioner being elected at large, thus giving all the voters a voice in the selection of the entire governing body.

"It makes it incumbent upon each commissioner to represent and legislate for the whole city, and does away with the feeling that he is sent to the legislative body for the purpose of representing his particular ward, and no other.

"The provision for recall makes it a comparatively simple matter to dispense with the services of an inefficient or corrupt commissioner.

Initiative and Referendum.

"The provisions for the initiative and referendum are such that in case the commissioners decline to enact needed legislation the people themselves may have the matter at issue presented at a special or general election and pass or reject it as the majority wills, and in case a measure that is distasteful to a certain precentage of the voters is passed by the commissioners its operation may be suspended until the people are allowed to endorse or repudiate it.

"It provides that all grants of franchises or other privileges to public service corporations must be voted upon by the people at a special or general election, this being an effective way of removing from municipal government much of the alleged corruption charged, whether truly or otherwise, against the old form of government. This might prove cumbersome in its application to all franchises, such as the right to lay a steam pipe across an alley for the accomodation of a small number of people, and our present charter handles such a situation well, but for all franchises of any size the popular vote is best.

Objections to the Plan.

"Some objections to the commission form of municipal government have been made on the ground that should a commissioner happen to be corrupt he would have a large power for evil, but our opinion is that this possibility is well taken care of by the provisions for the initiative, referendum and recall.

"Objections have been made that in the absence of an audit of the city's books, etc., independent of any appointee of the commission, improper expenditures or extravagances of administration might be covered by direction of a commissioner. This could be, and in some cases is, amply taken care of by a provision that requires an annual audit of the books of the city by an independent auditing company.

"The chief advantages of the Des Moines plan, so called, are its simplicity, the responsibility of its officials, and the complete power of public opinion over them. Five men, and five only, are elected by vote of all of the citizens every two years. Any voter, poor or rich, may be a candidate at the primaries; only ten names, arranged alphabetically, without party designation, appear on the final ballot, the five receiving the greatest number of votes being elected as commissioners.

The Des Moines Plan.

"The five men thus elected comprise the council, which immediately upon its organization elects one member at the head of each of the following divisions of the city's business, and makes him responsible for its operations:

"The department of accounts and finances.

"The department of public safety (fire and police).

"The department of streets and public improvement.

"The department of parks and public property.

"The mayor, ex-officio, is usually the head of the department of public affairs.

"Every meeting, attended by any person other than a member of the council, must be open to every citizen. All business of importance must be done by ordinance, and every ordinance must be filed for public inspection for a specified time before it becomes operative, during which time the opportunity is given for the use of the referendum.

"If any considerable part of the public is dissatisfied with any action of the council, a petition of 25 per cent of the voters will compel it either to rescind such action or to call a special election of the citizens to pass upon it; or a petition of 10 per cent of the voters will compel the council either to reverse its action, or to put it before the voters at the next general election.

"The right of initiative compels the council to take similar action on desired new legislation, on the presentation of similar petitions.

"The right of recall compels the calling of a special election to oust any member of the council at any time on the representation of a petition of 25 per cent of the voters.

Duties of Commissioners.

"The five commissioners under this plan bear about the same relation to the municipal corporation that a board of directors does to a commercial corporation. The plan is thus intended to facilitate the transactions of the city's business by competent men, few in number, upon whom the whole responsibility rests. These men are clothed with authority to appoint all subordinate officials, who are removable at the council's pleasure, but for cause only.

"Under the commission plan each commissioner represents the whole city instead of a part, and is responsible to the entire electorate. Under the ward system the representative of a ward sometimes loses sight of his responsibility to the city at large, and is driven into combinations with representatives of other wards, whereby the interests of his ward, or of the combination, which may represent a bare majority of the council, are cared for to the detriment of the interests of the city at large.

"It is contended by some opponents of the commission form of government that the elimination of ward representation is a dangerous change, fearing that some sections of the city might be neglected; but it must be remembered that the commissioners, from whatever part of the city they may be chosen, must look to all sections for the votes necessary to election or re-election. This same consideration would operate in great part to prevent the selection of all of the commissioners from one section of the city.

Depends on Voters.

"As to the alleged danger of the election of a type of men who would seek office purely for the sake of the salary, over men more capable to whom the salary would be a secondary consideration, it seems to us that this is quite as much an argument against any form of government as against the commission plan. No government can be better than the people who make it. The more fully your committee has investigated this matter the more the conviction has grown that the commission form of government is not, and cannot be, a panacea for all municipal ills, as no other mere form of government can be. The vital thing in all popular government is the people themselves and the personnel of the governing body.

"In conclusion your committee wishes to emphasize its conviction that the gist of the whole matter lies in the selection of the commission. The commission plan merely provides the means by which the best government can be secured; only by exercising great care in the choice of commissioners can the best results be obtained.

Modifications Suggested.

"Your committee would further suggest that for Duluth the Des Moines plan be modified in the following respects:

"That the judges of the municipal court be elected at the same time and in the same manner as the commissioners, and that they be subject to recall as are the commissioners. We are of the opinion that the judicial branch of the city government should not be controlled, at least so far as the appointment of the judge is concerned, by the commissioners.

"We are of the opinion that the names of candidates should be placed on the primary ballot in such a way as to alternate their order in the various voting precincts, thereby giving no advantage to a candidate whose name happens to begin with 'A,' as against one whose name begins with 'Z.'

"We are of the opinion that the commissioner receiving the highest number of votes should qualify as mayor rather than that one certain candidate stand for election as mayor.

"We are of the opinion that all ordinances should be published in the daily papers immediately after their passage by the commission and should not be operative until at least ten days after publication.

"We are of the opinion that after the commission plan of municipal government has been in operation for six years it should be indorsed or rejected by a vote of the people at a special election held for that purpose.

"We are of the opinion that meetings of the council should be held at the city hall daily and that all meetings should be open to the public.

"We are of the opinion that the initiative, referendum and recall should not be possible upon a petition of less than 25 per cent of the number of votes cast for the commissioner receiving the highest number of votes at the last general election.

"We are of the opinion that the commission form of government is practical and advisable for the city of Duluth, and we recommend the so-called Des Moines plan with the modifications as herein suggested, many of which are contained in the present Duluth city charter. Respectfully submitted.

"JOSEPH SHARTEL,
"Chairman.

"A. C. VOLK,
"Secretary."

WHAT DULUTHIANS LACK IN NUMBER THEY MAKE UP IN ENTHUSIASM

Bentley P. Neff, sales manager for F. A. Patrick & Co., was on a train between here and Montana the other day. He was talking to a man from Los Angeles and another man whom he did not know.

"Our town," said the Los Angeles man, "has grown to beat the band. We have more than 300,000 population, while Duluth only gained 48 per cent in ten years."

"That's true," responded the third man before Mr. Neff could spring into the breach. "In Los Angeles you have the finest bunch of old barnacles that I ever ran into. They've made their pile and they are simply existing in your town because it's the warmest place on the map in the winter. I've just come from Brainerd where the Northern Minnesota boosters met. Say, friend, you may have some people out in Los Angeles that are live ones, but, believe me, those Duluth men are regular devils."

Mr. Neff didn't say anything. He guessed it wasn't necessary. When appealed to, however, he corroborated the stranger's statements.

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Informal Trust Deed.

The informal trust deed presented by Mr. Carnegie to the trustees today reads as follows:

"Gentlemen: I have transferred to you as trustees of the Carnegie Peace Fund, ten million of 5 per cent first mortgage bonds, value eleven and a half millions of dollars, the revenue of which is to be administered by you to hasten the abolition of international war, the foulest blot upon our civilization.

"Although we no longer eat our fellowmen nor torture prisoners nor sack cities, killing their inhabitants, we still kill each other in war like barbarians. Only wild beasts are excusable for doing that in this twentieth century of the Christian era, for the crime of war is inherent, since it decides not in favor of the right but always of the strong. The nation is criminal which refuses arbitration and drives its adversary to a tribunal which knows nothing of righteous judgment.

"Question of Honor."

"I believe the shortest and easiest path to peace lies in adopting President Taft's platform, who said in his address before the Peace and Arbitration society, New York, March 22, 1910: 'I have noticed exceptions in our arbitration treaties as to reference of questions of national honor to courts of arbitration. Personally I do not see any more reason why matters of national honor should not be referred to a court of arbitration than matters of property or of national proprietorship. I know that is going farther than most men are willing to go, but I do not see why questions of honor may not be submitted to a tribunal composed of men of honor who understand questions of national honor, to abide by their decision, as well as any other questions of difference arising between nations.'

"I venture to quote from my address as president of the Peace congress in New York, 1907:

"'Honor is the most dishonored word in our language. No man ever touched another man's honor; no nation ever dishonored another nation; all honor's wounds are self-inflicted.'

Quotes Taft's Speech.

"At the opening of the International Bureau of American Republics at Washington, April 26, 1910, President Taft said:

"'We twenty-one republics cannot afford to have any two or any three of us quarrel. We must stop this and Mr. Carnegie and I will not be satisfied until nineteen of us can intervene by proper measures to suppress a quarrel between any other two.'

"I hope the trustees will begin by pressing forward upon this line, testing it thoroughly and doubting not.

"The judge who presides over a cause in which he is interested dies in infamy if discovered. The citizen who constitutes himself a judge in his own cause as against his fellow citizen, and presumes to attack him, is a lawbreaker and as such disgraced. So should a nation be held as disgraced which insists upon sitting in judgment in its own cause in case of an international dispute.

Resolution in Congress.

"I call your attention to the following resolution introduced by the committee of foreign relations in the first session, fiftieth congress, June 14, 1888:

"'Resolved by the senate (the house of representatives concurring, that the president be, and is hereby requested to invite from time to time, as fit occasions may arise, negotiations with any government with which the United States has or may have diplomatic relations, to the end that any differences or disputes arising between the two governments which cannot be adjusted by such means. (Resolution not reached on calendar during session, but reintroduced and passed senate Feb. 14, 1890. Passed house, April 3, 1890.)'

"This resolution was presented to the British parliament, which adopted a resolution approving the action of the congress of the United States and expressing the hope that her majesty's government would lend their ready co-operation to the government of the United States for the accomplishment of the object in view. (Resolution of the house of commons July 16, 1893, for rel 1893, 346,352.)

Spirit of Hague Conference.

"Here we find an expression of the spirit which resulted in the first international Hague conference of 1899; the second Hague conference of 1907; eighty treaties of obligatory arbitration between the great nations of the world, our own country being a party to twenty-three of them

"It was my privilege to introduce to President Cleveland in 1897 a committee of members of parliament of Britain, headed by Sir William Randal Cromer, in response to the action of congress, proposing a treaty agreeing to settle all disputes that might arise between America and Great Britain by arbitration Such a treaty was concluded between Lord Pauncefote and Secretary Olney in 1897. It failed of passage by the necessary two thirds majority of the senate by only three votes.

"There is reason to believe the British government has been desirous of having that treaty ratified by our government, or ready to agree to another of similar character, so that President Taft's policy seems within easy reach of success.

"If the English-speaking race adopts such a treaty we shall not have to wait long for other nations to join, and it will be noticed that the resolution of congress in 1890 embraces 'any government with which the United States has or may have diplomatic relations,' thus all nations seem still open to the invitation he is requested to give, there being no limitations as to time.

"If the independence and rights of nations to their respective international policies were first formally recognized in such treaties, no dispute, concerning these elements of sovereignty could arise.

Power of Trustees.

"The trustees have power to sell, invest or re-invest all funds, either in the United States or in other countries, subject, as respects investments in the United States, to no more restriction than is imposed upon savings banks or insurance companies in the state of New York.

"In order to give effect, it will be suitable that the trustees herein named shall form a corporation with lawful powers appropriate to the accomplishment of the purposes herein expressed and authorize the conveyance of the fund to such a corporation.

"No personal liability will attach to trustees for their action or non-action as trustees. They have power to fill vacancies or to add to their number and to employ all officials and to fix their compensation.

Reimbursed For Expenses.

"Trustees shall be reimbursed all expenses incurred in connection with their duties as trustees, including traveling expenses, attending meetings, including expenses of wife or daughter t oeach annual meeting. The president shall be granted such honoraria as the trustees think proper and as he can be prevailed upon to accept.

"Lines of future action cannot be wisely laid down. Many may have to be tried, and having full confidence in my trustees, I leave to them the widest discretion as to the measures and policy they shall from time to time adopt, only promising that the end they shall keep unceasingly in view, until it is attained, is the speedy abolition of international war between so-called civilized nations.

Next Most Degrading Evil.

"When civilized nations enter into such treaties as named or war is discarded as disgraceful to civilized men, as personal war (duelling) and man selling and buying (slavery) have been discarded within the wide boundaries of our English speaking race, the trustees will please then consider what is the next most degrading remaining evil or evils whose banishment, or what new elevating element or elements if introduced or fostered, or both combined would most advance the progress, elevation and happiness of man.

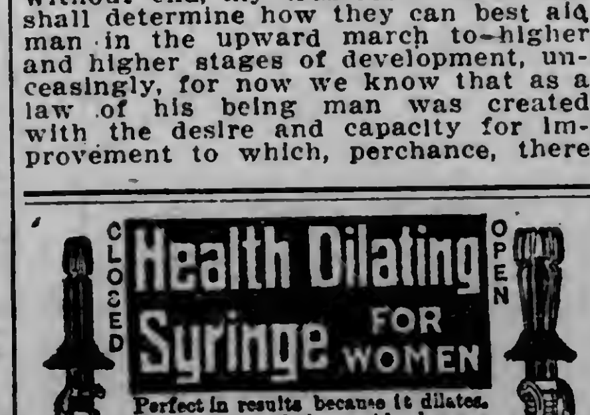
"And so on from century to century, without end, my trustees of each age shall determine how they can best aid man in the upward march to higher and higher stages of development, unceasingly, for now we know that as a law of his being man was created with the desire and capacity for improvement to which, perchance, there may be no limit short of perfection even here in this life upon earth.

"Let my trustees, therefore, ask themselves from time to time, from age to age, how they can best help man in his glorious ascent onward and upward, and to this end devote this fund.

"Thanking you for your cordial acceptance of the trust and your hearty approval of its object, I am, very gratefully yours,

"ANDREW CARNEGIE."

The names of Louise Whitfield Carnegie and Margaret Carnegie, wife and daughter respectively of the donor, are appended to the deed of trust as witnesses.



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HATTIE LE BLANC IS FOUND NOT "GUILTY"

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were explained by Judge Bond, who instructed the jury that one verdict would be sufficient. If the jury acquitted the defendant the case was ended. If it should find her guilty the jury must specify whether guilty of murder in the first degree, murder in the second degree, or manslaughter.

Much of the judge's charge was considered favorable to the defendant. Especially so were his words bearing on the question whearer the girl had the courage and the ability to use for the first time a revolver that required the grasp of a good sized hand and the knowledge how to release a safety attachment. He said the government had not shown that Hattie Le Blanc had ever used such a weapon, while on the other hand Mrs. Glover, the widow, did know how to use one.

He urged the jury to give the girl the benefit of any reasonable doubt.

Judge Bond ended his charge at 9:32 a. m. and Clerk Dillingham, turning towards the diminuitive prisoner, said: "Hattie Le Blanc, you now have the opportunity to say anything that you desire."

Wants to Go Home.

Pale and frightened, the girl rose and faced the jury. Her voice was faint and she spoke with a pronounced French accent as she said:

"I did not do it. I want to go home with my father."

The jury was unable to hear her because she spoke so faintly and her chief counsel, Mr. Johnson, repeated her statement for their benefit. Mr. Johnson then requested the court to explain the rulings on reasonable doubt and the rights of the defendant in refraining from testifying, which was done by the judge, and the case was then given to the jury.

DIAZ FORCES FOUGHT TO STANDSTILL BY REBELS

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their identity became known they were taken out and shot. They are included in the number of the dead.

Gen. Navarro places his own dead at one captain, one lieutenant and twelve soldiers. Twenty-seven of his men, including two officers, were severely wounded.

Gen. Brandon Wounded.

Among the latter was Gen. Brandon, special correspondent of the Mexican Herald and a resident of Panama. A bullet struck his horse in the eye, passed through his neck and lodged in the rider's abdomen. Another bullet struck him in the wrist. Brandon is the champion middleweight wrestler of Mexico.

Five insurrectos who ran out of ammunition and surrendered were bayonetted. One of them who had fainted from a bullet which grazed his temple, took the boyonet thrust in the rib and was left for dead, but during the night he recovered and escaped. He grinned as he told his story. When the correspondent related the tale to Gen. Navarro today the latter laughed heartily, as if enjoying a joke on himself.

Battle Not Decisive.

The battle was indecisive in its results. It began at 11 a. m. and lasted until 4 p. m. and occurred at the village of Cerro Prieto, 100 miles west of Chihuahua, at the base of the low hills, nine miles east of here. Two hundred revolutionists had occupied the hills during the previous night. When Gen. Navarro with 450 of his advance guard passed east of the hills the insurrectos opened fire, but did little damage owing to the distance.

Later, when the field pieces came up, Navarro shelled them from their positions. The revolutionists retreated slowly, firing from the shelter of adobe houses. At 4 o'clock, their ammunition having run low, they took up a position at the base of a range of low mountains five miles southwest of Cerro Prieto.

No Fighting Monday.

There was no fighting Monday despite the proximity of the two forces, which in itself indicates a drawn battle. The camp fires can be seen from here at night. During the fighting Sunday the original 200 insurrectos were reinforced by 230 of their comrades. Two hundred more arrived last night and it was stated that by morning there would be 400 more from west of here.

In an interview Gen. Navarro stated that he expected serious fighting from now on. He admitted that the insurgents were brave, but declared their lack of military organization would defeat them in the end.

It was confirmed in his camp that government troops were converging in this section from Parral and Sonora.

Navarro, contrary to common report, has no rapid fire guns—only field pieces. The Parral contingent, however, is bringing rapid firers.

Task Before Revolutionists.

If the revolutionists are to win they must destroy Navarro in order to contend with the new forces.

The most serious loss suffered by the revolutionists occurred in an adobe house in which they had taken cover, a shell wrecking the place, killing and wounding several, but not before they had accounted for a number of the enemy.

The Asociated Press correspondent counted fifteen dead near the ruins of the house, apparently about equally divided between the two armies. About one-half of them had been stripped of their clothing. It is a practice among the soldiers to strip the uniforms from their dead comrades, partly for the clothing and partly to conceal the identity from those who may seek to discover their losses.

Given Military Burial.

Another unburied soldier, also stripped, was seen by the roadside on the road from this place to the scene of the battle. Six more were in the federal camp awaiting burial. These were placed in rough boxes and buried with military honors in a corral. Two companies lined up and the bugle blew "Glory to the Dead; Long Live President Diaz."

Other dead were accounted for as still lying where they fell on the hills.

"3 Winners'" $10 Overcoat Sale

Comes just in time. You will have plenty of Christmas money left if you buy your coat now for only $10 at the "3 Winers" Clothing company, 115 East Superior street.

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We have on display the most complete showing of children's furniture ever brought to this city. The exhibition includes a large assortment of Doll's Beds in wood and brass; Doll's Go-Carts and English Cabs; Handcraft Tables, Chairs and Rockers; Bent-wood Chairs, Rockers and Settees; Desks and Chairs to match in a number of styles and finishes. Exceptional quality and reasonable prices are features of this line.

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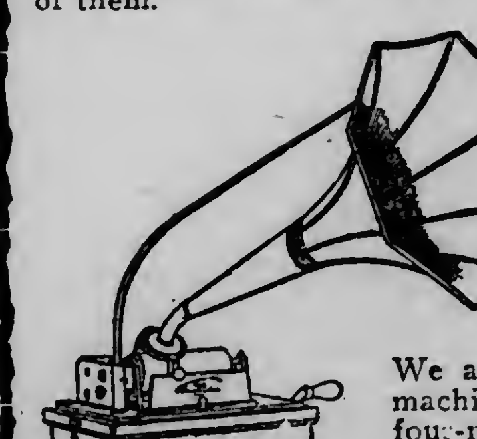

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"My digestion is fine, my complexion clear and I am able to do my work and low spirits are unknown to me.

"I am thankful for finding a cure so good and so pleasant to take as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I am surprised at the change they have made in me."

All druggists sell and recommend Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, because they contain only the simple natural digestives, and taken after meals prevent acidity and cause prompt digestion and assimilation of food.

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NEW HARBOR AT MONTAUK

Will Prove Capital Base for Uncle Sam's Atlantic Fleet.

Day Saved to Ocean Liners By Unloading at Long Island.

New York, Dec. 14.—The improvement of the harbor at Montauk Point L. I., assumed full form last week, and the national government will be asked to aid in this most important work for the commercial interests of the country.

It is said fully one day can be lopped off the present time from land to land in the trips to and from Europe, and the depth of water at all times in the habor that can be constructed at the point being no less than sixty feet will enable the largest steamships to enter in perfect safety at any hour, day or night.

It is hoped that the government will establish a great naval dockyard there, and from that point be able to care for the defense of the coast from the capes of the Delaware to the New Brunswick line.

Norfolk, above and beyond all others the finest port for defense and offense of the entire Atlantic seaboard, can give abundant protection for the coast between the Delaware capes and our great naval establishment at Guantanamo, Cuba.

Montauk harbor, fortified and made a naval station of the first magnitude, would act as an outer and most formidable guardian of the safety of all of our northern sea coast cities.

Fleet Easily Assembled.

Twenty-four hours' time would enable our fleets, composed of all classes from submarine to Dreadnoughts, to strike any enemy approaching our shores within the radius from Charleston north to Portland.

Even a naval battle, in which honors were even between our own and an enemy's fleet approaching the coast, would leave the latter in such shattered condition that our port fortifications could not be successfully assailed by it after the fight.

The Japanese fleet off Port Arthur, but a few hundred miles from home, found immense difficulty to keep its leaguer so far from a naval base.

Montauk harbor as a repair base for fleets after an engagement would give us great advantage over any hostile naval force that might threaten us on the Atlantic coast.

The recent snowstorm and cold weather throughout the entire country east of the Rocky mountains has caused a sudden and heavy demand for all classes of woolen goods, furs, heavy shoes, rubbers and winter clothing of every description.

This has been appreciated by the merchants of the interior and the heaviest ordering of the season has been transacted, to the keen enjoyment of agents and manufacturers in the East.

Our retailers here have also profited by the change to cold weather, and the shops and department stores have been crowded all week with customers. The merchants in all the large cities of the country are united in their efforts to have the holiday purchases made as early in the month as it is possible for the convenience of their patrons.

Chance for Early Buyers.

One of the best known of the leading department stores of this city, in order to induce early purchasing, advertised to their charge customers that all purchases made prior to Dec. 10 would be charged as in January account, and rendered in the bills of Feb. 1.

No doubt the newspapers will contain similar offers from other concerns for the period to Dec. 20, as by this means it is hoped to equalize through the first twenty business days of December the trade that heretofore has rendered the week immediately preceding Christmas a terror to shoppers on account of the crowded streets and shops.

Inquiry among the leading dry goods men of this and other cities of the country as to the volume and value of sales of merchandise for this present autumn and winter, elicits that October and November sales were each greater than the sales of the same months of last year, and now, with one-third of the present month passed, the prospects are that December, 1910, will far surpass December, 1909, in its volume and value of distribution of merchandise to retail purchasers; that is, to the ultimate consumers.

There is no bubbling over with enthusiasm among our merchants on account of this increase in the volume of trade.

Our business men have for so many years witnesses a fine increase in business with each succeeding year that now many of them are actually disappointed if the increase is not extraordinary in its extent.

Small Increase Disappointing.

An increase of 5 or 10 per cent during the year is thought to be but small by many of the largest houses; they are not quite satisfied unless it rises 25, 50 or even 100 per cent higher than in prior years.

This is a country of continual growth in population, and it is an era of steady inflation of the volume of the currency, therefore the merchant and the manufacturer have two most powerful factors preparing the way for greater commercial achievements.

That this year will in its aggregate of both the foreign and domestic commerce be a record-breaker for the United States is already assured, and it can, with reasonable certainty, be stated that in each of these classes of trade the records of all other years have been surpassed.

Our securities markets have been however, depressed, and it is remarkable how many merchants, even while their sales accounts show larger amounts of business, are disturbed mentally and sentimentally by hearing or reading of falling prices in Wall street.

Quotations of declines in Wall street ticker lists for a fortnight will cause merchants on Broadway, Fourteenth, Twenty-third streets and Sixth avenue to doubt the value of their stocks of merchandise and to feel blue while their stores are crowded with purchasers. This is one of the strange phases of twentieth century business in this great metropolis.

To Make a Dry Shampoo.

Dry shampoos are all the rage now amongst society ladies and the more prominent stage beauties. Here is a formula much used in the East. It cleans, invigorates and stimulates the hair and scalp, while removing surplus oil, dust, dandruff, etc. Obtain of any well-stocked druggist six ounces of pulverized orris root, also obtain two ounces of vilane powder. Mix thoroughly and keep in a tight box or jar. Sprinkle a heaping tablespoonful over and through the hair, distributing with the fingers. Do this at night. Next morning comb and brush thoroughly until all trace of powder is removed. The results are a wonderful glossy, clean, soft and fluffy head of hair.

Men use it daily. Women one to three times a week.

Thoughtful Mothers

Never permit a child to be constipated for even 24 hours. It is dangerous because the little bodies absorb poisonous fluids and gases which bring on fever and contagious diseases. Give the child a sweet little CascaRoyal Pill, before there is any fever. Wise mothers

Give Their Children

a pleasant physic before the fever comes on, and as soon as the eye becomes glassy and the movement listless. After the fever shows it is best to give the child an injection (enema) so as to break up the fever and move the bowels in a few moments. At all other times give them sweet little

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cleanses, preserves and beautifies the teeth, prevents tooth decay and imparts purity and fragrance to the breath.

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DEAF MUTES SEE ON ACTORS' LIPS

In Moving Picture Shows at Cleveland Obscene Language.

Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 14.—Investigation of half a dozen moving picture shows of Cleveland by Mrs. Elmer Bates, a noted deaf mute instructor and lecturer, resulted in disclosures of the use of profanity by the characters in the films. This condition has been brought to the attention of the Humane society and is to be the basis of a crusade for the censoring of the productions of the film manufacturers.

A. B. Williams, secretary of the Humane society, said his organization would take up the matter at once. Moving picture shows have been declared the ideal form of dramatic amusement for the deaf mutes. They can see the action of the plays, and from the lips of the characters, as thrown on the screen, can read the words of the play better than others. But while moving picture show owners have taken advantage of the appeal to the deaf mutes in their variety of entertainment they have overlooked the carelessness of the members of the stock companies which put on the shows for moving-picture photographers.

Curses, vile names and vile comments are indulged in by the performers while being photographed, often without the least semblance of relation to the play being performed. The profanity and obscene language seem to be addressed by members of the companies to one another on the spur of the moment.

In some instances the profanity is a natural part of the dialogue in the play. Then it is indulged in with disregard for the fact that deaf mutes can read the lips of the performers as enlarged and thrown on the screens by the moving picture machines. Shocking language was used in all the shows visited.

Presto Collar Overcoats $10.

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CUPID WAS WINNER

Despite the Bride's Mother's Sword and Brother's Shotgun.

Springfield, Ohio, Dec. 14.—Cupid won in a contest which has been waging since Thanksgiving day. James Miller took out a license to marry Della Hawk. The girl's mother drove him from the house at the point of a sword and then locked her daughter in a room.

The girl has been held captive until last evening, when she was allowed to take a walk with some girl friends. James Miller was at the home of a neighbor. A street car stopped, Miss Hawk boarded it and then Miller jumped in as the car started. The young couple went to the home of Rev. Lawrence, where the ceremony was performed.

Several of the girl friends who had been made acquainted with the plans hastened back to the Hawk home. A brother of the bride-elect, armed with a shotgun, started forth, but arrived too late to stop the marriage. Miller boarded at the Hawk home until Thanksgiving day.

GEN. ZELAYA HOMESICK.

Is Anxious to Return to His Native Country.

New York, Dec. 14.—Gen. Jose Zelaya deposed president of Nicaragua, now an exile in Belgium, is decidedly homesick and longs to return to his native country to live in peace, according to a letter received by his son, Alfonso, who lives here.

Zelaya has written that he intends to sail for New York within a few weeks, that he will call upon President Taft and later send an appeal to President Estrada of Nicaragua, asking permission to return to his people. Zelaya promises his son that he will leave politics alone.

"I have never had a moment's peace since I left my soil," he writes, "and I long for it day by day, for my heart is filled with sadness over the realization that I am an exile.

URSULINE SISTER

Is Only Licensed Woman Engineer in Ohio—Several Men Failed.

Findlay, Ohio, Dec. 14.—Sister Mary Louise, of the Ursuline convent, at Tiffin, is the only licensed woman engineer in the state, she having just successfully passed a creditable examination. She had been in charge of the engine room at the convent for the past twenty years.

Recently orders were issued from the state department for the employment of a licensed engineer, according to the law of Ohio. Rather than relinquish the position which she had filled so many years she decided to take the examination.

F. P. Bronnstead, of Lima, was the examiner, and it is stated that several men failed to pass.

Koochiching County Has Jail.

Bemidji, Minn., Dec. 13.—The prisoners of Koochiching county have been removed from the Beltrami county jail, the official place of incarceration for Koochiching county, and taken to International Falls to be committed to the new county jail at that point.

METEORIC STONE

Found Imbedded in the Earth Near Sandusky, Ohio.

Sandusky, Ohio, Dec. 14.—A flint-like formation, four feet in diameter and weighing nearly five tons, was found imbedded in yellow clay about fifteen feet below the surface by workmen engaged in digging a boiler-room excavation at the new plant of the Hinde & Dauch Paper company yesterday. It is round and smooth. Students of science say the mammoth bullet is unquestionably the deposit of a meteor, and this recalls the fact that a meteoric light disappeared in the vicinity of the discovery some years ago simultaneously with the report of what sounded, according to old residents, like the explosion of a cannon.

Charged with Robbing Companion.

Bowbells, N. D., Dec. 13.—(Special to The Herald.)—Charged with robbing their companion, J. Misner, two laborers are under arrest. John Carom waived a preliminary examination and was bound over to the district court, while Hans Kohrn will make a fight for an acquittal in the preliminary hearing.

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SEPTUGENARIAN SKATES

Gay Old Resident of Little Falls Takes Whirl on Ice.

Little Falls, Minn., Dec. 14.—Martin Christenson numbered among those who dotted the ice near the ice house Sunday afternoon. Despite the fact that he has reached the age of 71 years and was the oldest protege of the winter sport by several years to venture onto the river's frozen surface, Mr. Christenson was not the most ill at ease by a considerable degree.

It had been thirty years since Mr. Christenson last donned a pair of skates but he found keen enjoyment in indulging in the former amusement which was so popular with him while still a resident of his native land, Norway. When a young man Mr. Christenson lived in the Scandinavian land near a river. His home was about fifteen miles removed from the nearest town and often he put on his skates to glide to the city to make his purchases and returned home in the same manner.

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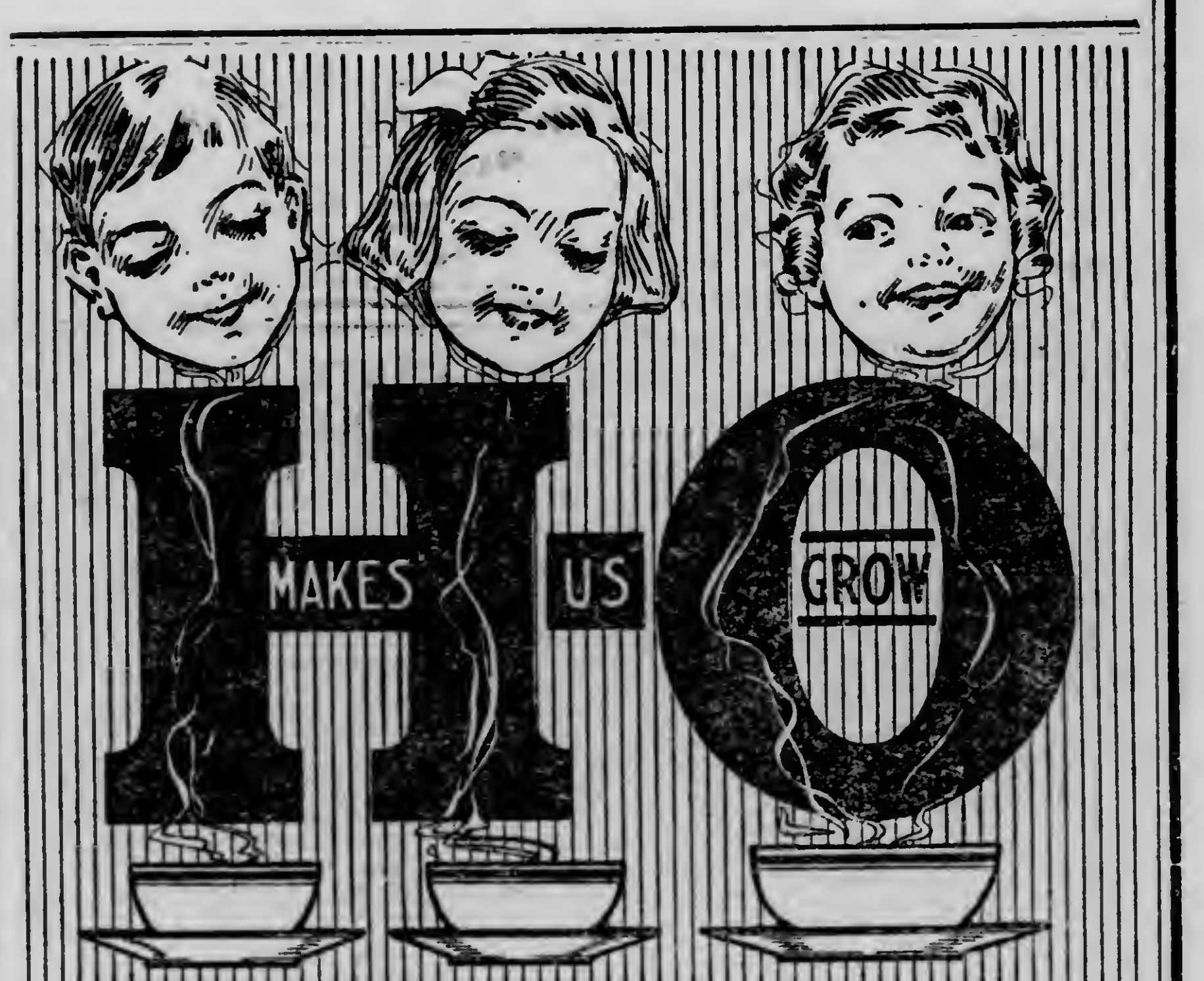

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Men's Dress Gloves	$1.50
Linen Handkerchiefs	25c to $1.00
Silk Handkerchiefs	50c to $1.00
Beautiful Mufflers	50c to $10.00
Fancy Waistcoats	$2.00 to $6.00
Suspenders	50c to $2.00
Collar Bags	$1.00 to $3.00
Collar Bag, Handkerchief and Tie Set	$3.00 to $5.00
Necktie Rings	$1.00
Cuff Links and Button Set	$1.00 to $3.00
Silk Umbrellas	$5.00 to $10.00
Pajamas	$1.50 to $3.00
Garters	25c to 50c
Sealskin Caps	$18.00

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If It's a Suit or An Overcoat

We are offering unusual Pre-Christmas values in our December Clearance Sale of Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits and Overcoats.

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LATEST SPORTING NEWS OF THE DAY

GARRY HERRMANN HAS NEW SUGGESTION ON SCHEDULE

Would Have Long Inter-League Series After Regular Season.

American League Magnates Not Likely to Take Kindly to Plan.

New York, Dec. 14.—With the National league in session and ready, it was thought, to get down to the business of electing a president, and the annual meeting of the American league on the day's program, today gave promise of being one of the busiest of baseball week in New York city.

There seemed to be little or no doubt that Thomas J. Lynch would be re-elected to the presidency of the older organization. On the authority of President Hermann of Cincinnati it was stated that at least five clubs—New York, Pittsburg, Cincinnati, Boston and St. Louis—would vote for Mr. Lynch's retention. It may be decided to give him a three-year term.

Ban B. Johnson last year was elected president of the American league for twenty years so that the young organization has no presidential election on its hands. Routine business, such as the awarding of the championship pennant to the Philadelphia Athletics and action on the schedule question was predicted not to occupy more than two hours.

New Schedule Proposed.

The one thing which gave any promise of prolonging the meetings of the big leagues was possible discussion of a new schedule plan which Garry Herrmann has advocated. The Cincinnati president is quoted as favoring a schedule of 112 games for each league, which would carry the season up to the middle of August, and then to start a series of inter-league games.

Under this plan each club would play four games at home and four games abroad with each team of the other league, or sixty-four games in all in which teams of the National league would be pitted against American league teams. Each club would thus play 176 games during the season, which would start about April 10 and close about Oct. 15.

The old world's championship would be eliminated, it being calculated that the team winning the greatest number of games in the whole season would be deserving of a real world's championship title.

From statements attributed to President Johnson, there seems little probability that the American league would take kindly to this plan for this season at least. It was indicated that the American league season would be likely to begin about April 12 and consist of the usual 154 games. What the other National league magnates thought about the new inter-league schedule proposition had not been developed up to the time the club representatives got together for the day's business.

The National league occupied itself only with routine business yesterday.

Eastern League Meeting.

The Eastern league increased the salary of the president from $5,000 to $7,500 and authorized its new president, Edward G. Barrow of Montreal, to open and maintain league headquarters in this city.

A committee was appointed to "investigate re-classification for the Eastern league." It will report to the meeting in Baltimore, Feb. 6, when the schedule will be announced. It was decided to maintain the double umpire system, started last season, and to play 154 games. It is understood that the Eastern league will insist on a reclassification so that the National and American leagues cannot draft so many of its players.

Rebuke to Lynch.

The board of directors of the National league administered what was considered a rebuke to President Lynch of the league, in the McMillan case. President Charles Ebbetts of Brooklyn, last season released Player McMillan to Rochester of the Eastern league, and a number of major league clubs complained that Ebbetts had violated one of the cardinal rules of organized baseball in failing to obtain waivers. President Lynch fined Ebbetts $500. The board today "remitted the fine without comment." Lynch refused to discuss the action.

The National league awarded the pennant of last season to Chicago and decided to continue the pension payments to Mrs. Johnson, a sister of Harry Pulliam, the league president who ended his life a year and a half ago.

The matter of Pitcher Camnitz who claimed a bonus of $1,200 from Pittsburg on what he said was a contract that he was to receive that amount if he did not touch liquor during the season, was laid over until the February meeting so that Camnitz can appear personally.

Few Trades Made.

There has been a notable absence of important trades and deals in players at this gathering. Pittsburg yesterday asked for waivers on First Baseman Jack Flynn and announced that if no offers were received he would be released unconditionally. Jersey City traded Pitcher Sitton to Montreal for Pitcher "Bumpus" Jones. Detroit sold Henry Pernoll, its only left-handed pitcher to Oakland of the Pacific Coast league.

It was pretty well established last night that Fred Tenney, former manager of the Boston Nationals, but more recently first baseman of the New York Nationals, will be appointed manager for the new Boston team, negotiations for the sale of which are under way.

It was said that Fred Lake, present manager of the Bostons, whose contract has a year to run, will manage the St. Louis Americans, through a deal made with Robert L. Hedges, owner of the St. Louis club. Lake declined to discuss the matter yesterday, but it is understood announcement of the change will be made at the American league meeting.

Roger Bresnahan, leader of the St. Louis Nationals, said last night that Pitcher Bob Harmon will not go to Toronto as announced yesterday. Fred Clarke refused to waive claim on Harmon and Lester Backman was substituted in his stead. Bresnahan also announced that "Fiddler" Corridon had been passed to Toronto.

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WAGNER WILL STICK.

Pittsburg, Dec. 14.—Hans Wagner, who was for seven different seasons the premier batsman of the National league, whose tenth year with the Pittsburg nine the past summer has been followed with rumors of probable sale or release, will either play with the Pirates again next year or else retire for good on the laurels he has won. Manager Fred Clarke silenced all rumors by this statement before leaving for New York with other Pittsburg club officials to attend the annual meeting of the National league: He said:

"I will neither sell, trade nor release Wagner; if he ever plays ball again, it will be with Pittsburg. Of course, he may not want to play, but if he does, he will be throwing dust around the inner field this summer."

It is, however, known that there will be a shakeup in the Pirate squad, and Clarke admitted it, but would not intimate in what quarter it would be made.

DAN McGANN KILLS HIMSELF

Former Captain of Giants Commits Suicide in Louisville Hotel.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 14.—Dan McGann, former captain and first baseman of the New York Nationals, committed suicide here yesterday.

McGann was found in his room at Bosler's hotel at 4 o'clock in the afternoon with a bullet hole over his heart and a revolver in his hand. He had been dead for some hours.

No one had seen McGann since midnight the night before, when he was about the hotel apparently in the best of health and humor.

McGann last season was with the Milwaukee team of the American association and it was understood efforts were being made to secure him for the Louisville team of the same league for next season. He had been spending the winter in this city.

So far no cause for his suicide has developed.

Although known throughout the baseball world as "Dan," McGann's name was Dennis. McGann was a bachelor about 38 years of age and was born and reared at Shelbyville, Ky., near here.

ZBYSZKO WINS FROM ROLLER IN NEW YORK.

New York, Dec. 14.—Zbyszko, the Pole, won two straight falls from Dr. B. F. Roller of Seattle last night, thus winning the bout. The first fall was secured by a bar-lock in 1 hour, 13 minutes, 25 seconds, and the second by an arm roll in 11 minutes and 40 seconds.

HEAVY TOLL EXACTED.

Many Hunters Killed During Deer Season in Pennsylvania.

Pittsburg, Dec. 14.—Fatal hunting accidents in the state of Pennsylvania, with the season not yet ended, almost equal the number of deaths in football in all forty-six states of the country this fall, twenty-two players succumbing on the gridiron and 499 sustaining serious injuries.

This comparison of "sports that kill" is obtained from a careful compilation of all gunning accidents reported in Pennsylvania to the local newspapers this fall and from a summary of football accidents which was widely published at the conclusion of the gridiron season. In view of the fact that football fatalities attract much the greater notice, any gain which exact figures would show may presumably be credited to the gun toll.

The record, as obtainable, is: Football in the United States (1900), deaths, 22; injuries, 490. Hunting in Pennsylvania (1909), deaths, 13; serious injuries, 31.

Young Men Are Victims.

The list of gunning casualties shows a death or injury for almost every day in the season thus far. The victims are mainly young men under 21 years of age.

Of the thirteen dead, seven were killed by weapons in their own hands and six by guns in the hands of other persons. The causes of the accidents were stumbling, fence-climbing, careless loading, stacking of guns against trees, heedless aiming and ignorance that guns were loaded. In no case is it reported that a hunter was mistaken for game as often happens in the bigger hunting grounds of Maine and the Northwest.

One peculiar accident was the death of a hunter by heart disease when a rabbit which he thought he had shot dead jumped just as he was about to pick it up. This victim was Albert Henne, aged 42, a school director and hotel man of Dickson City, Pa. His case is not included in the tabulation of deaths in hunting.

PROMOTER STOPS FIGHT AND REFUNDS MONEY.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Dec. 14.—A scheduled 10-round bout between Monte Attell and Jeff O'Connell was stopped by the promoters at the end of the fifth round here last night, and entrance money was refunded. Promoters refused to pay either fighter.

Attell was to have received 30 per cent of the gross receipts. The fight was tame from start to finish, Attell getting a shade the better of the exchanges.

Hissing started in the first round and throughout the fight. Between the rounds the noise would increase. Twice during the course of the fight Promoter Tommy Elks, coming to the ringside, requested the referee to make the men fight or get out of the ring.

MAKES GREAT SHOWING AGAINST RUSSIAN LION

Karl Lehto Proves Tough Mat Customer for Hackenschmidt.

Russian Wins in Two Straight Falls After Spectacular Battle.

In perhaps the greatest wrestling match ever witnessed in this city, contested before an audience that packed the Lyceum theater to the very doors, an audience containing many of the most prominent and professional men of Duluth as well as more than 1,000 of the yelling and wildly enthusiastic countrymen of Karl Lehto, George Hackenschmidt last night defeated the game and nervy Finn in two straight falls.

The Russian Lion, who is the most marvelously muscled man who ever wrestled before a Duluth audience, secured the first fall at the end of 29 minutes and 30 seconds, a half nelson and double wrist lock spelling the undoing of the young Finn. The second fall came in 13 minutes and was accomplished by a half nelson and crotch hold.

Never in a match in this city has such wonderful bridging been shown as that done by Lehto last night, when he held the massive and hard-pressing form of the Russian on a bridge for three or four minutes. With a contraction of the huge muscles of his wonderfully developed neck, Lehto finally escaped from the hold and brought the big crowd yelling to its feet.

Twice in the first bout the young Finn bridged out of dangerous positions, twice he broke full nelsons with the great strength of his neck, and once he wriggled and twisted free from a hammerlock that the Lion all but clamped on with all of its terrible force. Not only did the young Finn show remarkable versatility in evading the holds of Hackenschmidt, but he also had the crowd yelling deep-throated words of encouragement by his efforts to assume the offensive.

There may be one man in the world who can throw "Hack"—again, there may not be. This Russian is a monument of colossal strength. Therefore it is not to be wondered at that Lehto could make no impression on his huge and massive bulk.

Once Karl secured a half head lock and brought the big Russian part way out of his perfect balance. That is as near as he ever came to even worrying the big man, whose shoulders in all his long and wonderful mat career have never been pinned to the canvas.

Got Behind Once.

Once Lehto got behind the Lion, but "Hack" brushed the youngster off with a concentration of his huge muscles. Hackenschmidt works like a perfect and well oiled machine; he never rushed, and he likewise never made a false move. He presents an antithesis to Gotch and he also presents a wonderful study in the length that a man can go in muscular development.

GEORGE HACKENSCHMIDT.

During the second bout it was evident that Lehto was tired from his exertions in the preceding bout. He lacked neither nerve or courage, and yet his efforts of resistance had been reduced by the wonderful fight he had made in the first bout. Slowly but surely the big Russian wore him down, finally pinning Karl with a hold from which, struggle as he did, the Finn could not escape.

As a contest it was one of the greatest and surely the most interesting ever held in this city. Sprinkled throughout the big audience were a number of women, and they enjoyed the contest with an enthusiasm milder yet as keen as that of the men present.

The match presented a study for the lover of phyhical strength. Never has a man ever been formed more truly by nature than Hackenschmidt for the perfect gladiator, the fighter of the Roman arena. The big Lion has posed for famous London artists, and as he struggled back and forth last night, his huge muscles standing out in coils and bunches, he looked the primitive fighting man, who ruled by right of might.

The main bout of the evening was preceded by two interesting preliminaries. In the curtain-raiser Mauritz Harris won in straight falls from Joe Fish, a game little grappler who refused to quit under the punishment administered by Harris.

The veteran, Chris Person, won from Ole Johnson in 37 minutes, after one of the hardest struggles the old war horse has engaged in for some time.

Harley Davidson, the world's champion roller and ice skater and one of the greatest athletes in the world, refereed the two preliminary bouts. Davidson also introduced to the crowd Adolph Earnest, the German grappler, who stated that he will meet any 180-pound man in the world, bar none.

Tom Madden, the veteran referee and one of the most popular officials of the mat game who has ever worked in these parts, officiated at the main bout of the evening.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Pitchers' Records.

Name and Club—	W.	L.	T.	Pct.
Hughes, Minneapolis	31	12	0	.721
Fiene, Minneapolis	15	6	0	.714
Yingling, Toledo	22	9	2	.710
Ryan, St. Paul	17	7	1	.708
Reiger, St. Paul	9	5	0	.643
Patterson, Minneapolis	21	12	0	.636
Sitton, Columbus	16	10	0	.615
Altrock, Minneapolis	19	13	0	.594
Liebhardt, Columbus	23	16	1	.590
Essick, Toledo-K. City	10	7	1	.588
Rhoades, Kansas City	21	15	1	.583
Kaler, Columbus	11	8	1	.579
Brandon, Kansas City	20	15	1	.571
Robinson, Toledo	16	12	2	.571
Schardt, Milwaukee	21	16	0	.568
Powell, Kansas City	9	7	0	.563
Chech, St. Paul	19	15	2	.559
Packard, Columbus	13	11	1	.542
Slagle, Louisville	13	11	0	.542
Dougherty, Milwaukee	14	12	0	.538
Lillvelt, Minneapolis	8	7	0	.533
West, Toledo	19	18	1	.514
Hardgrove, Indianapolis	16	16	0	.500
Sage, Minneapolis	7	7	0	.500
Nelson, Columbus	5	5	0	.500
Higginbotham, Louis.	6	6	0	.500
Gehring, St. Paul	18	20	1	.474
Gilligan, Milwaukee	8	9	0	.470
La Roy, St. Paul	14	16	2	.467
Campbell, Kansas City	12	14	1	.462
Swann, Kansas City	11	13	1	.458
Cheney, Indianapolis	10	12	0	.455
Graham, Ind-Milwaukee	8	10	0	.444
F. Owen, Toledo-K. C.	11	14	1	.440
Baskette, Toledo	7	9	1	.437
Glaze, Indianapolis	7	9	0	.437
McGlynn, Milwaukee	16	21	1	.432
Weaver, Louisville	9	14	0	.391
Kilroy, St. Paul	5	8	1	.385
Cutting, Milwaukee	11	18	1	.378
Orth, Indianapolis	4	8	0	.333
Richter, Louisville	7	14	1	.333
Halla, Louisville	10	23	3	.303
Stremmel, Columbus	3	7	1	.300
Cantwell, Milwaukee	3	7	0	.300
Decanniere, Louisville	5	12	0	.294
Lindaman, Indianapolis	4	11	0	.267

PUCK CHASERS HAVE RETURNED

Duluth Players State Chicago Used Professionals in Lineup.

The members of the Northern Hockey team reached the city this morning, coming direct to Duluth, after the game Tuesday evening at Detroit.

On the trip the team that was hastely gathered together won three games and dropped three out of the six contests played. Under the circumstances the showing was a splendid one and was much better than even the most ardent admirers of the team hoped for.

Jones was left at Cleveland. Duluth will lose a sterling player in his failuse to come home with the team. Cleveland was the former home of Jones and he has decided to remain there for the time being at least. Later it is hoped that he will decide to make his home here.

Ray Fenton stated this morning that the Chicago team, the aggregation that represented the Illinois Athletic association, was composed largely of professionals. It seems that the I. A. A. officials heard that Duluth might prove game.

When it is considered that the team dangerous therefore prepared for the that won three out of six games had never even practiced together before the first game at Chicago, the snowing may be considered one to make the hockey fans of this city feel rather proud of the team. The trip of the aggregation will also prove a boost for hockey in this city.

It is expected that the team that toured under the name of the Northern Hockey team will play intact under the Duluth Curling club auspices. Al Cummings will undoubtedly be added to the roster, and it is expected that with more practice the team will be able to hold its own with the very best teams of the country.

BOWLING SCORES

Last evening on the Grand alleys the Adams Athletic association formally opened its bowling season. The treasurer's and the secretary's team met and the treasurer's won three straight games. Erickson of the winning team copped both averages.

The scores in detail:

Treasurer.			
T. Perling	103	159	114
F. Mork	128	126	189
N. Lillyman	153	128	100
A. Hanson	147	146	142
A. Erickson	179	112	157
Totals	710	671	683
Secretary.			
R. Olson	121	...	...
Ole Olson	191	115	132
J. Geistman	136	127	120
Joe Brady	130	133	150
H. Otterson	178	105	148
S. Burg		136	115
Totals	656	616	665

The score in the Lindgren and Massey Marathon, which is being rolled at the present time, is as follows:

Massey—182, 166, 174, 203, 170, 245, 208, 181, 187, 184, 180, 213 180 194, 190.

Al Lindgren—165, 158, 190, 149, 185, 179, 200, 198, 163, 184, 190, 202, 192, 208, 180.

SKI ENTHUSIASTS WILL ORGANIZE NEW CLUB.

A meeting of the ski enthusiasts of this city will be held this evening at the commercial club for the purpose of reorganizing the club, increasing the membership, broadening the policy of the club, and making it a club that will include every form of winter sport.

It is expected that the meeting this evening will be a very enthusiastic one, as the directors have received numerous letters from business men of the city, asking the particulars of the reorganization and also requesting information on the price of membership.

The club will be organized at the meeting tonight, a constitution adopted, possibly and other steps taken in the forming anew of one of the greatest boosters of winter sport in the Northwest.

Looking for Trouble.

W. O. Brown of St. Paul writes that he is handling Jack Waltona, a bantamweight whom Brown claims has beaten some of the best boys in the Northwest. Brown is looking for a fight from some of the boys in this part of the country, and wants to have his boy box before one of the Duluth clubs. According to the information sent by Brown, his boy has never been beaten, and is looking for larger worlds to conquer.

GOSSIP PICKED UP ALONG THE SPORTING HIGHWAY

The Russian Lion and the Nature Loving Stuff—"Tex" Dropped a Roll at Reno—Curley Has a New One.

(BY BRUCE.)

WOULD YOU BELIEVE OR EVEN imagine for one second that the Russian Lion was possessed of a poetical and romantic temperament? This great fellow has traveled all over the civilized world and the things he has most observed have not been the people and the cities, but nature in its simplest and therefore in its most beautiful form.

Yesterday at his room in the St. Louis, attired in some sort of rich green bath robe, the pride of Europe, the man whose athletic achievements have caused two continents to wonder, spoke as a man who had studied life from his cabin in the forest or from the viewpoint of the rustic who has made nature his most constant companion.

"Hack" was asked what country, what city or what kind of life he most preferred. Up to that time he had been quiet and rather hard to draw out. He doesn't like to talk of wrestlers, and he doesn't like to talk of men he has beaten; but this nature stuff came to him in some sort of way, and he started.

"I love to live where the sun is always shining, where the air is balmy and where the birds are always singing," said the big wrestler, and he had that serious cast of Russian countenance when he let 'er go. "In California, now, I could live ever happily. I love the land there, the flowers. Somehow it reminds me of some of the countries of Europe. The people are happy and gay and there is life and joy in the very air.

"I love Monte Carlo. There is the casino, the concert, the laughter, the beautiful women, and you can sit at the cafe with your coffee and gaze on life; life that is bright, full of laughter and free of care. I would love to be there now. You see the aristocrats of all the world, the tourists and the rich and great. You see life at Monte Carlo, and you are free and happy, for somehow it is in the air."

Hackenschmidt has traveled in practically every country of the world. He owns two houses in London, has a home in St. Petersburg, and yet, as he said yesterday, he calls the world his home. He is a cosmopolite in the truest meaning of the word.

New York, Paris, London, Berlin, St. Petersburg—these cities are known somewhat more or less intimately by the remarkable man. But with all his travel, with all the big things he has done, the mobs, the glitter that goes with being a world's champion, this man at heart is as simple as a child; not simple in the sense of being ignorant, for old "Hack" is a chap who has read many books and has drawn something from his reading; but is as simple in heart and being as the primitive man must have been.

When he retires, Hackenschmidt says he will go to some little village or city, some quiet place, and live out the rest of his life. He is vastly different from the other champions who have come before him, yet in this side of his nature reminds you somewhat of Frank Gotch, who is another lover of the simple side of life.

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Tex Tells as How He Lost Scandalously at Gay Reno.

TEX RICKARD, WHO IS KNOWN by some few of the inner circle of the Duluth mining men, is out with the statement that he lost heavily on the Johnson-Jeffries fight. Those who took a running jump casual opine of the financial result of the Nevada noise, were of the opinion that Rickard and Mons. Gleason cleaned somewhat handsomely on the result of the push into the larger hall of fame of Lil' Artha. But at Hot Springs the other day Tex grew reminiscent as well as confidential and told how and why he did not gather the gay sheckels with that merry abandon that all of us were allowing as how he had cashed.

The story of Rickard would make one of those heart beat stories of Lincoln Steffen sound like a treatise on the cost of painting the old barn.

He speaks openly about people with a keen and educated desire for money and without a healthy inclination for work, who make trouble for other people with nice and open-faced dispositions. But, anyway, Tex says he lost, and many of us are sorry, for the Tex boy is one of the most genial and whole-souled lads to meet who ever spread his legs languourously on another chair over in the lobby of the Spalding.

Any time a guy jumps into the jackpot with $100,000 cold he has nerve, and most of us in this drear world admire men with nerve, and men who do something; not the barking and biting small fry, who knock and sneer and cast nasty aspersions. The world loathes the knocker and loves the good fellow, and therefore let us throw a couple of tears in the case of Rickard, if he really dropped a bundle.

He was one of the few sports the short horn grafters of dear San Francisco could not hold up, and more power be to him in the future. Heart and soul, Tex is clear grit and whiteness all the way through, and he is dead game all the way to the end.

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They Wanted to Know The Fight Result.

JACK CURLEY, THE GENIAL manager of George Hackenschmidt and one of the most famous athletic sport promoters in the world, told an amusing story last night that simply and to the point explains the absorbing amount of interest the public had in the Reno fight package.

Curley left for Europe shortly after the encounter at Reno, as he was in New York at the time the fight occurred. The journey across to the shores of dear white cliffed Albion was the most delightful man could imagine, said Jack, and every one of the passengers was present at his little meal. No one missed the kindly kidding of the inner man.

One day the sea was as sweet and calm as the reflections of a young lady on the way after he has asked with eloquent and pleading purpose for the hand that soon some diamond ring will mould into a wigwag system for the attracting of feminine attention. There wasn't a ripple or a bounding wave on the placid bosom of the dear blue ocean. Everything was quiet, the sun was shining and the upper decks were lined with passengers.

Suddenly off in the distance the lookout with the glasses discovered a signal of some sort. The big ocean greyhound veered toward the boat and that vessel kept coming toward the big Atlantic liner. The other boat kept wig wagging, and finally got to the side of the big tran Atlantic boat.

"What do you think that boat wanted?" asked Curely. "That boat came over twenty-five miles out of its course, stopped us, got all the passengers on our boat excited, and a few other things—why? Because the captain was one of the keenest sports I have ever glanced across the open water at; he wanted to know who won the Jeffries-Johnson fight?"

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A Passing Thought on G. Hackenschmidt.

HE HAS COME AND GONE, AND AT last Duluth has had the opportunity of passing judgment on one of the most wonderful athletes in the world. "Hack" is not as fast as Frank Gotch, for they never made a big mat man as speedy as the retired Iowa farmer, but he stands today as the most powerful man in the world, which, Bill, is some distinction in these days of weight lifters and mighty opponents of the laws of gravitation.

After watching the wonderful physique of the man of Russia, an athlete who is worth an immense fortune by the way, one can only vaguely imagine and rudely guess at the Titanic strength of this modern giant. His muscles swell like huge cables, and his powers as the greatest weight lifter of the world can be readily realized when you watch the superb gathering of the whole muscular system in one mighty effort.

He is crafty of foot and to the student of athletics a speed can be seen that is belied by the bear-like gait that the big man travels around the mat with. There is no such modern athlete, when the list of achievement in many fields is considered, as the wonderful Hackenschmidt.

He is as genial and frank as a boy. He is courteous as a foreign gentleman of royal birth and, like many giants possessed of the elemental strength of some rude primitive force, he has a big and kindly heart. Jack Curley says the big fellow wouldn't kill a fly, that he gives freely to charity, and of all the athletes he has ever associated with, the Russian possesses the finest traits of manhood and real downright good fellowship.

NO MATCH GAMES PLAYED BY CURLERS.

No match games were played in The Herald trophy event last evening, the ice being too soft for play. There were a number of curlers at the rink, however, and some practice games were played. This evening there will be a number of games on.

St. Louis Releases Three.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 14.—In a telegram last night from New York, Roger Bresnahan, manager of the Cardinals, announced that he has released Catcher Eddie Phelps and Pitchers Johnny Lush and Lester Bachman to the Toronto Eastern league. Backman's release was looked for, and it was being forecasted that Lush would be disposed of in a trade, but the release of Phelps was unexpected. Bresnahan got a good price and the promise of some choice young material from the Toronto club as well. It is rather surprising that National league clubs did not claim Phelps under the release rules. Phelps was popular here and was considered as good a second-string catcher as any club has.

Stahl Is Through.

New York, Dec. 14.—President John I. Taylor of the Boston Americans received a letter from Jake Stahl last night dated Chicago, Dec. 11, in answer to a letter from the Boston magnate asking if Mr. Stahl really meant to give up professional ball playing.

"I have fully decided to give up baseball," writes Mr. Stahl, "and stick to the banking business, as I consider that it is my duty."

After reading the letter Mr. Taylor said:

"The letter has the true ring, and I am convinced that Mr. Stahl has decided to quit. I am certainly very sorry, for we all like Jake very much in Boston. Boston will look about for some one to play first base."

Fogel Heads Phillies.

Philadelphia, Dec. 14.—Horace Fogel yesterday was re-elected president of the Philadelphia National league club. Arthur T. Hagstoz of Camden, a member of a large smelting firm here, and one of the men who, Fogel declares, is behind him in acquiring a controlling interest in the Phillies, was elected to the board of directors. Fogel refuses to tell how much money Hagstoz advanced to him, but from the business standing of the new director he is able to advance money in large bunches. Fogel also declared that other persons assisted him in the purchase of the club, but refuses to make their names public.

In Fogel's annual report he "pans" Umpires Klem and Kane and Former Umpire Moran. He also declares he has the youngest team of both leauges, the average age of the players being 24 years. He blames McQuillen and Moren for breaking the discipline of the club last season.

Athletics Are Defeated.

Havana, Dec. 14.—The Almendares baseball team defeated the Philadelphia American league club yesterday by a score of 5 to 2.

WESTERGAARD THROWS TWO NEBRASKA MEN.

Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 14.—Jess Westergaard of Des Moines last night won a handicap wrestling match by defeating both Frank Du Cray of Lincoln and George Giono of Aurora, rivals for the Nebraska championship.

CLAIMS FARMERS HAVE ENGINEERED HOG CORNER.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 14.—"The farmer has a corner on hogs," said John Kasmirski, a local butcher, "and pork prices are going up. The same thing is true of beef."

Another dealer said that within a few weeks, he expects meats to go as high as they were last summer.

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ON THE IRON RANGES

VIRGINIA MAY RAISE LICENSE

If City Shows 10,000 Population or Better Fee Will Be Doubled.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—The police force and Judge James P. Carey of the municipal court were given a vote of thanks at last night's meeting of the council for rounding up a large number of "blind piggers." Twenty-four of these offenders were arrested within the past two weeks, twenty-two of whom paid fines of $50 each and two being dismissed. This action by the council resulted from the report of Miss Jessie McNeil, clerk of the municipal court, which showed that the fines collected for the week ending Dec. 10, amounted to $933.55, the greater part of which was paid by those fined for the illegal sale of liquor.

Mayor Andrew Hawkinson suggested that City Clerk Bickford write to Senator Clapp and Congressman Miller to ascertain the population of Virginia taken at the last census with a view to raising the liquor license fee from $500 to $1,000 per annum. This, in view of the fact that a law was recently passed giving cities of 10,000 or more population the right to raise its license fee. Mayor Hawkinson believes the city has passed the 10,000 mark, but said that the report from the census bureau must be received before Jan. 1 in order to allow the council to fix the license fee at $1,000. Alderman Boylan contended that the council had the right to raise the fee at any time after the census bureau made its report if it was found that the city had a population of 10,000 or over. City Attorney Poirier stated that he would look the matter up.

E. B. Heigberg, state food inspector, applied for the position of meat and food inspector and assistant health officer. Mr. Heigberg stated that he had had years of experience in this line of business and that he did not use liquor. Mr. Heigberg is a resident of Duluth. The application was referred to the health department which is composed of Alderman Weber and H. O. Johnson and Dr. J. H. Crowe. The office of meat and food inspector is now held by John Byrne and that of assistant health officer by J. P. Chalmers.

The ordinance amending the original ordinance relating to the cruel and inhuman treatment of animals, received its third and final reading, which, among other things, gives the power of a humane officer to Ole Johnson, at present holding the position of poundmaster.

The Virgina Electric Power & Water company, were instructed to install an arc lamp at the corenr of Sage street and Cleveland avenue.

Robert Garvey, and Gust Carlson were granted renewal of liquor licenses by a vote of 8 to 1, Alderman Mollan voting in the negative on the Garvey license.

W. E. BATES HAS BEEN PROMOTED

Chief Engineer of Chisholm District Taking Place of Man Killed.

Chisholm, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—W. E. Bates of Virginia, formerly one of the mining engineers of the Monroe engineering department, has been promoted to the position of chief mining engineer of the Chisholm district of the Oliver Iron Mining company in place of C. D. Purple, who was accidentally shot while hunting north of Chisholm last Thanksgiving.

Tony, Otmer and Ed Tancig have returned from Tower, where they attended the funeral of their father, John Tancig, who died after a lingering illness from gallstones. Mr. Tancig was one of the earliest residents of the Vermilion range, arriving in Tower twenty-six years ago. He lived there ever since and was highly respected.

Robert Parks, while scuffling with companions on the sidewalk in front of Adam Payton's saloon, slipped and sustained a fracture of the bone of the right leg. He was taken to the hospital where all possible was done to relieve his sufferings.

VIRGINIA EAGLES WILL HAVE BALL DEC. 30.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—The second annual ball by Aerie, No. 107, Fraternal Order of Eagles, will be held at the Finnish Temperance hall, Dec. 30.

No expense will be spared to make this ball one of the very best events of the season.

Music will be furnished by Kraft's full orchestra.

The members of the different committees are: Le Roy Edwin, chairman; Erick Hansen, James Fleming, James Sullivan, Al Staff, Sam Hinish, David Johnson, Bert Mathews, Louis Littman and John Vicker.

HIBBING MEN NEARLY "FALL"

Scheme to Sell Alleged Rich Michigan Iron Mine Nipped in the Bud.

Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—Prompt use of the wires prevented several Hibbing people nearly "falling" for a fake mining scheme, according to current report. Information was gained through finding a letter dropped in a public place that purported to tell about the existence of a rich iron mine near Menominee, Mich., said to run 85 per cent iron. Local men became interested and dispatched a couple of men to Menominee to close a deal for the property. A local attorney when told of the matter knew from his familiarity with iron in that section of Michigan that 85 was a very high percentage, the average run being 61 per cent. He suggested something was wrong and a wire was sent to the Hibbing men at Menominee calling off the deal and the local men who were about to become interested in a bonanza are happy as the alleged mine bears all the evidence of a fake.

Wedding Bells Are Ringing.

Send or call for my illustrated book of brides' hand and shower bouquets, the latest style. J. J. Le Borious, florist, 921 East Third street and 6 East Superior street.

SOON DEDICATE CHURCH.

New M. E. Edifice of Chisholm Is Nearly Completed.

Chisholm, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Chisholm Methodists will dedicate their new church shortly after the New Year. The precise date has not as yet been definitely decided upon. The building has been in course of construction since the middle of August last.

Rev. E. K. Copper, district superintendent from Duluth, saw the building for the first time yesterday, and expressed himself as well pleased with the accomplishment.

The new edifice will seat 300 people and cost about $8,000.

NASHWAUK BRIEFS.

Nashwauk, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—The fire department was called out early Monday evening by a small blaze in the Nashwauk bakery. The fire was extinguished before the department arrived, as it was only a small blaze, due to an overheated furnace.

Thomas McCullum spent a few days at Duluth this week.

The two-story frame structure on Central avenue, formerly occupied by the Sebeka Mercantile company, has been remodeled and J. P. Raatama, proprietor of the Mesaba Dry Goods company, will locate therein.

The public schools here will close the Dec. 15, for two weeks during Christmas, and the local teachers will leave for their homes until after the holidays.

William Le Claire was a Marble visitor Monday.

HIBBING BRIEFS.

Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—Miss Jessie Healy, who has been indisposed for the past week, has recovered.

Miss Doherty, of the high school faculty, is indiposed and unable to attend her class.

Gordon Hill has arrived from Virginia, to accept a position with the Dupont Powder company.

Representative-elect John A. Healy and daughter, Jessie, spent a week in Duluth, returning Sunday.

Miss Cecil Healy has resumed her studies at the high school after being confined to her room, suffering from the grip.

M. W. Finger, who has been employed with the Oliver Iron Mining company for the past two years, left for Duluth Sunday, where he will reside in future.

Mr. Wallace of the shipping department of the Oliver Iron Mining company's local office, has as his guest this week, his father of Grand Rapids, Mich.

David Graham was in Gilbert yesterday to inspect the progress of the high school building, which the Graham-Young company is building there.

Mary, the 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Demgen, is very ill with pneumonia. Ralph, their 2-month-old baby boy, is also very sick.

NEEDY OF EVELETH SHOULD FARE WELL

Both Associated Charities and Salvation Army Preparing for Christmas Feeds.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Associated Charities have adopted the temporary constitution and by-laws submitted by the committee on by-laws, Burton O. Greening, Fred E. Lister and R. C. Mitchell, until more favorable rules can be secured. The members now expect to join the State Federation of Associated Charities.

Mason Burt, Jr., W. R. Van Slyke and Miss Luella Penrod have been appointed to take charge of the Christmas work, and will provide the poor with Christmas trees, baskets, merchandise and edibles. Miss Polly Bullard was appointed to assist the school children in the Christmas work and decoration of Christmas trees.

Miss Polly Bullard will investigate the possibilities of securing a competent visiting nurse while in the Twin Cities.

Secretary Dr. N. C. Bulkley reports that the 5,000 Red Cross seals that he had been authorized to sell by the organization have arrived and have been placed on sale at the City Drug store, Eveleth pharmacy, A. M. Murnik's store, P. Peterson's store, and Nichols & Griswold's.

Some confusion over the question of providing the needy with Christmas dinners has arisen between the local organization and the Virginia branch of the Salvation Army. The Salvation Army people have been soliciting contributions from local residents to provide Eveleth poor with the Christmas dinners, while the local organization is also planning on providing the destitue here with Christmas dinners. The local organization wishes to co-operate with the Salvation Army, but as yet the two bodies have failed to agree on the Christmas dinner work.

TWO HARBORS NOTES.

Methodist Young Women Are Planning for Annual Bazar.

Two Harbors, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—Leo Kain was taken very sick a few days ago and underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Two Harbors hospital on Monday morning. He is doing well.

The young women of the Methodist church will give their annual bazar and lunch at the church on Friday evening. There has been much activity among them for weeks past and this will be one of the most attractive sales which have taken place for some time here. The sale opens at 4:30 p. m. The luncheon will be served from 5 p. m. until all are served.

Rev. T. Stanley Oadams delivered the second of a series of lectures at the Y. M. C. A. rooms Tuesday evening before a large audience. His subject was "Alfred the Great; the Conservator of Law and Letters." There are eight numbers in the course, the next which will take place on Dec. 27, will be, "Joan of Arc; or the Power of an Inspired Life." Mr. Oadams is giving this series of lectures free of charge.

The carpenters are busy in the Methodist church this week making the necessary changes in the building preparatory to the installation of the new pipe organ which has been shipped and will be here at the end of this week.

The funeral of Joseph Andrews who died Sunday took place yesterday from the undertaking rooms of Mr. Brown. The services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Oadams of the Methodist church, and the interment was made at Two Harbors cemetery.

Oliver Club Tournament.

Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Oliver club will open the billiard and pool tournament, in the early part of January, for which the prizes will be shortly announced. These matches will probably occupy a month to play off, and some particularly strong players are expected to enter for the different events.

W. J. West was the first president of the club, the present officers being W. M. Tappan, president; C. E. French, vice president; John Smith, treasurer; George Steuber, secretary; J. F. Dietrich, steward; besides five other directors. There will probably be some changes made shortly in the personnel of the board, when the annual election of officers takes place, and some of the board resign.

JUDGE HUGHES HEARS CONTEST

Hearing in County Attorneyship Case Absorbing Two Harbors.

Two Harbors, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—The district court room is crowded during the election contest instituted by John Dwan against Mr. Kinsella for the office of county clerk which is being waged before Judge Hughes.

Interest is so keen that more or less feeling is manifested between the adherents of the respective contestants. The report is current that if Kinsella loses out he will run for mayor next spring.

PERMANENT CAMP SITE IS SOUGHT

Tower Commercial Club Seeks to Locate Athletic Field Near There.

Tower, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Commercial club held a special meeting Monday night. Communications were read from several parties contemplating starting in business here and others inquiring about the opportunities.

The president read a communication from Dick Grant, coach for the track team of the University of Minnesota, who is in search of a suitable place for a permanent camp for college men and school boys. A tract of 160 acres would be needed, with gently sloping sandy beach and enough level land to accommodate baseball grounds, foot ball field, with a quarter-mile track and fields for dairying and truck farming. The camp would be in operation about six weeks in August and September of each year.

Lake Vermilion offers desirable locations of the character desired and the secretary of the club was instructed to communicate with Mr. Grant and a committee of three, consisting of Messrs. Roland, Colberg and Peterson, was named by the president to take up the matter and push it to a successful conclusion.

The applications for membership of Ed Osterburg, proprietor of the Osterburg Navigation company, and Charles Osterburg, a diamond drill contractor, were presented and both were duly elected.

A number of bills were presented, allowed and orders drawn on the treasurer for the amounts.

EVELETH CHURCH ACTIVITY.

Matters of Interest to People Affiliated With Different Churches.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—Contractor A. W. Waslewliski of Minneapolis, who erected the Holy Family Catholic church here, has taken charge of remodeling the exterior of the church and installing new pillars on the Adams street entrance.

Rev. Phillip A. Schwarz, Jr., chairman of the committee of fifty is working on plans for the first annual banquet of that organization to be held shortly after Christmas.

Rev. P. C. Keranen of the Finnish Lutheran Concordia church, returned Monday from a short visit at Duluth.

The German Lutherans who are planning on erecting a church of their own have completed arrangements with Rev. Mr. Herman Drews of St. Mathews church, Duluth, for an address here the latter part of the month.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal church will hold a home cooking sale at the City drug store, Saturday afternoon.

The members of the First Presbyterian Sunday school have begun rehearsing the Christmas exercise they will give at Christmas time.

Rev. Mr. Hanscome of Maine, is to be the new pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church and he is expected to deliver his initial sermon, Sunday, Dec. 25. Next Sunday Rev. C. B. W. Ellis, who has been filling the local pulpit since Rev. R. C. Johnson's departure will preach his final sermon.

FINISHING STRIPPING.

Removing Overburden From Virginia Mine Ends for Season.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—The No. 1 shovel at the new Virginia mine stripping that has been operated by Winston Bros. & Dear company, suspended operations yesterday. The No. 2 shovel crew will cease stripping operations Friday. Early next season stripping work will be resumed, so that the cleaning up work on the surface, which will take about two months may be completed. The stripping contract was started last year and the contractors have made rapid work. The Virginia Mine company which will mine the new property commenced work last spring and stopped shipping operations only a few weeks ago. The mining company will employ an increased force next season.

WOMAN CHANGES MIND.

Hence Virginia Man Arrested in New York Is Released.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—Mrs. Joseph Jeresatti who had her husband arrested in New York, as he was about to sail for Servia, his native land, on the ground he had abandoned her, changed her mind yesterday, the New York police were notified to turn Jeresatti loose and the incident is closed. The woman and her child left for New York and will sail with the head of the family for Servia.

HIBBING CONGREGATION CALLS SUPERIOR MINISTER.

Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—The Presbyterian congregation has extended a call to Rev. J. W. Helmuth of Superior to become the stated supply of the local church.

Mr. Helmuth is about 50 years of age, married and has three children. He occupied the Presbyterian pulpit here three or four weeks ago and was very much liked.

FEW APPLICANTS FOR CIVIL SERVICE JOBS.

Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—The civil service examinations to be held here have up to the present date, interested an unusually small number of applicants. It is somewhat surprising, as the examinations, according to the government reports do not require any particular knowledge, otherwise than a good education. The positions to be filled vary from deputy collector to storekeeper, including vacancies in nearly all the departments, from the forest service, to the pension agencies.

NOW SHIPPING GAME.

Snow Permits Bringing Carcasses of Animals Slain.

Tower, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—Large numbers of deer and moose that were killed near here and could no be brougt out until cold weather and snow made it possible, are now being brought to Tower for shipment to various parts of this and other states.

The Vermilion Lumber company is reported as having about 100 men in its employ at its Pike river camp.

A number of men arrived the past few days from St. Paul to work in the various lumber camps in this vicinity.

Tower now has two roller rinks. One in the Vermilion opera house, and the other at Everett hall.

Rev. P. Knudsen of Duluth occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church morning and evening on Sunday last.

A match game was played Monday evening at the local bowling alley in which a Tower team was defeated.

A program will be rendered Christmas night at the church by the members of the Sunday school of the St. James Presbyterian church.

Logging operations are very active in this vicinity and at the end of another month much timber will be cut.

Returns to Virginia Job.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—R. L. Bellman, who has had charge of the brokerage business of R. E. Baker of Duluth, at Hibbing for several months, is again in charge of the office here, which was recently taken over by Mr. Baker from J. P. Tredinnick.

Virginia Red Men Elect.

Virginia, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—At the annual meeting of Nitchie Nobby tribe, No. 89, Improved Order of Red Men, Monday night, an entertainment was given following the election of officers. The officers elected follow: Sachem, William Mollan; senior sagemore, Alfred Staff; junior sagamore, Le Roy Edwin; prophet, William Swendby; chief of records, W. R. Byrne; keeper of wampum, F. J. Rinnert.

Eveleth Schools to Close.

Eveleth, Minn., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—The local schools close a week from today and will resume sessions, Jan. 2. Many of the local teachers and students plan on spending the holidays elsewhere.

JOHN CHRISTIE, JR., AND MRS. EMILY GUSTON TAKE POISON—BOTH ARE LIVING

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overdose of the poison is all that prevented his immediate death. The woman did not take enough of it to prove fatal.

Woman Found at Home.

The woman has been identified as Mrs. Emily Gutson, whose maiden name was Emily Colseth. She lives with her mother, Mrs. B. C. Colseth, at 1538 Wells street.

The alleged attempt at double suicide took place in Christie's room. Mrs. Gutson disappeared after taking the poison and the police were unable to find her until nearly noon.

At the Colseth home, Mrs. Gutson's mother said her daughter came home late last night and this morning was confined to her bed. The mother refused to discuss the case and disclaimed any knowledge of her daughter's private affairs.

"The Pace That Kills."

The woman's grandmother, Mrs. Marie Dugacipali, said that she expected something of this kind to happen.

"Emily often came home with expensive hats, furs and jewelry," said Mrs. Dugacipali, "but she would never tell us where she got them. We have heard her mention Mr. Christie's name, but know nothing of him. It is the old story of the pace that kills."

John Christie, Jr., received a telegram from his father in Duluth today, but the contents were not given out.

Parents Live In Duluth.

John Christie, Jr., is 33 years old and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Christie, live at 1811 East Second street. The son left Duluth a little over a year ago.

The young man's wife left him about two years ago and went to live in Indianapolis, where she now lives with their child. She sued for divorce in district court here last summer on grounds of cruelty and the divorce was granted Sept. 15. She was given custody of the boy, who is about 3 years old. They were married Oct. 16, 1906, at Indianapolis.

John Christie, Sr., declined to make any comment on the matter this morning. He has not decided whether he will go to Chicago and is anxiously awaiting information as to his son's condition. If he receives news that warrants the action, he will go to Chicago this evening to be at his son's bedside.

HOUSE RULES FIGHT BEGUN

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that the house proceed with the consideration of the bill for codifying the judiciary laws.

Representative Fitzgerald of New York led the Democratic side of the house in opposing consideration of the bill. He declared that the house under the rules could decide for itself what business it shall consider.

It was declared by the Democratic members that the judiciary bill, which is lengthy, might be used as a buffer to prevent the house from taking up any other bills for many calendar Wednesdays to come.

Representative Sherley of Kentucky, in discussing the rules, declared that the consideration of the bill, which is 203 pages in length and contains 286 sections, might occupy every calendar Wednesday during the session. The house last Wednesday reached only section 11 of the bill.

Left It to House.

After the discussion had proceeded for an hour, Speaker Cannon ruled that there were no precedents exactly fitting the situation, but that the house should not be deprived of doing what it desired.

Therefore, he ruled that the house could settle for itself whether it would proceed to consider the bill. By a vote of 146 to 51 the house decided to take up the measure.

Challenge From America.

New York, Dec. 14.—The Aeroclub of America has cabled to the Royal Aeroclub of England a challenge for the international aeroplane trophy won by Claude Grahame-White at Belmont park last October. The winning of this cup means the aeroplane championship of the world. Through the action of the aeroclub, America is the first challenger for next year's honors.

Socialist Elected.

Biloxi, Miss., Dec. 14.—The first Socialist elected in Mississippi and one of the few in the South scored a victory in a municipal election here yesterday. S. W. Rose, running on a Socialist platform, was elected to the city council over a Democratic nominee.

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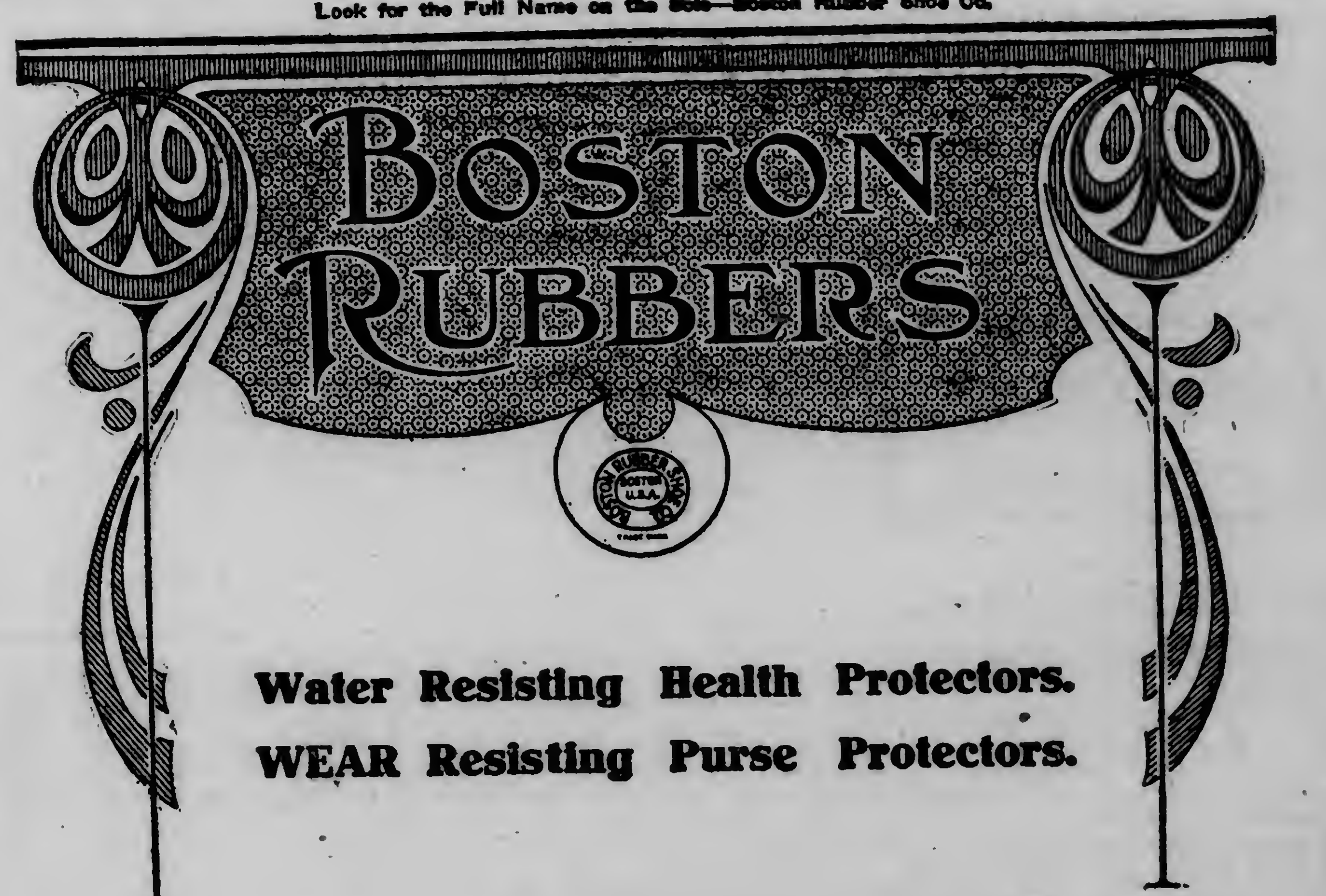

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CONCERNING WOMAN.

There remain but nine more shopping days until Christmas and those who do not avail themselves of the opportunity of shopping tomorrow or Friday can not honestly put themselves in the class of the early shoppers.

"There are still many women shopping in the afternoon who could arrange to do this important part of Christmas work in the mornings by taking a little extra trouble and they cannot realize the great help it would mean if they would come in the early morning hours," said a merchant today. "It would help themselves, the salespeople and those who are so occupied that they can only shop at noon hours or during the afternoon. This would help more than any other one thing—early morning shopping from now until Christmas time."

The frenzied and hopeless rush of the last week before Christmas has not yet come, but next week you can go into any store and discover her who holds a limp palm against a whirling head trying to think, amid the distraction of hundreds of other harried souls, what to get for Uncle John. Also next week will see the helpless wandering of poor masculine things hunting for they know not what, in a weak, smilingly apologetic manner until some good hearted girl will take them in tow and sell them anything to relieve them of their misery.

It is expected that the rush during the last week this year will be less than ever before, but it will be bad enough unless you do your Christmas shopping early and politely.

Also buy your Red Cross Christmas seals.

ANNIVERSARY.

Lakeside Residents Married Fifty-Five Years.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Watt, of 5415 Otsego street, Lester Park, yesterday celebrated the fifty-fifth anniversary of their wedding, and a host of their friends gathered at the family residence to wish them further years of happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. Watt have been residents of Lester Park for over twenty years, and for many years previous to that were residents of Two Harbors, where Mr. Watt was connected with the Duluth & Iron Range railway, by which road he is still employed in this city. His son, J. E. Watt, is station master at the Endion depot.

To very few is given the distinction of enjoying so many years of married life together, but Mr. and Mrs. Watt, although having arrived at a somewhat advanced age, are still unusually active and take a keen interest in life and its problems.

The gathering yesterday was in honor of their long life together. As a mark of respect and affection, the visiting friends left many tokens, one a sum of gold, and others being beautiful flowers.

The out of town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Owens, Miss Ellen Roberts, Mrs. W. D. Lawrence, and Master Lawrence, all of Two Harbors; Mrs. H. G. Avery of Tacoma, Wash., and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Helm of Tower, Minn. Among those present from the city were: Mrs. Frank Spurbeck, Mrs. Margaret Whitting, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Watt, Misses Clara and Florence Watt, and Miss Emma Gritzmaker.

W. R. C. MEMBERS

Will Plan for Gifts to Soldiers' Home.

The Women's Relief corps will hold an all-day meeting tomorrow at Memorial hall. The members will meet at 10 o'clock to make the Christmas gifts for the old ladies in the women's building at the Soldiers' Home. Each year a Christmas box is sent to them and gifts will be made tomorrow. A basket luncheon will be served at noon. Those who have not yet contributed the fruit or jelly for the box to be sent as a holiday greeting to the hospital at the Soldiers' Home are requested to bring their offerings to tomorrow's meeting. The offering of fruit and jellies is also an annual feature of the work the corps does at the Christmas season for the state home for old soldiers.

In Honor of Bride.

Miss Christine Ross was the guest of honor at a bridge party yesterday afternoon at which Mrs. Henry Damkroeger was hostess. The game was played at five tables and the favors were won by Mrs. Miller McDougall and Mrs. Roy Williams of Cleveland. Last evening Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Watterworth was hostess at a dinner of ten covers at her home, 2405 East Third street.

Mrs. Theodore Chapman entertained today in honor of Miss Ross and tomorrow Mrs. H. F. Salyards will be hostess.

Entertain at Cards.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the United Spanish War veterans will entertain at a card party tomorrow in Memorial hall at the courthouse.

Church Guild.

The Ladies' Guild of St. Luke's Episcopal church will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Thomas Barker of 2120 West Third street.

Card Party.

Mrs. C. B. Numan of 324 Twenty-fifth avenue west entertained at luncheon and cards yesterday at her home. The game was played at three tables and the favors were won by Mrs. Charles Dice and Mrs. E. C. Cox.

Women's Meeting.

Mrs. Elizabeth Rogers will be the speaker tomorrow afternoon at the regular weekly women's meeting at the Lake Avenue Bethel. The meeting will be held at 2:30 o'clock.

Entertains Club.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Mather entertained at a picnic dinner last evening followed by cards at their home, on South Twenty-first avenue east. They guests were the members of the Duplicate Whist club. The game was played at four tables.

Postpone Meeting.

The meeting of the West Duluth branch of the Women's Christian Temperance union, which was to have been held Thursday of this week, will be omitted and the next meeting will be held Jan. 5, 1911, at the home of Mrs. Helen Stewart of Lakeside.

Personal Mention.

Miss Helen Potter will return Sunday from Vassar college to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Potter.

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Mrs. James Murray and Miss Agnes Taylor of Coleraine, Minn., are the guests of Mrs. Lee Baldwin.

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The university students will return Friday and Saturday of this week to spend the holiday vacation at their homes in this city. Among those who will be here for the holidays are Misses Fern Doremus, Louana Phelps, Theresa Gude, Mary B. Marvin, Katherine Denfeld, Jessie Johnson, Pearl Hanson, Frances Mooney, and Messrs. William Ekland, Roland Kaiser, Porter Alexander, Lloyd Burg, Dean Coventry, Lawrence Bouyle, Arthur McMillan, Donald Paddack, Laird Goodman, Harvard Rockwell, Reynolds Suffel, Frank Boerner, Harold Burnett, Lawrence Jaques, Roy Pierce, Edward Mentzner, Archie Glass and Mac Washburn.

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Dr. and Mrs. N. B. McNulty of 2127 East Second street, have as their guest Mrs. McNulty's mother and sisters, Mrs. Wiggins, Mrs. Matson and Mrs. Buckland of Minneapolis.

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Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Thorpe and daughter of Hubert, Minn., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Dyer of Park Place.

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Mrs. Jennie Greene and son, Robert who were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Merritt for a month left today for their home at Kalamazoo, Mich.

Works on Theory That Right Living and Work Will Reform Criminals

MRS. BALLINGTON BOOTH.

Mrs. Ballington Booth is the wife of the head of the Volunteers of America and is the mainstay of the management of that organization. Mrs. Booth's greatest interest is in the reforming of criminals and she is the founder of Hope Farm, where criminals can find a home and where efforts are made to find work for them. Recently Mrs. Booth inherited a large sum of money which she announced she would devote to the reformatory.

Your Happiness and Others'

By ALVA ARMSTRONG.

A little thought will show you how vastly your own happiness depends on the way other people bear themselves toward you. The looks and tones at your breakfast table, the conduct of your fellow-workers or employers, the faithful or unreliable men you deal with, what people say to you on the street, the way your cook and housemaid do their work, the letters you get, the friends or foes you make—these things make up very much of the pleasures or miseries of your day.

Turn the idea around, and remember that just so much are you adding to the pleasure or the misery of other people's days. And this is half of the matter that you can control.

Whether any particular day shall bring to you more of happiness or suffering is largely beyond your power to determine. Whether each day of your life shall give happiness or suffering rests with yourself.

The naturally strong willed have grave need constantly to guard against the sin of tyranny, of overriding for their own pleasure or success, the personalities of those gathered about them. In the very name of affection the greatest injuries are sometimes wrought.

There are fathers and mothers, husbands and wives, and friends of every degree, who are not willing that those about them should have the opportunity to live their own lives. It is not less true that there is no condition of happiness in friendship so great as this same reverence for the person as such.

The heedless insistence that people shall be happy in the way in which you please, and not in their own way, may not always provoke rebellion, but it makes genuine happiness impossible.

There are some apparently smooth-running households that are smooth running not because the relations are what they ought to be, but simply because five people in the home have decided that the only way to have peace is to allow the sixth to have his own way.

And this sixth person may very likely think of himself as peculiarly devoted to the happiness of the other inmates of the house. But his standpoint is that he knows far better than any of them what is good for them, whether they like it or not.

He is able, thus, with good conscience, to maintain his intolerant self-will and at the same time to seem to himself devoted to the happiness of his household. These benevolent tyrants, who have a fully developed plan for every soul they meet, and are even ready to go to considerable lengths of self-sacrifice of a sort, if they meet, and are even ready to go to considerable lengths of self-sacrifice of a sort, if they may only be allowed t ocarry out their own plan, may well be reminded of those suggestive words of Charlotte Yonge, that none of us are likely to take too deeply to heart.

"It is a great thing to sacrifice; it is greater to consent not to sacrifice in one's own way."

Seek "the Silence"

By CARA REESE,

All truly great souls seek "the silence." When the sulky fit comes on and the feminine partner of your joys and sorrows "won't speak," you should be careful and tread the carpet as though on storage eggs.

All great souls seek "the silence." A few little souls get in now and then, but it is not at all likely that the one of whom you complain belongs to the shrivelled up persimmon type. Never try to make either a big soul or a little soul "speak" when it is determined not to. Only dogs are forced to "speak" and are disciplined for not so doing. Your whole policy is wrong; "the silence" is the most beneficial of remedies. It begins, as a wag in a current magazine says, with the "jellyfish" stage. If it can manfully or womanfully, swim up through the lukewarm vapors, to the ultimate progress, lo, behold, you have a real yogi in your midst! But rest assured that no woman has yet remained in "the silence" long enough to transcend that which is of the earth, earthy, or, in other words, an eye on the rest of the house and the bossing of things. Be patient and your partner will emerge from the gelatine and soft soap.

Just about the time you clumsily break one of the good teacups, or crunch a chair from its legs, or put your foot through the curtains, the "silence" will break and the probabilities are that you will need ear muffs? The "silence" is a foreign element to all real womankind. You need only to wait awhile and to get into mischief or do damage of some sort and the "silence" is scattered, there is a beating of fins and a gasping for fresh air and the real things.

A woman does not stay "great." This is where the trouble lies in all the cults and doctrines. She goes into the trance, but just about the time you think she is blinded to faults and misdemeanors, or, to crudeness and deception, that is the time you may look for an awakening. About the time you imagine she has stopped "speak-club agitation, that is the time you need ear protection. And about the time that you imagine there is peace and quiet in suffrage movements or in club agitation, that is th etime you are more likely to be shaken from your boots and routed from position.

The "silence" means a great soul—while it lasts. And take courage, for the yogi of your fireside will never be of womankind. No woman has ever been evolved to a plane beyond wishing; of hunger for bread, and finding bread there without a hand in the kneading, figuratively, if not in reality. No woman is there who might require hat, clothing and trimming and have these come running and filled perfectly without her skill in selection or bargaining. No woman is there who might enjoy the gratification of a sufficiency of all good merely in the inert sense and, without stirring tongue or foot. Be patient, man, the "silence" will end. Be patient, man, the "silence" yogi.

Hints For the Boudoir.

By MILDRED WYKOFF.

For Ugly Finger Nails.

"My finger nails are very crooked and irregular. Can I get them in proper shape again?" asks "Mart T."

You must learn not to neglect your nails or they will never look nice. After washing your hands, make a rule of pressing back the skin at the quick of the nails and then use a bone file or orange-wood stick to still further press them into their proper position. Cut the nails with proper scissors, rounding them off nicely, so that they will form a filbert shape.

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How to Cure Warts.

"I have several warts on my hands and should be happy if I could get rid of them. Can you help me?" asks "Flora."

To cure warts on the hands you will find castor oil one of the simplest and best remedies. Rub a little of the oil over them after washing the hands and also apply some at night. In a few days the warts will begin to dry up.

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Rough Skin and Its Remedy.

"I am going on a voyage, and whenever I take a trip the skin of my face becomes dry and afterwards peels. Will you tell me how to avoid this?" asks "Stella."

The only way to prevent this condition of the skin is to constantly apply a good skin food or cold cream to the face. First of all, bathe the face in fairly hot water, apply the cream and let it remain on for fifteen minutes; then wipe off with an old linen handkerchief and apply a little good face powder.

THE EVENING STORY

A GOOD HAUL

By George Hart.

It was noon of a brilliant, still day on the south coast of Louisiana. My partner heard a rapid crunching of feet on the dazzling shore of white shells marking Barataria bay. Then a shout, eager, tremulous, in German; then two burned and ragged boys of 18 came round the mangrove and rushed to Allen, with cries of joy.

They were almost unable to speak from thirst, and their feet were bleeding; but after Allen had offered them the contents of our canvas water bags, they crawled into the strip of shade and explained. Oscar did the talking and Paul kept his blue, teutonic eyes steadily on the red sail of a lugger that hung lifeless over the sunlit water miles down the shrimp platforms. They were afraid of that lugger, Paul explained. Only yesterday they had escaped from the old Etienne, the seine captain, and his Filipino-Chinese company, and they did not want to go back.

"No more shrimping" said Oscar. "We were just landed from New Orleans from a Bremer ship. We deserted to get out to Paul's sister in Kansas. Ach, if we could only get there. Gretchen and Hans, her man, says what money we could make. And we landed in New Orleans and on the quay a man asked us if we didn't want to fish for shrimp down in Barataria—he, too, tell what money a man could make."

"Shanghaied," said Allen, laughing. "I've been told of this before."

"Slaves," cried Oscar; "that's what we were."

"I know the game," said Allen. "Every man in the company has a share—the lugger is counted a share, and the seine a share, and the captain's wife a share for the cooking, a share for the steamer men, and against the catch is charged all the stake expenses. And old Etienne juggles the account to suit himself."

"And all the time," quavered Paul, "beans and bread—ach. Oscar and I, we jumped that camp last night."

"You don't say," retorted Allen, "that you spent the night in the swamp?"

Oscar nooded. We might have known by a single glance at them. Their faces and necks were swollen by mosquito bites as their tongues were with thirst. If they had known the hopelessness of getting away unaided they would never have plunged into that morass.

Back of our camp, near the scrub-oaks with their Spanish moss and the mangrove bushes, one of Etienne's seines was stretched to dry. The crew had landed only the day before and hung the 2,000 feet of grey net back and forth on the flimsy frame, its leads and floats sagging it to the shells. The marooned men were alarmed when we told them that it was the captain's, but we assured them the lugger would hardly come for it tonight. She was, in fact, becalmed miles away, and all the afternoon the German boys ate and slept in cur camp, after their tough twenty-four hours in the swamps.

At sunset Etienne's crew pulled the lugger with their oars far to the east. The castaways breathed easier.

Allen and I slept soundly in our tent; our friends slept under the big net. I was awakened by an exclamation and a fumbling at the flap. Oscar was there warning me in a scared voice.

"Someone's fooling round our camp," he whispered. "Paul's still asleep, but I heard noises in the shells, and went out. I crept along the net rack, and down by the little scrub oaks somebody was prowling about. I heard him in the trees."

We were sleepily inclined to stay in our blankets. But the German boy was scared, and shivering in the chill before dawn. So Allen and I crawled out, slapped a few mosquitoes from our necks and looked about. We could see the white patch under the seine marking the mosquito bar under which Paul slumbered in our blankets.

"Come on then," said Allen; "we'll see. Oscar, there's no boat about, so it's not your friend, Etienne."

"But I heard something sneaking up," affirmed Oscar. "It stopped when I went out, but it's there in the little oaks at the end of the seine drying-frame."

We went down to the oaks unarmed, and casually enough to ease the German boy's fears. The wilderness, indeed, to his town-bred and orderly mind, might have presented enough dangers with its black moccasins, alligators, sharks, giant gars and stingrays in its shallow bayous.

But when we had crunched along the narrow shell beach to the oak clump, there was a stirring in the bush, a clater of the dirt. We stopped and peered into the star-lit obscurity; then Allen threw a chunk of wood. And at that there was a scamper, a scratching up the largest of the oaks, and a dim form shot out of the branches. Allen started back.

"Wild cat!" he cried, "or maybe a coon. But lets get the gun."

"Some beast out of the jungle," I retorted.

Oscar, meanwhile, went nearer and looked up. Then he, too, hurled a chunk of driftwood up in the oak scrub. And at that there was another swift rush, and straight out from the other side of the tree a gray body short.

"Panther!" Allen and I yelled together. And our amazement at this moment was swallowed up in what followed, for the big cat, describing an arc in the air, came down on all fours squarely in old Etienne's mass of seine.

He crashed through the flimsy frame upon the shells, instinctively closing his claws in the meshes. The next instant he rebounded in a whirl, and came down again, jerking yards of the stuff over him. And the whole long frame collapsed just as we heard a howl from up the line. While we stood staring, the panther, which must have partially freed himself, charged up the line of net, sprang again, and alighting not twenty feet away from where Paul was fighting about in his bar and blankets under the seine.

When the place was reached the cat was on its back, kicking and tearing great holes in the net, only to find successive layers. Then it would jump and twist, growling. Paul, too, was rolled in yards of the sein, for the strugles of the panther drew it tight about the boy. Tear at it as we might, we could not get him out, and he, wildly yelling, could not understand what was the matter. Another convulsive leap of the panther landed him not two yards from us.

'Hold on," shouted Allen; "let me get the gun!" He dashed away for the camp. But meanwhile the fighting panther had dragged the sein to the edge of the water, and then another leap and twist sent him in. Paul, struggling to his feet in the shells, was hurled down also in the shallows, and Oscar and I dashed in to seize the seine, for we though surely that he would be drowned. But salt water had a surprising effect on the panther. The minute he was beyond his depth he ceased tearing at the net and struggled round in circle under it.

"Get the head line and twist them!" I shouted. 'Twist them hard and we'll tighten him in."

Paul had got his panic-stricken head out of the net at last. He could hardly comprehend our cries; but he seized the lead edges of the seine, and when Allen came up we were dragging a half-drowned but very big panther ashore. He lay breathing convuisively on the shells, and before he recovered from the water we got the heavy seine haul-ropes about his shoulders and hind quarters. The cat in fact, did not recover his fighting strength for hours, and then he was helpless.

When sunrise came we sat about the brute, near our campfire, all of us bruised, cut by shells and palmettoes, but with the prisoner safe. I never saw two such excited boys as the German fellows. And when Allen and I told them we would throw the panther into the launch and hurry him off to the city, where he surely could be sold for enough to pay them for the three months they had been marooned, they were the happiest castaways imaginable.

"Old Etienne's seine did make a haul for us after all, eh, Oscar?" cried the younger one.

"Ach, we get by Kansas now," shouted his friend. "Und Gretchen's farm, where her man'll pay us big in the harvest."

The next week, indeed, we saw them off bound for the promised land. A speculative commission man in New Orleans had given them $150 for the last catch in Etienne's shrimp net.

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WANTED—LAUNDRESS. 1902 EAST First street.

PERSONAL—HURRAH FOR CHRISTmas! Call up Zenith 1619-Y. Can furnish you any kind of a Christmas tree you want, any size, any price. Call us up.

WANTED — THREE AMBITIOUS salesmen to work Duluth and range country for large established jobbing house. Salary proposition. Address, stating age and references, Herald, W 372.

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BIRTHS.

MAGNUSON—A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. Magnuson of 1311 West First street, Dec. 13.

GUSTAFSON—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Gustafson of 1825 West Second street, Dec. 11.

BRAFF—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Braff of 1228 West Fifth street, Dec. 10.

YOUNGQUIST—A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Youngquist of 132 West Palmetto street, Dec. 12.

MOLINE—A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Moline at Mrs. Olson's hospital, Dec. 8.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

HENNESSEY—The body of Mrs. Elizabeth A. Hennessy, 39 years of age, who died yesterday morning at her home, 1729 West Second street, was shipped to Worcester, Mass., last evening for interment. At the time of her death she had been married but four months.

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DEFAULTED ON CONTRACT

The Government of Honduras Collected $10,000 as the Result.

Contractor Sues Duluth Firm for Failure to Snpply Equipment.

Claiming that the failure of the defendants to fulfill a contract with him caused him to forfeit $10,000 to the government of Honduras for non-completion of a contract within a specified time, Luther M. Fairbanks of Mansfield, Ill., has filed suit in United States court against M. Zalk, H. Y. Josephs and Louis Zalk, doing business under the firm name of the Duluth Iron & Metal company, for that sum and $6,054.58, the difference between notes given the defendants and the value of the goods delivered.

In his complaint, which was filed today, Mr. Fairbanks sets forth that early in 1909 he secured a contract for the construction of a railroad for the government of Honduras and put up a forfeit of $10,000, which was to go to the government if he failed to complete his contract during August, 1910.

Aug. 31, 1909, he alleged, J. J. Frey, acting as his agent, with the knowledge of the defendants, entered into a contract with them for the purchase of rails, cars and other equipment to be used in construction work. He alleges that the defendants understood the terms of his contract with the government of Honduras and the consequent necessity for speedy delivery. He alleges six weeks would have been a reasonable time for delivery.

At the time Mr. Fry closed the contract notes indorsed by Mr. Fairbanks were given for the sum of $10,000. Mr. Fairbanks alleges that the defendants delivered $3,945.42 worth of the goods ordered and promised to deliver the remainder from time to time until it was too late to have an order filled elsewhere. In consequence, he alleges, he was unable to complete his contract in the specified time and the sum of $10,000 was forfeited. He alleges that the defendants disposed of the notes to a third party.

He asks that the defendants be held responsible for the forfeiture and that he be reimbursed for the amount of the notes outstanding.

CITY BRIEFS

Duluth-Made Books.
Thwing-Stewart Co., Phone 114.

Saloon Fight Costs $3.

Hans Hanson and John Crowley, woodsmen, were arrested last evening on a charge of fighting. They and two others were mixing it in a saloon when arrested. The other two ran away. The two who stood their ground pleaded guilty and got off with $3 or three days.

Hotel Is Raided.

Four people were arrested in the Nicollet hotel on Superior street between Fifth and Sixth avenues west early this morning by Patrolmen Walsh, Wright and Youngberg on statutory charges. They forfeited $15 bail each in police court this morning. They gave their names as William Johnson, Walter Scott, Bell Randall and Dorothy Rogers.

Election of Officers.

At 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon the members of the Willis A. Gorman post, G. A. R., will meet in Memorial hall at the courthouse for their annual election of officers.

For Preservation of Trees.

A meeting of those interested in preventing the cutting of Christmas trees and evergreens inside the city limits has been called for this evening at the office of Little & Nolte in the Exchange building. It is stated that the vandals who run to this practice have already started operations. Property owners who have interests at stake are especially urged to attend tonight's meeting.

To Follow Duluth Plan.

Mrs. W. C. Saterfield of Cartersville, Ga., has written a letter to the mayor asking for information relative to the sanitary drinking fountains which she saw in the parks when she was visiting here last summer. She wishes to know where she can secure them to install them in local parks and schools. The sanitary fountains appealed to her instantly and she believes that they are a great improvement over the old drinking cup.

Deserter Surrenders.

Thomas Glazier, 30 years old, gave himself up to the local recruiting officers yesterday, claiming that he is a deserter from Uncle Sam's fighting forces. He was taken to the police station to be held until he is sent East.

Not Guilty of Assault.

Axel Thorenson, arrested several days ago on a charge of assaulting Laura Bendz, was found guilty after a trial in police court yesterday afternoon. At the time of the arrest the woman claimed to the officer that Thorenson had beaten her. She did not sustain this claim in court yesterday afternoon.

Was Sweeping Wheat.

Aron Nordeen pleaded guilty to trespass in police court yesterday afternoon and got $10 and costs or ten days. A special officer of the Northern Pacific claimed that he was sweeping wheat in the railroad yards.

Looking for Daughter.

Morris Smith of Frederick, S. D., is looking for his daughter, Miss Anne Smith, who is believed to be in Duluth. He has left some money for her in the hands of Attorney Charles V. McCoy.

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PERSONAL

Mrs. David J. Sinclair of Minneapolis, is in the city for the holidays, the guest of her sister Miss Jennie Moody of 1220½ East First street.

Thomas Hughes of Grand Rapids is at the St. Louis.

S. Lekver of Hibbing is a guest at the St. Louis.

I. J. Carmichael of Virginia is at the St. Louis.

J. C. Johnson of Cloquet is registered at the St. Louis.

O. R. Kniter of Cloquet is at the St. Louis.

J. V. L. Hillpot of Westhope N. D., is at the Spalding.

G. A. McDonald of Minneapolis is a guest at the Spalding.

W. A. Foster and H. T. Van Riper of Seatle are guests at the Spalding.

S. C. Stevens and Miss Jessie Stevens of Coleraine are guests at the Lenox.

George W. Lyman of Streeter N. D., is at the Lenox.

George T. Neinn and Otto Kangas of Biwabik are registered at the Lenox.

G. A. Horn of Chippewa Falls is at the Lenox.

J. H. Bryan of Two Harbors is a guest at the McKay.

Lars Bunde and wife of Deer River are guests at the McKay.

Misses Maud Grant and Rose Schrate of Hibbing are in the city, guests at the Holland.

T. M. Madden of Virginia is at the Holland.

W. J. Power of Hibbing is registered at the Holland.

TWENTY-SIX MEN ARE ENTOMBED

Twenty-Two Are Reported Dead in Virginia Coal Mine.

Norton, Va., Dec. 14.—Twenty-six men were entombed by an explosion in the Greene mine of the Bond Coal company, near Tacoma, at 9 o'clock this morning. Latest reports indicate that twenty-two of the entombed miners are dead.

The explosion was caused by a quantity of gas becoming ignited in the workings of the mines.

OBITUARY

T. J. Navin, for many years a picturesque figure in Republican affairs in Michigan, died suddenly at his home in Detroit, Dec. 13. He was 54 years old.

James Morgan, formerly a wealthy Milwaukee merchant and Democratic candidate for governor of Wisconsin in 1888, died in apparent poverty in a rooming house in Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 14. He was born in 1841.

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NEW YEARS EVE
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COPPERS STRONGER; MARKET LISTLESS

Values Advance When There Is No Pressure---Outlook Is Dull.

The copper market today was stronger. There was no pressure and values gradually firmed. There was little news of interest and holiday apathy reigned. There is little reason to expect anything else than a quiet market for the remainder of the week. The range today was small and it is not likely that it will vary much the rest of the week. There is no news on which stocks are liable to advance, appreciably while there is plenty of bear news in sight. It has been fairly well discounted, however, so it is not likely that there will be any developments in the immediate future to turn the market sharply one way or the other.

The market is not depressed over the possible appointment of a tariff commission to revise tariff schedules. The fact that the tariff will be revised piecemeal does not indicate that there will be any changes at this session. Congress is less of a market factor than usual. Business developments, however, are paramount in interest and will be watched closely.

Any pronounced contraction in business would result in lower prices for stocks. Prospects indicate a quieting down in business circles after the turn of the year. If there is any expansion it should appear after Jan. 31, when money will be more plentiful and business interests will begin to lay plans for active development in the new year. At present there are no indications of such an expansion. The fact that bankers predict easy money after January disbursements, aside from the easiness usually caused by the automatic release of money, indicates that they expect trade recessions.

The local market was dull and featureless. American Saginaw sold at $1.68¾, Denn at $3.93¾, Shattuck at $23.75, Amazon at $1.50, Butte & Superior, old, at 75c, 76c and 78c, Calumet & Montana at 78c and 75c, Calumet & Corbin at 20c, Cliff at $1.75, Keating at 87c.

Amalgamated sold at $63 to $62.87½ to $63.87½ to $63.75, Butte Ballaklava at $6.75 to $6.62½, Butte Coalition at $13.75 to $19.25, Greene at $7, Superior & Pittsburg at $14, North Butte at $29.50, $29.25 and $29.75, Shattuck at $24.25 $24.50 and $24.25, Calumet & Arizona at $49.50 to $50.25 to $49.75.

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Practically all of the $3,000,000 of 6 per cent convertible ten-year bonds of the Ray Consolidated Copper company, subscriptions for which have closed, was subscribed for by the stockholders. The bonds are convertible into stock at $20 per share. The proceeds of the sale will be used for providing working capital, completing underground development work, mine equipment and mill and smelter construction.

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A wire from Boston to Paine, Webber & Co. said: "The subject which caused the most discussion at the last meeting of the Copper Producers' association was the discrepancy of the current year to date between the government reports of copper exports and the producers' exports.

"At the present time the producers have reported about 20,000,000 more pounds of copper exported than has the government. An accountant will probably be sent to Washington to examine the government methods of tabulation, check up the figures and find out if possible the reasons for the discrepancy."

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Closing quotations on the Duluth Stock Exchange follow:

Listed Stocks—	Bid	Asked
American Saginaw	1⅝	1¾
Butte Coalition	19¼	19½
Butte-Alex. Scott pt pd.	....	2
do full paid	4	4½
Butte-Ballaklava	6¾	7
Calumet & Arizona	50	50½
Coctus Development	18	24
Copper Queen	16c	....
Cordova, part paid	....	50c
do full paid	....	25c
Denn-Arizona	3⅞	4
Duluth & Moctezuma	....	2
Giroux Consolidated	6¾	7
Greene-Cananea	7	7¼
Keweenaw	3⅛	3⅜
Live Oak Development	23	24
North Butte	29½	29¾
Ojibway	6	6½
Red Warrior	1⅜	1½
Savanna, part paid	....	1¾
do full paid	....	4⅝
Shattuck-Arizona	23¾	24¾
Superior & Pittsburg	14	14¼
Warren Development	....	1¾
Warrior Development	....	5½
Amazon Montana	1⅜	1¾
Black Mountain	....	15c
Bute & Ely	75c	....
Butte & Superior	7⅜	7⅝
do old	75c	80c
Calumet & Montana	76c	....
Calumet & Corbin	18c	25c
Calumet & Sonora	8½	9
Carman Cons.	....	80c
Chief Cons.	1⅜	1⅝
Cliff	1¾	1⅞
Duluth Toroda	....	75c
Elenita Development	....	6
Keating Gold	85c	90c
Mowitza	....	65c
North American	2⅛	2⅜
Rawhide Royal	....	2c
Summit	....	65c
San Antonio	....	5¼
St. Mary's	....	18c
Sierra	1⅛	2⅛
Toulumne	4½	4⅞
Vervilion Steel & Iron	2	....

Total number of shares, 1,686.

FOR THE MERE MAN:

The stamp case for carrying in the waistcoat pocket will prove an acceptable little present for a man and should be made in two pieces, the upper portion holding the stamps being slightly smaller in size than the other part of the case, into which it may be slipped. The case can be made from any small remnants of silk, and when complete it should measure not more than two inches by one and a half. The back portion of each part should be stiffened with a piece of thin cardboard, and an ordinary visiting card cut to the size required will answer the purpose very well. A small loop of narrow ribbon is sewed in the center of the upper part of the case by which it may be pulled from the lower part when a stamp is required. The sketch so clearly shows the nature of this little article that further description is scarcely necessary.

Fine Linen for the Holidays

Handkerchiefs surpassing any we have yet shown. The values are never disappointing. Fine initials—$1.50 and $3.00, box of six. Plain, 3 for 50c up to $3.00 each.

NEW ARRIVALS TODAY

Extra Quality—
LEATHER SHIRT BAGS,
HANDKERCHIEF CASES,
COLLAR BAGS.

CRAVATS—Beautiful Persians, Swiss, figured satin, and Keiser's famous Baratheas, in all shades—50c up.

LADIES, Shop Early! Our experienced salesmen will be better able to serve you.

A. B. Siewert & Co.
304 WEST SUPERIOR STREET.

BIG REDUCTION SALE
On Suits and Overcoats
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Large Assortment in Holiday Suggestions for Gift Buyers

See our window display—25 PER CENT OFF on all BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S

Suits, Overcoats, Etc.

ALL GOODS BOUGHT HERE CAN BE EXCHANGED ANY TIME AFTER THE HOLIDAYS OR YOUR MONEY BACK—JUST AS YOU LIKE.

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405-407 West Superior St., Duluth.

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LODGES ELECT NEW OFFICERS

West Duluth Societies Are Holding Their Annual Meetings.

West Duluth lodges and fraternal organizations are holding their annual meetings this month, electing new officers for 1911 and winding up the business of the past year. A number of the societies have already held elections and are now planning for installation ceremonies.

West Duluth Tent, No. 2, Knights of the Maccabees, Tuesday evening elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Past commander, R. J. Gundry; commander, C. E. Eaton; lieutenant commander, J. Kroll; record keeper, O. Buell; finance keeper, O. Buell; chaplain, J. McDonald; sergeant, S. C. Onsgard; physicians, Graham & Keyes; master-at-arms, D. Larine; first master of guard, L. Waters; second master of guard, C. Lowe; sentinel, C. Kilby; picket, S. Frank.

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Court West Duluth of the Independent Order of Foresters this week chose the following officers for the coming year: P. C. R., A. A. Campbell; C. R., W. M. Everson; V. C. R., John Peterson; R. C., A. R. Armstrong; financial secretary, L. Christensen; treasurer, W. W. Roberts; orator, H. C. Brown; S. W., Charles Zell; J. W., A. Lund; S. B., Charles Mathews; J. B., George O'Brien; trustees, Charles Zell and Charles Mathews; finance committee, H. C. Brown and A. A. Campbell; court physician, Dr. Robert Graham; organist, William Little; superintendent of juvenile court, Charles J. Petruschke.

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The Improved Order of Red Men, West Duluth lodge, met last evening and elected the following officers for 1911: Sachem, T. Fitzgibbons; senior sagamore, William Krause; junior sagamore, Charles Zell; prophet, F. Kersten; trustee for three years, M. Velie; trustee for one year, J. E. Foubister; collector of wampum, Ed Sugars; keeper of wampum, J. C. Rasbottom. The new officers will be installed Tuesday, Jan. 3. It is expected that Thomas J. McKeon, great sachem, will be present at the installation.

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Old Hickory camp, No. 1555, Modern Woodmen of America, will meet this evening for its annual election of officers.

West Duluth lodge, No. 145, Ancient Order of United Workmen, will hold its annual election this evening at the West Duluth Commercial club rooms. All members are expected to be in attendance.

NEW FACTORIES FOR WEST DULUTH

Three New Industries Will Be Added to Growing List.

At least three new industries seem assured for West Duluth for next year, according to rumors which have been persistent in realty circles during the past few weeks.

The new concerns which will locate on factory sites at West Duluth are said to be a pump works, an iron and metal repair factory, and a box manufacturing company.

It is understood that the Osborn Pump Works of Virginia will establish a plant in West Duluth and that negotiations have been completed through a West Duluth land concern for a site near the Transfer tracks and the Imperial Iron works. The Osborne plant at Virginia now employs about fifty men and is taxed to its capacity. In branching out, it has selected West Duluth for the site for its new and larger plant.

It is also understood that the Duluth Iron & Metal company will establish a branch at West Duluth on a site near the place to be occupied by the pump works. This plant will repair machinery and remodel equipment used in the iron industry.

The new box factory, it is said, will be located on Traverse street, between Forty-second and Forty-third avenues west, where a fifty-foot frontage has been purchased by those who are back of the company. The factory will cost about $15,000, and will employ about forty men. Peter L. Berke, former foreman at the Petruschke Box factory is president of the company.

WILL GIVE SERIES OF CHURCH LECTURES.

A series of lectures will be held this winter at Merritt Memorial M. E. church, Forty-sixth avenue west and Halifax street.

Friday evening, Rev. M. S. Rice, pastor of the First M. E. church of Duluth will lecture on "My Rambles." It will be illustrated with stereoptican views taken from photographs, secured by Mr. Rice himself. He will tell of his trip from Cairo to Jerusalem and from Athens to Rome last summer.

In January Rev. W. R. Palmer of Biwabik will lecture on "Ben Hur" and in February Rev. Andrew Gillies, pastor of the Hennepin Avenue M. E. church of Minneaoolis will be heard. In March, it is planned to have a concert by local talent.

With the Curlers.

Macauley will meet Keyes this evening in the semi-finals of the Hurst event and the winner will play Wade in the finals at the West Duluth curling rink, Fifty-seventh avenue west and Bristol street.

Last evening, two games were played in the Esterly event, Olson losing to Scott, 15 to 10 and Iltis winning from Wade, 8 to 7. This evening in this event Wade's Kids will meet Olson; Holland will play Buckley, and Evered will meet Iltis.

West Duluth Briefs.

A gift that never fails to please is a kodak. We carry a full line; also supplies. Spencer Pharmacy company.

Buy your Christmas gifts at Keefe's Toggery closing out sale.

Watch repairing. Hurst, West Duluth.

Mrs. A. L. Bishop of 420 North Fifty-seventh avenue west has gone to Minneapolis, where she has been called on account of the death of her mother, Mrs. Carrie Emerson.

Mrs. Robert Y. Dunn of Cromwell, Minn., has as her guest Miss Ida Morse of Cromwell, Minn.

Mrs. George Gemache, who sustained a fractured leg last week by a fall on a slippery sidewalk, is reported to be recovering at her home on North Fifty-seventh avenue west.

For rent—two furnished rooms; all conveniences. 217 South Fifty-sixth avenue west.

The choir of Elim Swedish Lutheran church, Fifty-sixth avenue west and Elinor street is making preparations for a special Christmas program and is rehearsing for the occasion.

George Wilmont of 327 North Sixtieth avenue west has complained to the West Duluth police that the boys of the neighborhood have made a skating rink in a vacant lot at 5911 Bristol street and states that they flood not only the rink but also the sidewalks, making the passage difficult and dangerous for pedestrians.

Mock trial, Victor hall, Friday night, Dec. 16.

Mrs. Joseph Page of 311 North Fifty-sixth avenue west is reported to be ill at her home.

H. B. Hammerstein of St. Paul was a West Duluth business visitor today.

Mrs. T. F. Olson entertained this afternoon for the missionary societies of the Plymouth Congregational church at her home, 522 North Fifty-sixth avenue west.

The Simplest Fan Bag.

Just to throw together in a hurry and yet to accomplish the most dashy and effective of presents, here is one of the most fascinating of fan bags for the young girl party goer or for the matron who never stirs without her fan.

It is merely a finished strip of Chinese embroidery on satin, the kind ripped from a royal mandarin's old jacket and sold in our country as a curio. The embroidered strips run to blues and yellows and are about thirty inches long. Double one together, wrong side out, and fell the sides with perfect stitches. Face the top with its least obtrusive color in a plain satin or china silk, draw the bag with ribbons of its darker shade run through a casing and put the fan inside or not, according to the dictates of your conscience or your purse.

For Soiled Handkerchiefs.

A handkerchief bag is fashioned from half a fringed towel twenty-three inches long and twelve inches wide. This is first embroidered in with small flowers, such as violets or forgetmenots. Damp and iron on the wrong side, then sew it up and stitch across the bottom. The hoop at the top is half of an embroidery frame six inches in diameter, which is hemmed in by hand. To suspend it use inch wide satin ribbon.

REWARD

$10.00 will be paid for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person, who cuts, injures or removes any evergreen tree or shrub from property inside the city limits of Duluth, without permission of the owner.

HENRY NOLTE, Secretary,
Property Owners' Association.

A Striking Exposition of

WATCH CHAINS

At Henricksen's!

The most comprehensive exposition of high-grade watch chains and fobs in the history of this store is now ready for your inspection. Never before has such a varied collection been assembled in this city. The stock includes beautiful effects in hammered curbs, Boston links, (in square, fancy and round,) rope and cable chains, California nugget and ship's cable chains—and a dozen other splendid varieties. The styles are double-breasted and single chains, Valdemar, Waldorf and lapel chains. They range in price from $5 to $50. Signet and monogram fobs to order—at $10 to $50. The entire collection comprises the most exclusive designs at the price of the commonplace.

Henricksen Jewelry Co.
332 West Superior Street.
UNDER THE CHIMES.

CHRISTMAS IN GLASGOW

GLASGOW, the commercial metropolis of Scotland, with its well nigh million inhabitants, can be chosen as an interesting illustration of the manner in which one-fourth of the country spend the holidays, says the Brooklyn Eagle. Many days before the store fronts on Argyll street—a thoroughfare as busy as any in the land—are gayly and profusely decorated with holly and evergreens. Above nearly every entrance signs of welcome and the compliments of the season are exhibited in holly leaves. On Christmas eve the stores keep open late. Either side of the thoroughfare is a mass of blazing, cheerful light. and there is a moving mass of humanity between. But when the stores close they close until boxing day. All the working people now get their Christmas holiday.

On Christmas forenoon the lord provost or mayor presides at the annual meeting and breakfast given by the directors at the royal infirmary. His lordship makes a speech, after which there is a distribution of good things to all the patients in the large institution. Then he visits sundry other institutions for the care of the sick and poor, where there are Christmas treeing and feasting. By the way, Christmas day is one of the lord provost's busiest days. At 2 o'clock, according to annual custom for years past, he presides at the annual dinner given to from 5,000 to 6,000 poor men, women and children in the city hall, Albion street. His lordship and the city magistrates occupy the stage and take dinner with the poor. During the repast, which consists of soup, beef, an entree, stirring Scotch airs are played on the big organ, by the city organist. At the close his lordship makes a speech, which is reported verbatim in the newspapers. It is usually a masterly production.

Outwardly the aspect of the city resembles that of Sunday. Nevertheless thousands of people are moving about. The myriad of riverters in the miles of shipbuilding yards along the Clyde have come to the city with their wives and families and are attending the matinees or evening pantomime performances that have already been running. These pantomimes are a feature of city life in Scotland during the winter. Usually three open at the big theaters in Glasgow Christmas eve. They are rehearsed for weeks before. The playwright usually chooses as his theme a fairy tale. "Jack the Giant Killer," "Ali Baba and the Forty Thieves" and "Aladdin and the Wonderful Lamp" have been favorite themes. As a rule, the playwright retains enough of the tale so that the young folks can recognize the characters, but taken altogether the production becomes really a dramatic burlesque of local life and character, interesting, entertaining and even elevating to old and young. Actors and actresses of renown take the leading parts, while there are dazzling costumes, magnificent scenery and a gorgeous ballet thrown in. No wonder it is that often until the middle of spring the pantomimes enjoy a continuous run. Latterly they become in a sense classics, for their libretti undergo weekly improvement at the suggestion of local wits noted for the pungency of their sayings and the fund of dry Scotch humor they possess. It is no exaggeration to say that these pantomimes are visited by some persons each night all the season through and by others fully a score of times.

Then there is the usual exodus of young men to the country at Christmastide. It is a common saying among Scotchmen that all roads lead to London. This is changed to Glasgow in some cases. There is scarcely a family of note in the Highlands that has not a son at the universities of Glasgow or Edinburgh studying for the professions of law, medicine, the pulpit, the army or the home or foreign civil service. With what hope and pride the advent of the young student is looked for at the little railroad station up in the mountains on Christmas eve or morning! If he lives on an estate the next day he is given a side by his rustic countrymen in their annual Christmas day football match. The game is usually a stoutly contested one, umpired and refereed by the laird and heads of the estate. At the corner of the field is placed a cask of good Scotch ale, from which the players regale themselves at half time. Then the game resumes, and the second half is fast and furious. Around the ropes are the young women of the estate looking on with pleasure and discussing their choices in the dance list of the evening.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS FOR BUSINESS MEN

A FITTED kit bag — what man doesn't long for one? There is no risk to be run for a woman buying one of these traveling necessities if she goes to a reliable shop—no such risk as in purchasing cigars, neckties and the like.

One kit bag to be found in the stores is in English russet leather and is sheep lined and fitted with ebony military brushes, comb and whisp, hook, file and scissors, flask and toothbrush tube, tooth powder bottle, soap box and cologne flask, with fine nickel tops. Fitted it costs $35 and unfitted $19. Cheaper bags are, of course, to be had that answer the same purpose, but they are not nearly so good looking.

Cannon to Hold Cigars.

The woman in search of a useful Christmas gift for husband or brother need not ponder further if the man to be pleased is a smoker.

Some attractive articles in brass answer the question for her. One of these represents a mortar mounted on a gun carriage. It is eight inches in length, six in height, and by means of the sturdy wheels can be conveniently moved around the table where several are enjoying the fragrant weed together. The mouth of the cannon is designed to hold cigars, while elsewhere are attached match safe and ash receiver.

Another new arrival worth describing is a well made brass box for cigars or cigarettes, according to the size of the box selected. There is a drawer in the bottom divided off into compartments for matches, etc. This is mechanically connected with the lid, so that when the former is raised the latter slides out of itself, closing mechanically too. In the cigar size this box costs $10. A smaller one, for cigarettes, sells at $3.

Comfort for the Weary Man.

When the business man gets home at night after a hard day's work the first thing he wants is a good dinner, the next a good cigar, and probably the third move will be toward the couch for forty winks before he is wide awake enough to hear about the cook who, etc., and the children's naughty ways, etc. So give him a cushion for his weary head to rest upon. Stencilled designs on tapestry, linen or leather are much admired. There should be no fussiness about a man's cushion, and don't make it at home, for the shops are full of attractive cushions that are as cheap as any woman can make.

For the Average Man.

If the lawyer of the family needs a new brief case get him one for Christmas. Shaving stands are fine presents for men who shave themselves. Handy bill folds may be bought from 50 cents up. Riding crops for the man who rides horseback, playing cards of some odd design or a cribbage board are all fine things to give the masculine sex.

Silk slumber robes or bathrobes make useful presents, and a half dozen initial handkerchiefs with the new, slim drop letters are not to be overlooked.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS FOR SWEETHEARTS

IT is always much easier to choose an acceptable present for a woman than for a man, the needs of the sterner sex being more limited and practical utility being favored rather than mere decorativeness in all those things of which they are prepared to make use with any pretense of pleasure. The man who smokes will be genuinely pleased if some one presents him this Christmas with one of the new tobacco cases in whose silver shelter fourteen little cartridges of the fragrant and favorite weed are compactly stowed away and accompanied by a filler which, without any of the usual trouble or untidiness, adjusts the contents of the beloved pipe.

For the automobilist or for the man who travels—indeed, for the smoker everywhere—this little gift is just the thing he'll want.

When Gift Hunting.

For exquisite, the book lover and the traveler in one, whether man or woman, a gift par excellence would be a beautiful book rack of rare wood with much fine inlaid work, which comes from Florence. Birds and scrolls in intricate designs are deftly shown in woods of varying hues. For the man or woman bridge fiend there are bridge score pads supplied with covers of Chinese embroidery. Belt pins and buckles are welcome offerings.

Give Her a Placque.

If you give your best girl a pendant she will be charmed, but should you select the latest ornament from gay Paree, "la placque," she will love you better than ever, for it's the smartest thing we've had in jewelry for many moons.

This novelty is a round medallion about the size of a silver dollar and is of platinum or silver, but never of gold. Pearls, gold or colored stones are incrusted on the surface, and delightful color combinations are secured by enamels.

The little ornament is worn around the neck suspended on a fine gold chain or a narrow velvet ribbon with jeweled slides.

The Smart Vanity Set.

All girls like dangling trinkets, and here's an invention that is both swagger and convenient. It consists of a number of toilet accessories made of solid gold or silver dangling from a bracelet. These include, lip salve holder, coin purse, powder box and eyebrow pencil. To these is sometimes added for the very up to date girl a cigarette case, with, of course, a tiny receptacle for matches. These sets won't do for the nervous woman, for their jangling and tinkling are very pronounced as the wearer walks.

The Walking Stick Again.

There are years when the walking stick is not carried by men, but this is not an off season, so why not buy the man a stunning stick of meerschaum wood with the ever popular straight handle tipped with silver on which the monogram of the prospective owner is engraved?

A Lawyer's Bag.

One hears it at every turn, "Men are so difficult to buy for." And it is the Christmas present for Bob, Jack or Tom that some devoted woman is hunting. If she were just once to get away from the idea of "frivols" the road would be straighter and she might walk right up to the very thing she seeks—for instance, a lawyer's bag made of dark bottle green kersey cloth, exactly the size of the old one, unless there has been complaint of its awkward proportions.

These bags usually are drawn up with mohair braid, two strings of it, and the ends sewed together by a flat lapping process, admitting of easy pulling open and shut. Neither bows nor knots are allowable, and in order to insure the easy working of this convenient gift the casing must be of generous width.

You haven't read all of today's news that's important to you until you've read the ads.

GREAT $15 OVERCOAT SALE AT THE BIG DULUTH!

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For Christmas Gifts

EVERYTHING for men, women and children in up-to-date wearing apparel. That is our Christmas announcement, and if you want to give useful gifts, there is nothing better than our guaranteed clothing.

But the best point of all is this:—you don't need cash. Open a Christmas account and pay us in small convenient sums.

ASKIN & MARINE CO.

No. 20 — — 3rd Ave. W.
OPEN EVENINGS MONDAYS AND SATURDAYS

Get the First Choice and Shop Early.

"WHERE VALUES REIGN SUPREME"
STACK & CO.
21-23 WEST SUPERIOR STREET.

Your dollars do a double duty here in buying your Holiday purchases.

A Wealth of Holiday Suggestions

That Are Novel, New and Seasonable

Holiday Goods

A grand selection. Get the first choice and shop early.

Men's Ties, one each in box—75c to	25c
Men's Suspenders in box —$1.00 to	25c
Men's Combination Sets $2.00 to	59c
Men's Mufflers from $2.50 to	25c
Men's Hose, half dozen in box—$1.50 and	$2.00

Some "Clean-Up" Bargains in

Underwear & Sweaters

Men's $2.50 Wool Union Suits at	$1.39
Men's $1.50 Ribbed Shirts and Drawers at	$1.00
Men's 75c Lambsdown Shirts and Drawers at	50c
Women's $3.50 Globe Mills Union Suits—special at	$2.50
Women's $3.00 Globe Mills Union Suits—special at	$2.00
Women's $1.75 Globe Mills Vests and Pants—special at	$1.50
Women's $1.25 Globe Mills Vests and Pants—special at	$1.00
Men's Sweaters up to $2.00—your choice	98c
Men's Sweaters up to $4.00—your choice	$1.98
Men's Sweaters up to $5.00—your choice	$2.50
Women's Coats, fancy knit, in gray, caracul and white—$3.00 values at	$1.50

CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS in Ladies' Hand Bags, Silver Mesh Bags, Silver Mounted Military Sets, Hair Receivers, Jewel Cases, Fancy Combs, beautiful Hat Pins, Toilet Sets, Cigar Cases, Traveling Cases, fancy Hose Supporters, and a bewildering and beautiful line of stationery.

Also a Beautiful Selection of Christmas Handkerchiefs, Mufflers, Leather Goods, Art Needle Wrok, Fancy Pillow Tops, Battenberg and drawn Linen Pieces of exquisite designs, and Ladies' Neckwear and Jewelry, in a great wealth of assortment.

Holiday Dress Goods Leaders

36-inch Storm Serge for children's school wear, all colors, including black and cream-white, at per yard	49c
42-inch all-wool Imported Batiste Goods, you can wash. Colors brown, medium and light old rose, Alice blue, navy blue, heliotrope, cream, white and black. Regular values 85c—special per yard	69c
42-inch all-wool Imported Imperial French Serge. They came in 12 new fall colorings; also black and cream-white—at per yard	75c
Imported German Bath Robing for holiday trade, all new designs — a large assortment to choose from—regularly sold at 39c.—special per yard	33c
40 pieces, all new designs in Imported Velours for kimonos and dressing sacques—at per yard 15c, 12½c and	10c
27-inch Scarfing and Muffler Silk, with Persian border, guaranteed to wash. Regular value 50c. Special per yard	39c
27-inch Black Peau de Soie, extra special for gentlemen's Mufflers—special at per yard	$1.00

In Ready-to-Wear Department

A great variety of beautiful and useful Christmas gifts for women, misses and children.

Handsome Tailored Suits, nifty Dresses, new Waists, dainty Muslin Underwear, handsome stylish Coats, Silk, Heatherbloom and Cotton Petticoats; Corsets in all the leading brands; Walking Skirts in the latest styles; Long Kimonos and Dressing Sacques; dainty Christmas Aprons; rich Furs, in sets and separate pieces. A few extra specials mentioned:

Long Kimonos—In extra good quality crepe; magnificent, rich Oriental designs; very special for	$3.25
Persian Silk Waists—Very handsome; six distinct styles as Christmas specials, choice	$3.95
Beautiful New Lawn Linen and Lingerie Waists—One lot in 12 distinct styles; values up to $2.00, for	98c
Eiderdown Robes—In finest quality material; handsomely trimmed with satin; red, gray, pink and blue; magnificent values at	$4.50
Blanket Robes—Heavy, well made and handsomely trimmed; beautiful new designs, for	$3.95
Silk Petticoats—in a beautiful quality silk; all shades and black; large assortment; value to $6.50, choice	$3.98

HAS ABANDONED THE DUNELM

Capt. Featherstone of Wrecked Boat Is in Fort William.

Fort William, Ont., Dec. 14.—Capt. Featherstone of the steamer Dunelm, which went on the rocks at the north end of Isle Royale, is here today, having abandoned the steamer to the underwriters.

The vessel's nose is submerged and her decks are awash. She is loaded with wheat and flour for Goderich, Ont., and as her hold is full of water, the damage, which is estimated at $100,000, will be left for the underwriters to adjust

CLAIMS CHICAGO GETS WORST END

Legg Tells Commerce Commission About Rates From Duluth.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—"Ex-lake" freight rates were up for a hearing today before Interstate Commerce Commissioner Prouty. The Chicago Board of Trade complained of the rates charged by railroads from Eastern lake ports to seaboard or Eastern consuming points on grain shipped part way by water.

"The railroads," charged Chester A. Legg, for the Board of Trade, "fix a rate far in excess of that charged in other parts of the country for the same haul, just to retaliate on shippers who desire to take advantage of the lower water rate from Duluth or Chicago or Milwaukee to Buffalo. As a result of the high rates thus charged by some thirty railroads, Chicago is rapidly being made an all-rail point, whereas its location on the lake and its opportunity for a harbor should make it a greater water shipping point."

SWEARS TO COMPLAINT AGAINST AGENT.

Following the allegations of Joe Zareck and Fred Baker, that they had been sent to the woods under false pretenses by the National Employment company, Walter F. Dacey, city prosecuting attorney, this morning drew a complaint against G. S. Richards of the National Employment company, charging him with violating the employment ordinance. The complaint was sworn to by the interpreter.

The complaint states that Richards failed to comply with the provisions of the ordinance in that he didn't have his books kept properly. It is claimed that the order which he had from Hagstrom Bros., to whose camp the two men, accompanied by others, were sent, did not state the number of men he was to hire.

"Under an order of that kind he could keep on sending an unlimited number of men to the camp," was the comment of Prosecutor Dacey, when asked relative to the case in question this afternoon.

GRAIN COMMISSION RATE IS UNCHANGED.

Chicago Dec. 14.—The Chicago Board of Trade today voted against a proposition to raise the rate of commission on grain sales. The present rate, which will stand, is $1.25 per 1,000 bushels. An effort was made to raise this to $2 per 1,000 bushels. This lost by a vote of 618 to 341.

A Brush of Velvet.

For the wearer of the silk hat, whether he be father or grandfather, there may be made by one of the little ones at home a soft pillow of plush.

Plush will make a better hat smoother than velvet and, whether it be of soft blue, of glaring scarlet, of vivid purple or merely a quiet gray, will depend on father's taste—on his previous expressions as to color. Some men want the brightest, others the dullest tones possible, but few of them want those shades that lie between.

When finished the plush pad will measure three inches by six, and it is filled with cotton to a desirable softness and pliability, but not stuffed.

CHRISTMAS IDEAS FOR THE TABLE

RED is the Christmas color, and the more vivid a table is the more appropriate. Formerly the tone was given by holly and red ribbon, but lately the poinsettia has superseded everything.

If possible have a huge mass of the natural flowers in the middle of the table. These look lovely when arranged in one of the miniature peach baskets to be had at the florist's, gilded if desired. The effect is heightened by having a bunch of poinsettia at each plate.

If one cannot afford the real flowers or but a few of them they can be made from paper so well as to escape detection, especially if mixed with a few natural blossoms.

The candle shades should be paper poinsettias, edged with red bead fringe. The ices may be served in poinsettia cups on standards representing stem and leaves.

For more elaborate effects garlands of paper poinsettia can be bought and festooned over the windows or from the chandelier to corners of the room. It can also be draped on tablecloth.

For a place card use a poinsettia blossom, with a tiny doll head set in the cup of flowers. Should one not wish to use the poinsettia plants as favors the small red sleds filled with candy are new and attractive. These can also be filled with waxed paper and used for entrees.

Santa Claus Table for Grownups.

Here is a table that can be arranged with but little trouble and expense. The centerpiece consists of a toy figure of old Santa Claus standing on a mound of snow made from cotton batting. On this mound are placed little Christmas favors done in tissue paper and sealed with Christmas seals. A wreath of holly surrounds the centerpiece. The place cards are bells, and the nut dishes are made from pink and green tissue paper, while a row of tiny candles surrounds the center of the mound. A large Christmas bell trimmed with holly hangs from the chandelier with strings of tiny chimes reaching to the sides of the table.

A White Christmas Dinner.

If you have had a red Christmas dinner so long that it palls substitute a snow scene in green and silver. Put a long oval mirror in center of table, surround it with miniature evergreens and sprinkle the surface of the mirror with mica snow to represent ice. On the mirrored ponds have Santa Claus on a sled drawn by reindeer.

Dress him in white covered with tinsel, and on his back have a pack filled with small favors. Tie each gift with tinsel silver cord and run it to the various covers with a silvered place card representing a snow sceen attached to the other end.

Have a similar mirror masked in evergreens at each corner, and on it stand a silver candle with shade of white paper sprinkled in mistletoe.

Use green and white cakes and candies in silver baskets or have mounds of snowballs made of cotton batting and tinseled or the bought glass filled with nuts and candy. There could be a mound before each plate.

You'll Find These in the Shops.

Christmas shoppers are fortunate this year in the number of novelties offered in the shops. There are sets of hat stands that come incased in leather and make ueful presents for a man or a woman. Of more doubtful practicality is a new shoehorn with a handle thirty inches in length. It must appeal to the stout woman and maybe to the lazy.

For the woman who travels in out of the way places, there is a compact leather case inclosing an alcohol flatiron. While it costs more than an electric iron, it will be found valuable for summer travel, especially when going to the wilds where electricity is not known.

What to do with hatpins is always a question. The small bottles with crocheted cover and ribbon hangers that some women have given their friends are pronounced worse than useless. Doubtless it was a woman who invented the substanial leather tumbler shaped holders which are heavy enough to keep from tipping over and high enough to hold the pins.

A useful thing is a matchbox with a phosphorescent top that can be seen in the dark. Some curious pencil holders may have their admirers. A heavy glass stand has set into it a post of spiral wire on the end of which is a short chain to which a lead pencil is attached.

Children at Christmas Time.

We watched the trooping children play
About the old house, once so gray
And still. Then darkness fell,
And one by one they said farewell.
The music and the laughter stopped,
The play was done, the curtain dropped.
The waning lamp of mirth burned low
With each last cry across the snow,
And we, old friends, were left alone.

What was it lost that we had known?
Old friend and true, must even we
Find nevermore what used to be?
Man lives by change; through ebb and flow
The new lives come, the old lives go.
We lose and gain, yet year by year
The aging heart grows more austere.
It may be that the strain and stress
Of our mad times tempt joylessness;
It may be that our feverish days
Forget the old more genial ways:
It may be, too, the ashes of
Dead hopes and dreams have smothered love!
But plain it stands, no more we hold
Earth's fond good fellowship of old.

Yet thanks to one small spark, old friends,
As down the dusk of things we trend,
Age shall not strip our very heart
Of all its old congenial art.
Aye, thanks to each small voice and light
That lent its youth to us tonight,
And thanks to that strange fugitive
Enduring love by which we live,
Through childlike eyes and childlike act
We yet shall hold our youth intact!
And thanks to one still jovial day
We still, old friend, shall make our way
By thought and mem'ry through the snow
To youth and that lost long ago
Where laughter, holding both his sides,
Made all our days seem Christmastides!
—Arthur Stringer.

GIFTS MADE IN A DAY.

Suggestions for Women With the "Put Off" Habit.

"Only a day until Christmas and not one-half of the presents ready!"

This is the exclamation one hears every year, and usually with the addition of, "Next year I will begin in plenty time," and usually this promise is broken; consequently many women will be glad of new ideas for holiday gifts that may be easily made in a day.

With a bit of ribbon and a few scraps of lace a woman can easily make the most adorable little bit of fancy work in an amazingly short time. The color and texture of the ribbon go a long way toward the beauty of the finished article.

Ribbon has many advantages over silk for most fancy work articles. It is easier to work on, as there are no edges to be hemmed; the whole design from which to choose, and more neatness is possible, as flatter edges may be kept.

A New Double Bag.

Bags are always acceptable, and each season new designs are brought out for the holidays.

The newest is a double bag—that is, one placed over the other. The inner one is usually of plain silk or ribbon, the outer of brocade or hand embroidered fabric. The first bag is made in the usual way—that is, the sides sewed and the top finished with a drawstring. The outer bag must also be sewed at the sides, but in the center it is slashed from the top down three inches or more and the corners turned back, reverse fashion. These are faced with plain goods. One corner may display an initial, or all four may be decorated with sequins or any device the sewer pleases.

The bags are placed one within the other and firmly secured at the ends.

The inner bag will hold the opera glasses, while the outer pockets serve as receptacles for the handkerchief, powder puff, etc. This is another example of a dainty present that can be made with small effort and for little expense.

Christmas Ornaments.

To make little dangles for Christmas trees fashion popcorn into little balls, thread with dark green silkateen, dip into gum arabic and cover with any of the colored dye powders. This makes a pretty ornament. Silver or gold dust may also be used. A quarter's worth of dye in blue, yellow, red and the like will make a great quantity of balls. If threads are suspended in a glass jar containing water and 10 cents' worth of alum it will adhere to the threads and make little icicles for the tree. Continue to add alum until the strings are the desired thickness. Place in a window or warm place.

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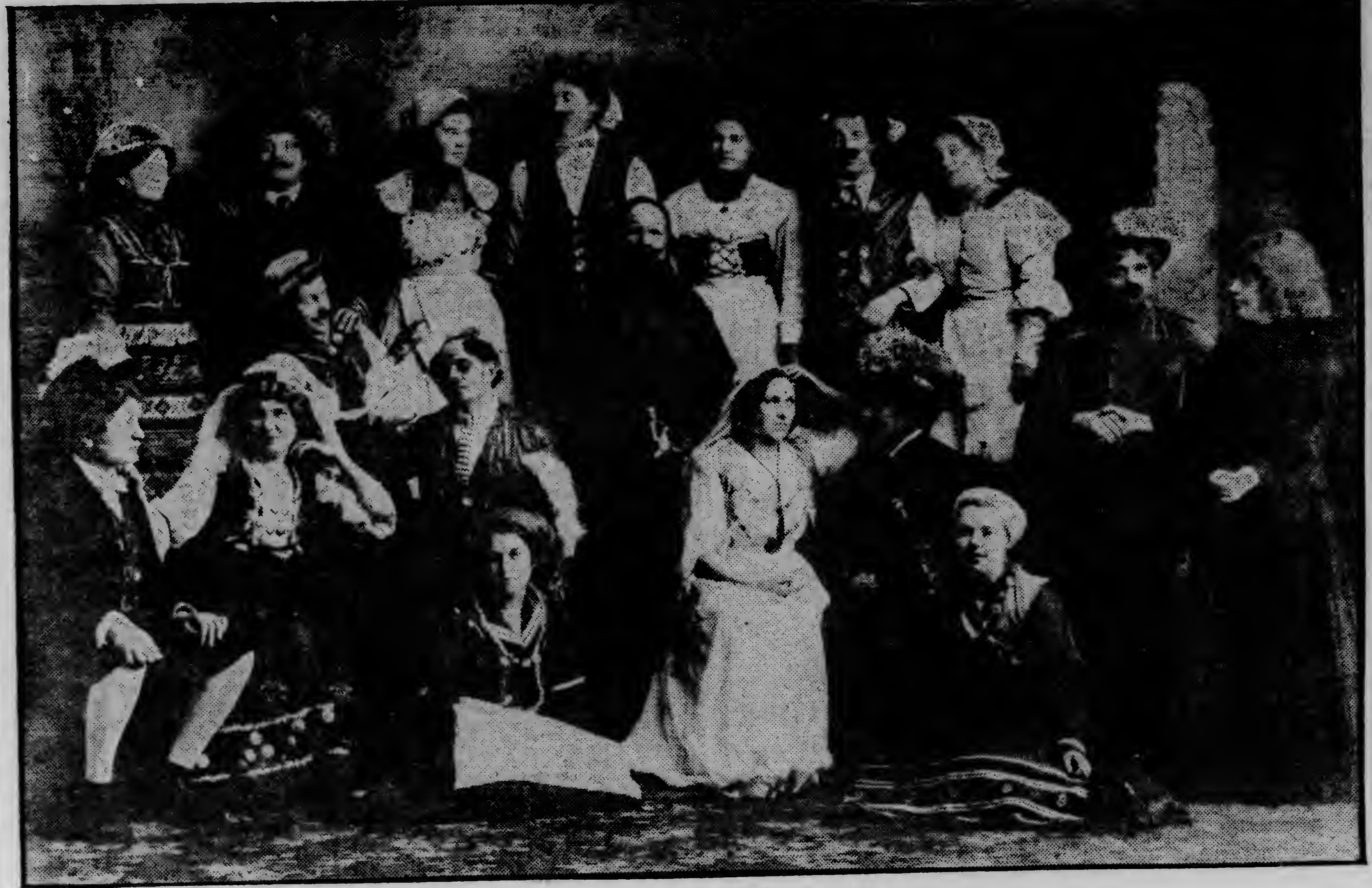

"THE DEVIL'S CONQUEROR" CAST.

Hancock, Mich., Dec. 14.—(Special to The Herald.)—Finnish home talent of the Copper Country are interested in the production to be given at the Calumet theater, Dec. 26 and at the Kerredge theater here, Jan. 1, of "The Devil's Conqueror," a five-act musical drama, the cast of which is shown in this picture. Those who will take part are members of the Finnish Glee Club of Hancock and the Finnish Ladies' Choir of Calumet. There are eighteen in the principal parts, as shown in the picture, while there are about forty in the choruses.

GIFTS FOR MOTHER AND FATHER

EVERYTHING has its place in the great economy of things, and the useful Christmas present is not barred out. In the great array of gifts spread out to choose from it is not well in every case to be led away from the useful by the mere glitter of brass and crystal.

There are other useful gifts besides collars and pajamas, bathrobes and corset covers. Each person's home life suggests hundreds of needs which do not touch too closely on the personal and which yet may be numbered among the useful.

Why Not Buy Mother a Bag?

Mother can never have too many shopping bags, for they have an unpleasant habit of wearing out very rapidly. Then if she is a mother who likes to keep up to the minute in her fashions she will appreciate a shopping bag such as the model seen in the illustration. Light gray velvet is the fabric used, and it is hand painted in soft colors. The appearance is much newer and smarter than the average bag of commerce. The handles are also of velvet. It is fitted with a long purse betwen two open compartments.

Gifts in Mourning Jewelry.

When mourning is worn there are useful and attractive gifts to be found in the shops. Among them are black onyx beads, a necklace or a lorgnette chain in gun metal. An umbrella with one of the new gun metal handles is always appreciated. Or what do you think of a dull jet comb for the hair?

For Elderly Women.

If she is an elderly woman a Spanish lace scarf or fichu would be a nice gift. These scarfs come all the way in price from $4 to $15. Down comfortables, whether of silkoline or real silk, are a good choice, also a pretty shoulder shawl. If she is a really old lady a lace dress cap or a pair of black kid gloves will suit, or a folding knitting stand may be purchased from $3 up. And for grandma this present is indeed a useful one. Silk or satin for a waist is another gift to be labeled useful.

Furniture Gifts.

A lamp, a mirror, a sewing stand, a magazine rack, a desk and chair, a great easy chair or perhaps a sewing chair, a handsome library table, one of the beautiful bookcases, any of the beautiful rugs offered, a jardiniere or a vase of flowers, a cabinet to hold an overflow of treasures, desk or writing table fittings to harmonize with other furnishing, a framed photograph, an old print or a fine reproduction of a famous painting.

For Soiled Handkerchiefs.

A handkerchief bag is fashioned from half a fringed towel twenty-three inches long and twelve inches wide. This is first embroidered in with small flowers, such as violets or forget-me-nots. Damp and iron on the wrong side, then sew it up and stitch across the bottom. The hoop at the top is half of an embroidery frame six inches in diameter, which is hemmed in by hand. To suspend it use inch-wide satin ribbon.

Silver Eyeglass Cases.

A silver eye glass case would be a happy offering either to father or mother. If father is to receive the case a black leather affair with his monogram done in silver on one side would be most appropriate. Mother would doubtless rather have an all silver case. If the head of the house goes in for athletics give him a golf bag—the one he has may be worn out—or a dozen golf balls and perhaps a new putter; if he's fond of bridge or whist, some packs of handsome cards; watch fob or a brass desk set—and in plain dull brass they're stunning. For the motorist there are auto records and if money's no object piano players and talking machines are on the market waiting for a purchaser.

A Nut Set For Mother.

Mother would be pleased with a set of six paper ice cream cups covered with red crepe paper and tied with red ribbon and a spray of holly. These, filled with home-made salted peanuts or candy, would make a charming addition to the Christmas dinner table.

Christmas.

Along the slopes of Olivet
A hush and halo linger yet;
A whispered homage stirs the trees—
Vocal through twenty centuries.

The stable where the oxen stood
Left us Life's best beatitude,
Where, in a manger, it gave breath
To Him of lowly Nazareth.

And still Wise Men come from afar,
To seek there that strange, unmapped Star;
To Bethany wend, and Galilee,
Some traceries of His steps to see.

His Life is now a diadem
For quiet, nestled Bethlehem;
Though crushed on cruel Calvary,
What greater on this earth can be?

Hallowed is Kedron's pensive stream;
No room remains for doubt or dream,
Since the World's Hope, dear and divine
Gilds thus—forever—Palestine.
—Joel Benton in the Christian Herald.

A Christmas Thought.

Hildegarde Hawthorne's "Books and Readings" in December St. Nicholas: When on Christmas morning you find a pile of fine new books beside your plate, all so brave in their handsome covers and full of beautiful illustrations, stop a moment to think what a little while ago it was when no boy or girl ever thought of owning a book, unless it were the "hornbook," as the primer that held the alphabet and a few short sentences to teach spelling was called.

A Happy Suggestion.

There never was a man who didn't enjoy having a match scratcher handy when he wanted to light his pipe. Take a heavy card 7 by 9 inches, either white or cream, and gild the edge by putting on gold paint in little irregular splashes; also gild a clay pipe to hold matches, tie diagonally across the center of card by punching two holes close to the bowl, one each side of the stem and again near the end of stem, run ribbon through and tie in bow. Cut large heart from sandpaper, gild and paste to lower corner. In the upper corner letter with gold paint, "A Striking Proof of My Affection." Make two holes at center of top, run ribbon through and tie in a bow on the right side.

A Little Boy's Christmas Wish.

I like to be a little boy
Almost all of the year,
And all the joys of other boys
To me are very dear;
And one pair of shoes and stockings
Can bother one a sight
If they're put on every morning
And taken off at night—

But, ah! when Christmas comes along,
With all its cold and snow,
And good Santa fills our stockings
All hanging in a row,
I'd love to be a centipede;
'Twould sure be jolly fun
To hang a hundred stockings up
Instead of only one!
—Francis McKinnon Morton in December St. Nicholas.

TRAINING OF A MARQUISE.

How a Geat Lady of Eigtheenth Century Was Brought Up.

One has seldom the occasion to read a reliable and detailed account of the way in which a child was brought up a century or two ago. Memoirs and biographies devote but little space to "early days." Yet in the way in which those early days were spent could be found to a large extent an explanation of the years that followed.

A book on the celebrated Marquise Emilie du Chatelet contains an excellent chapter on the education which the young Emile received, says the London Daily Mail, and with her most of the filles de qualite of the period.

The Marquise du Chatelet, daughter of the Baron de Breteuil and later on known as "the Divine Emilie," famous in history for her beauty, her intellectual powers and her long friendship with Voltaire, was born in 1706.

"Her upbringing," her biographer tells us, "was in most particulars similar to that of other girls of her class, with the exception perhaps that her tastes led her to profit by the classical education her father provided for her." The Baron de Breteuil, a typical courtier, was introducer of ambassadors at the French court, secretary to the king, minister plenipotentiary and reader to his majesty!

"The birth of a daughter at that period," the author proceeds, "was almost invariably a disappointment to the parents. A girl could add nothing to the family glory, nay, her dowry would before long deplete its coffers. She could not transmit her father's name nor win fresh glories on the battlefield or in diplomatic circles. Her arrival left her father indifferent and her mother a little regretful. She was welcomed in a kindly manner, as a pretty little doll to be dressed up and regarded as a plaything. Her home was a forcing house of artificiality.

"She aped her grown up sister in her habits, her manners and her dress. A little girl of the eighteenth century had her hair done high and padded, crowned with feathers or a ribbon laden bonnet trimmed with flowers. She wore an embroidered muslin overdress, covering a wide spreading blue or pink silk underskirt.

"She loved grewgaws and adorned herself with ornaments of gold and silver, coral and pearl. Her playthings, consisting especially of dolls, were as much bedizened as herself, possessed hard, red cheeks and gaudy clothes and were so large as to be inconvenient to carry.

"Yet no good eighteenth century mother of dolls would have dreamed of walking out in the park with her governess unaccompanied by her waxen babies. The children were taught their manners very carefully by their mother, who made them read books of advice as to the best way of eating boiled eggs, of serving glasses of liquor and of breaking their bread carefully at table.

"A child at that time was taken to stiff bals d'enfants, driving there in her carriage, gorgeously attired, her hair decked with feathers, her person with jewelry, a coquettish bouquet fixed on her left shoulder, scented, powdered, rouged and artificial to her finger tips.

"Her relations with her mother were probably limited to a visit once a day for a few minutes to the semi-lighted, rose tinted room where the latter lay resting after her fatigues of the previous evening, receiving casual privileged visitors of either sex.

"The little daughter was encouraged to caress her mother's outstretched hand, delicate and white and glittering with rings, to say, 'How are you, chere maman?' to obey the answer, 'Kiss me, ma petite, and then run away and enjoy yourself as much as you can,' with an added remark, addressed sotto voce to the visitor, 'Isn't she a darling? I can hardly bear my lovely child out of my sight.'"

All this does not go to make up an efficient, rational or even intellectual bringing up! But Emilie, the future Marquise de Chatelet, with whom we are here concerned, was more lucky than the average young girl of gentle birth of her time.

The great Voltaire has written that "she knew by rote the most beautiful passages in Horace, Virgil and Lucretius and all the philosophical works of Cicero were familiar to her."

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These are the genuine hand?tooled leather pieces—the colorings are of beautiful deep rich greenish bronze that harmonize and enrich all their surroundings, whether used with mahogany or oak. The lamp mats are in round and square designs. We have table covers, sofa pillows, etc.—all in these beautiful soft colorings. You will find decided savings in the way these goods are priced here—just note—

8-inch Round Mats, each......$1.65
13-inch Round Mats, each......$3.25
15-inch Round Mats, each......$4.50

Table Runners.

19x35-inch Table Runners.....$22.50
24x18-inch Table Runners.....$10.00
24x16-inch Table Runners..... $8.50
24x18-inch Oval Runners......$10.00

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with Minnesota or Wisconsin University emblems and colors—on fine grained, soft hand-embossed leather—very beautiful, appropriate gifts—

24-inch Pillows..............$14.50
20x26-inch Pillows...........$14.50

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Most anyone would appreciate getting one of these beautiful Chests—of genuine cedar—handsomely finished and large enough to be of practical use—they are 18 by 39 inches—ordinarily you would have to pay at least $12.50 for a chest as good. Special Christmas price.......... $7.85

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A discount from genuine, high grade, Oriental Rugs at Correct Prices — that means a big saving — people who have "looked around" do not hesitate to tell us that not only is the quality of these rugs far superior to what they ordinarily find, but the prices are much lower.

An Oriental rug for Christmas would make a beautiful present. This sale offers wonderful values—come in and look them over.

Illuminated Leather Table Runners

The very newest and latest patterns in these popular leather pieces—articles that make lasting gifts, and as dainty and handsome as you could ask for. These are all on the third floor—Drapery and Art department.

15x24-inch Table Runners...$9.75
12x18-inch Table Runners...$6.00
18-inch Round Mats.........$3.75
8-inch Round Mats..........$1.65
10-inch Round Mats.........$2.75
7½-in. Embossed Leather Mats..65c
10-in. Embossed Leather Mats..95c

Goat Skin Table Covers

Leather hides in browns or greens—soft, pliable and durable—very satisfactory for table covers, because they do not fade or get soiled easily—

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Other choice gifts to be found in this department are Fancy Linens, Center Pieces, Lace Pillow Tops, Dresser Scarfs, Plate Doilies, Asbestos Table Mats in different sizes, Auto Robes, Table Cloths, Napkins, Portiers, Lace Curtains, Couch Covers, Screens, Skirt Boxes, Cedar Chests, Blankets, Comforts, Towels, etc.

WHEAT UP; FLAX OFF

Armour on the Buying Side---Northwestern Offerings Are Increasing.

Argentine Prices Firmer---Flax Values Rally Toward the Close.

Duluth Board of Trade, Dec. 14.—Wheat firmed today. Trading was light. Country deliveries in the Northwest at elevators are heavier and offerings more liberal. Buying by Armour at Chicago was chiefly responsible for the bulge, the crowd trailing. December gained ⅝c and May advanced ⅝@¾c. Cash wheat was 2½@2⅝c under May. Oats gained ½c, rye and barley were unchanged.

Flaxseed was erratic and trading was light. The market is in the hands of a few people. The market was depressed early in the day, but recovered a part of its loss. When a few buying orders appeared toward noon values quickly rallied. December lost 1¾c and May lost 2½c. Cash was 5¾c under May.

Wheat was dull and firm today. The news was colorless. There was an absence of pressure. While sentiment inclines to the bear side, yet there is an impression among traders that prices have about found bottom. When the market displayed signs of weakening, support came from the Armour interests, and the crowd followed. The December option was lifeless and May was not very active.

The steadiness in the Buenos Ayres markets and a better inquiry from abroad caused a firmer tone on this side. Export business was out of the question. Advices from Russia continue favorable. The weather in Argentina is satisfactory.

There was some precipitation in Southeastern Texas, but otherwise the map was dry, so far as winter wheat states were concerned. Illinois sent out reports of damage. The acreage in that state is estimated at 3 per cent larger than last year. While the damage reports had a sentimental effect, the factor was not of sufficient importance to move values appreciably.

Cables were higher and contributed to the firm situation on this side. Floods in Italy and rains in Southern France are causing some apprehension. Continued wet weather, it is expected, will result in increased consumption of wheat on account of destroyed and damaged stores as well as injured crops.

The cash market was dull. Mills offered 2¼c under May for choice stuff, which was difficult to find. Elevators offered 2c under the distant delivery.

Cash Sales Wednesday.

No. 1 hard, 1 car	$1.03¾
No. 1 hard, 1 car	1.03⅝
No grade wheat, 1 car	.87¾
No. 2 bonded wheat, 1 car	.86¾
No. 1 northern, 597 bu 50 lb	1.02¾
No. 1 northern, 1,200 bu	1.02⅝
No. 1 northern, 1,580 bu	1.02¾
No. 1 northern, 4 cars	1.02¾
No. 1 northern, 3,700 bu to arrive	1.02¾
No. 1 northern, 7 cars	1.02½
No. 1 northern, 3,000 bu	1.03
No. 1 northern, 10 cars	1.02⅞
No. 1 northern, 1,500 bu	1.02⅞
No. 1 northern, 66 bu 20 lb	1.02¾
No. 1 northern, 2 cars	1.03
Flax, 200 bu	2.40
Flax, 800 bu	2.41
Flax, 500 bu	2.42½
Flax, 1 car	2.40
No. 1 durum, 4 cars	.85
No. 1 durum, 1,500 bu to arrive	.85
No. 1 durum, 1 car	.85¼

MARKET GOSSIP

World's shipments of grain last week with comparisons follow:

Wheat—	Last week.	Prev. week.	Last year.
American	3,568,000	3,448,000	4,212,000
Russian	5,872,000	4,072,000	3,912,000
Danubian	2,016,000	1,600,000	809,000
Indian	680,000	556,000	88,000
Argentine	504,000	952,000	200,000
Australian	328,000	464,000	136,000
Chili, North African	232,000	176,000	200,000
Totals	13,200,000	11,368,000	9,648,000
Corn—			
American	260,000	185,000	699,000
Russian	825,000	187,000	536,000
Danubian	881,000	502,000	626,000
Argentine	4,395,000	1,624,000	1,268,000
Totals	6,364,000	2,508,000	3,129,000

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Duluth car inspection: Wheat—No. 1 hard, 2; No. 1 northern, 41; No. 2 northern, 4; No. 3 northern, 1; winter, 1; rejected, 1; mixed, 3; durum: No. 1, 15; No. 3, 1; no grade, 2; total durum, 18; total wheat, 71; oats, 38; flax, 5; last year, 10; total 87; on track 75.

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Car receipts of wheat:

	Today.	Last Year.
Duluth	71	38
Minneapolis	347	356
Northwest	418	394
Chicago	27	17
Winnipeg	264	184
St. Louis, bu.	43,000	34,000
Kansas City, bu.	53,000	57,000

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Car receipts of flaxseed:

	Today.	Last Year.
Duluth	5	10
Minneapolis	13	37
Winnipeg	7	23
Total	25	70

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Broomhall cabled from Liverpool: "The wheat market opened quiet, but with a steady undertone and values were ⅛d to ¼d high and following the opening prices further advanced ⅛d to ¼d. The persistent support shown in America and the steadiness in Buenos Ayres closing prices together with a fair continental inquiry caused some covering among shorts. Spot markets were quiet and about unchanged, advices from Russia continue favorable and stocks are liberal. At midday the market was steady with prices ¼d to ½d higher than yesterday. The corn market was quiet at the start and unchanged to ⅛d higher. Following the opening La Plata grade was firmly supported and showed a further advance of ⅛d on the firmness of La Plata offers. The American grade was under pressure of increased offers and declined ¼d.

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The Winnipeg Grain exchange will be closed Dec. 24, 25 and 26.

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Chicago Record-Herald: H. D. Medcalfe of Winnipeg, who was a visitor here yesterday, says the wheat crop of the Canadian Northwest was much under-estimated this year, and is still coming out steadily from sections that were thought to have been through shipping some time ago. The country is still asking for bids, but is getting a poor response because of the poor outlet for wheat. Some export sales have been made recently on a low all-rail freight rate, but even at this the shippers have not made any money on the trade.

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Final crop bulletin of the year as issued by the Manitoba department of agriculture shows the following acreage and yield of the leading crops:

	Acreage.	Average per acre.	Total bu.
Wheat	2,962,187	13.47	39,916,391
Oats	1,486,436	28.70	42,647,766
Barley	624,644	20.75	12,960,038
Flax	41,002	9.97	410,928
Rye	6,361	15.80	100,388
Peas	2,247	14.70	33,004
Potatoes	40,745	121.90	2,966,233
Roots	11,782	177.50	2,091,408

There are 3,527,528 acres now ready for seeding in the spring, or approximately 1,400,000 acres more than were ready for spring seeding at this time last year. Of this 306,698 acres are breaking and the balance summer and fall plowing.

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Antwerp wheat closed unchanged and Liverpool closed ¼d higher; corn ¼d lower to 1¼d higher.

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Clearances: Wheat, 109,000 bu; flour, 19,000 bbls. Corn, 56,000 bu. Oats, 3,000 bu; wheat and flour 195,000 bu.

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ARGENTINE FLAX ESTIMATE

From reports received by a New York correspondent of The Herald and a correspondent at Buenos Ayres, who has collected reports from local Argentine correspondents, The Herald believes the Argentine flax crop will amount to 33,350,000 bushels, giving an exportable surplus of about 31,350,000 bushels. The acreage is estimated at 2,900,000 and the prospective average yield at 11.5 bushels an acre. This estimate is subject to revision in the immediate future or at the time of harvest.

AMERICAN WHEAT MARKETS, DEC. 14.

Dec.—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Dec. 13.
Duluth	$......	$......	$......	$1.01⅝n	$1.01n
Chicago	.91¼-⅜	.92⅜	.91¼	.92⅜	.91¼b
Minneapolis	......	1.01⅜	1.00⅝	1.01¼	1.00⅝a
Winnipeg	......	.90¼	.90	.90¼b	.89⅝-¾b
Kansas City	.90½	.90⅝-¾	.90½	.90⅝-¾	.90¼
St. Louis	.94⅝	.95	.94⅝	.95	.94¼
May—					
Duluth	1.05b	1.05¾	1.05	1.05⅝-¾	1.05b
Chicago	.95¾-⅞	.96½	.95⅝	.96⅜-½	.95½-⅝a
Minneapolis	1.03⅜-½	1.04⅛	1.03¼	1.04-⅛a	1.03⅜a
New York	1.02¼	1.02⅞	1.02¼	1.02⅞	1.02
Winnipeg	.94¼	.94¾	.94¼	.94⅝-¾b	.94⅛-¼
Kansas City	.93⅞	.94⅝	.93⅞	.94⅝	.93⅝
St. Louis	.97¼-⅜	.97¾-⅞	.97¼-⅜	.97¾	.97⅛

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DULUTH DURUM MARKET.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Dec. 13.
December	......	.84½	.84⅜	.84½	.84½b
May	.89	.89⅝	.89	.89⅝b	.88⅞

DULUTH FLAX MARKET.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Dec. 13.
December	$2.42½	$2.42½b	$2.39	$2.40¾b	$2.42½b
May	2.49	2.49	2.44	2.46½a	2.49a

Duluth close: Wheat—On track: No. 1 hard, $1.04⅛; No. 1 northern, $1.03⅛; No. 2, $1.00⅛-1.01⅛. To arrive: No. 1, $1.03⅛; No. 2, $1.00⅛-1⅛; December, $1.01⅝ nominal; May, $1.05⅝-¾ asked. Durum—On track, in store, to arrive: No. 1, 85⅝c; No. 2, 83⅝c; December, 85c nominal; May, 89⅝c bid. Flax: On track, to arrive, $2.40¾; December, $2.40¾; May, $2.46½ asked. Oats, 32½c. Rye, 74-76c. Barley, 73-84c. Feed barley, 60-70c.

Receipts—Wheat, 126,023 bu; last year, 118,645 bu; oats, 6,360 bu; last year, 1,402 bu; barley, 4,157 bu; last year, 21,679 bu; rye, 1,476 bu; flax, 21,666 bu; last year, 16,420 bu.

Shipments—Wheat, 600 bu; last year, none; oats, 4,000 bu; barley, 1,630 bu; flax, 20,766 bu; last year, 20,820 bu.

THE CHICAGO MARKET.

Wheat Price Range Is Narrow With Upward Tendency.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—The approach of the holidays had a narrowing effect this morning on the price of wheat. There was a general tendency upward following an advance in Europe but the foreign rise seemed to be chiefly a reflection of previous firmness in America, and therefore did not exert as much influence as usual here. Argentine advices were construed as slightly bullish, those from Russia the reverse. The opening was unchanged to ⅜c higher. May started at 95¾c to 95⅞c, a gain of ⅛@¼c to ¼@⅜c, receded to 95⅝c and rallied to 95⅞c.

Winter wheat in Illinois was reported suffering for want of rain. Corn strength gave reason for additional firmness. The close was firm with May at 96⅜@96½c; a net gain of ⅞c.

Assertions that car shortage would soon lessen receipts led to a little strength in corn. May opened unchanged at 47c, and advanced to 47⅛c.

Purchases by a leading elevator and packing concern caused a further rise. The close was firm with May at 47¾@47⅞c; a net gain of ¾@⅞c.

A trace of stiffness appeared in oats, owing to lightness of offerings. May started a shade up at 34⅛c, touched 34c and reacted to 34⅛c.

Free buying of ribs made the provision market firm regardless of a decline in hogs. First sales were 7½c higher to 2½c lower, with May at $17.92½ to $17.95 for pork, $9.90@9.92½ for lard and $9.52½ for ribs. An advance all around ensued.

Articles—	Recpts.	Shpts.
Flour, bbls.	22,100	14,700
Wheat, bu.	30,000	18,200
Corn, bu.	598,700	123,900
Oats, bu.	414,000	247,300
Rye, bu.	7,500	
Barley, bu.	154,000	15,600

Car lot receipts: Wheat 21 cars, with 4 of contract grade; corn 551 cars, with 3 of contract grade; oats 242 cars. Total receipts of wheat at Chicago, Minneapolis and Duluth today were 439 cars, compared with 401 cars last week and 411 cars the corresponding day a year ago.

Cash close: Wheat—No. 2 red, 93¼@94½c; No. 3 red, 91¼@93c; No 2 hard, 94¼@96c; No. 3 hard, 91@94c; No. 1 northern, $1.06½@1.10; No. 2 northern, $1.04@1.06; No. 3 northern, $1.03@1.05; No 2 spring, 94c@$1.04; No. 3 spring, 92c@$1.03; velvet chaff, 90c@$1.00; durum, 82@92c. Corn—No. 2, 48@48½c; No. 2 white, 48½@49½c; No. 2 yellow, 51@51½c; No. 3, 48@48½c; No. 3 new, 44¼@44¾c; No. 3 white, 48@48½c; No. 3 white new, 44¼@44¾c; No 3 yellow, 50@50½c; No. 3 yellow new, 44½@45½; No. 4, 47½@48c; No. 4 new, 42@42¾c; No. 4 white, 47½@48c; No. 4 white new, 42@42¾c; No. 4 yellow, 48@48½; No. 4 yellow new, 42¼@43c. Oats—No. 2 31½c; No. 2 white, 33@33¾c; No. 3 white, 32¼@32¾c; No 4 white, 31½@32c; standard, 32¾@33¼c. Rye—Cash, 81½. Barley—Cash, 60@86. Timothy—Cash, $8.00 @ 9.75; March, $10.25. Clover—Cash, $10.00 @ 14.25; March, $15.00

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Dec	.91¼-⅜	.92⅜	.91¼	.92⅜
May	.95¾-⅞	.96½	.95⅝	.96⅜-½
July	.93¼-⅜	.93¾	.93⅛	.93⅝
Corn—				
Dec	.45-¼	.45⅞	.45	.45¾-⅞
May	.47	.47⅞	.47	.47¾-⅞
July	.47¾	.48⅝	.47¾	.48½-⅝
Oats—				
Dec	.31½	.31¾	.31⅜	.31¾
May	.34⅛	.34⅜-½	.34	.34⅜-½
July	.34	.34⅜	.34	.34¼-?
Mess Pork, per bbl—				
Jan	18.87½	19.20	18.87½	19.17½
May	17.92½-95	18.27½	17.92½	18.20-25
Lard, per 100 lb—				
Jan	10.22½	10.32½	10.22½	10.32½
May	9.90-92½	10.10	9.90	10.10
Short Ribs, per 100 lb—				
Jan	9.87½	10.07½-10	9.87½	10.07½
May	9.52½	9.70	9.52½	9.67½-70

THE MINNEAPOLIS MARKET.

Wheat Prices Advance on Covering By the Short Side.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 14.—A slightly firmer tone in the Liverpool market and local shorts covering caused prices to register an advance today. Trading was only of moderate volume and fluctuations narrow. December closed ⅞c higher than yesterday, May ⅝@¾c higher and July ⅝c higher. Local elevator stocks increased 380,000 bu for four days.

Minneapolis today received 347 cars of wheat against 356 a year ago; Duluth 71 against 306 and Winnipeg 204 against 184. December opened $1.00⅝, high $1.01⅜; low, $1.00⅝; close, $1.01¼; May opened $1.03⅜@½, high $1.04⅛; low, $.03¼; closed, $1.04@1.04⅛. July opened $1.04¼, high, $1.04⅞; low, $1.04¼; closed $1.04⅞.

Cash wheat was a trifle easier today. Demand not as active and receipts liberal. No. 1 northern sold for 1@2c under May. Mills and elevators bought. Close: No. 1 hard, $1.03¾; No. 1 northern, $1.02¼@1.03¼, to arrive, $1.02¼@1.03; No. 2 northern, 99¼c@$1.01¾; to arrive, 99¼c@$1.01⅛; No. 3 wheat, 98c@$1; No. 3 yellow corn, 42@42½c; No. 3 white oats, 30@30½c; No. 2 rye, 76@77½c.

Millstuffs—Shipments, 2,091 tons. Market steady at yesterday's advance. Demand strong and mills well sold ahead. Bran in 100-pound sacks, $21@21.50.

Flour—The market showed no quotable change. Demand only fair and shipping directions slow. Prices steady. Shipments, 40,578 bbls. First patents, $4.75@5.25; second patents, $4.65@5.15; first clears, $3.20@3.55; second clears, $2.15@2.75.

Flax—Receipts, 13 cars; year ago, 37; shipments, 4. Demand continued good for both spot and to arrive at 1c over the Duluth December contract. Close, $2.41¾.

Barley—Receipts, 125 cars; year ago, 40; shipments, 38. An easier tone ruled today. Demand slow; offerings heavy. Prices on the better malting grades were 1@2c lower, and feeding barley sold from 1@5c lower than yesterday. Closing range, 60@80c.

Liverpool Grain.

Liverpool, Dec. 14.—Close: Wheat—Steady; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 1½d; futures quiet; December, 6s 9⅝d; March, 6s 11⅝d; May, 7s ⅛d. Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, 5s 3½d; futures dull; January, 4s 5¾d; February, 4s 3¼d.

New York Grain.

New York, Dec. 14.—Close: Wheat—December, 97½c; May, $1.02⅜; July, $1.00⅜. Corn—May, 55⅝c.

THE COPPER STOCKS.

The following are the closing quotations of copper stocks at Boston today, reported by Paine, Webber & Co., 316 West Superior street:

STOCKS—	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated	63⅞	64
Adventure	6⅞	7½
Ahmeek	180	190
Allouz	38	40
American Telegraph	142	sale
American Zinc	26	26½
Atlantic	.....	6½
Arcadian	.....	3½
Arizona Commercial	14½	15
Butte & Ballaklava	6½	6¾
Boston Corbin	13½	14
Black Mountain	5c	10c
Butte Coalition	19	.....
Cal. & Ariz.	49½	50
Cal. & Hecla	545	550
Centennial	16	.....
Cons. Mercur	5c	8c
Copper Range	67¼	68
Daly West	3	3⅜
Davis Daly	1 7-16	1½
East Butte	12¼	12⅝
Franklin	9½	9¾
First Nat'l	1 3-16	1⅞
Giroux	6¾	6⅞
Granby	39	40
Greene-Cananea	7	7¼
Hancock Cons.	21½	22
Helvetia	1⅞	2
Indiana	11¼	11½
Isle Royale	17¾	18¼
Keweenaw	3¼	3⅞
Lake Copper	34¼	34½
La Salle	7	7¾
Mass. Cons.	7½	8
Mass Gas	88¼	88¾
Mexico Mining	45½	46
Miami Copper	19½	19¾
Michigan	3½	4
Mohawk	45½	46
Nevada Consolidated	18⅝	18⅝
Nevada Utah	90c	92c
North Lake	7	7
Nipissing	10¾	11
North Butte	29¼	29¾
Ojibway	6	7
Old Dominion	37½	.....
Osceola	127	129
Parrot	12¼	13
Pneumatic Service	4½	5
Quincy	70	72
Ray Consolidated	19¼	19½
Shannon	11½	11⅞
Shoe Michigan	55	56
Superior Boston	5	5¾
Superior Copper	42½	43½
Superior & Pittsburg	13¾	14¼
Tamarack	.....	57
Trinity	4½	5
United Fruit	193	195
U. S. Mining	35⅜	35½
U. S. Mining, pfd.	46	46½
Utah Apex	2⅛	2½
Utah Consolidated	12¼	13
Utah Copper	46⅞	sale
Victoria	2⅛	2½
Winona	8¾	9½
Wolverine	115	117
Wyandot	1½	2
Yukon Gold	3¾	4
Bohemia	3½	4
Begole	1	2
Boston-Ely	1	1⅛
Cactus	22	24
Cliff	1¾	1⅞
Chief Cons.	1½	1 9-16
Chino	21⅞	22
Corbin Copper	4½	4¾
Goldfield Cons.	8⅝	8¾
Inspiration	9 3-16	9 5-16
La Rose	4⅝	4 11-16
Live Oak	23½	24
New Baltic	6	7
Ohio Copper	1 7-16	1½
Oneco	2	2⅛
Ray Central	2 1-16	2 3-16
Shattuck	23⅜	24¼
Tono Nev.	8⅛	8⅜
Yuma	20c	30c

ADVANCES IN STOCKS

Prices Start Higher and the Gains Are Well Sustained.

Trading Light But Movement Has an Appearance of Stability.

New York, Dec. 14.—Stocks advanced at the opening today, but the inquiry was very light and the gains of little consequence outside of Union Pacific, Southern Pacific, Reading and Lehigh Valley, which were up ½c to ¾c.

Bull operators finding that the initial rise did not bring out any stock, became more confident and pushed the list up further. Purchases were slight but the whole movement had an appearance of some stability. Western Union rose 1½, Reading 1¼ and Union Pacific, Southern Pacific, Northern Pacific, Lehigh Valley, United States Steel, Amalgamated Copper and American Smelting a point.

The improvement held well throughout the morning's session with especial strength in the leading issues. The rise in the Harriman stocks was associated with reports favorable to Southern Pacific, while the buying of Lehigh Valley seemed to have some connection with the meeting of the company's directors, scheduled for today. Reading's advance was sympathetic. Bonds were steady.

The market closed firm. The final hour was the dullest of the session, but the greater part of the early gains were fully sustained.

New York stock quotations furnished The Herald by Piper, Johnson & Case, Alworth building.

STOCKS—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Atchison	100¼	100⅞	100¼	100⅞
American Sugar	115			115
Amalgamated	63	64	63¼	64
A. T. & T	141⅜	142¼	141⅜	141¾
Baltimore & Ohio	106	106½	106	106¼
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	74⅛	74¾	73¾	73¾
Chesapeake & Ohio	80			80
C., M. & St. Paul	122¼	122⅞	122¼	122½
Colorado Fuel & Iron	31¼			31¼
Canadian Pacific	192¼			192¼
Erie	27¼	27½	27¼	27¼
Great Northern	123	123¾	123	123
Lehigh	180½	181⅛	180¼	180¼
Great Northern Ore	55⅝	55⅝	55⅝	55½
National Lead	52	53	52	53
Northern Pacific	115¼	116	115⅛	115⅝
Pennsylvania	128¾	128⅞	128⅜	128⅜
Pressed Steel Car	29⅞	30⅜	29⅞	30⅜
Republic Steel & Iron	31			31
Rock Island	29⅞	30	29⅞	30
Reading	147⅛	148⅛	147⅛	148
Southern Pacific	113⅛	114⅝	113⅛	114⅝
Tennessee Copper	35			35
Union Pacific	168⅜	169⅞	168⅛	169⅝
Utah Copper	46⅜	46½	46⅜	
U. S. Steel	72⅝	73¼	72½	73⅛
do pfd	116¼	116½	116⅛	116¼

Duluth Securities.

SECURITIES—	Bid.	Asked.
First National Bank	400	.....
American Exchange National Bank	325	.....
City National Bank	130	.....
Northern National Bank	120	.....
St. Louis County State Bank	105	.....
Western State Bank	140	.....
Duluth-Superior Traction Co.	60	70
do pfd	65	72
Duluth Street Railway, 1st g. 5s 30 M & N. A	96	100
Duluth Edison Electric, 1st g. s. f. 5s March, 1931, op. M. & S. A.	98	100
Great Northern Power Co. bonds	80	.....
American Carbolite, par $1	2.85	3.25
Zenith Furnace Co.	85	1.00

Cotton Market.

New York, Dec. 14.—Cotton opened steady at an advance of 8@10 points on covering and bullish support, inspired by higher Liverpool cables, reports that leading English statisticians reiterated their estimate of 11,600,000 bales for the commercial crop and estimated the season's consumption at 12,500,000 bales, and private advices from the South pointing to very bullish ginning returns for the last period. Realizing was extremely heavy on the advance and slight recessions occurred, but prices held within a point or two of the top during the middle of the morning.

Spot closed barely steady, 10 points higher. Middling uplands, 15.15; middling gulf, 15.40. Sales, 2,600 bales. Futures closed steady; December, 14.87; January, 14.91; February, 15.04; March, 15.21; April, 15.30; May, 15.42; June, 15.42; July, 15.42; August, 15.05; October, 13.71.

New York Money.

New York, Dec. 14.—Money on call steady, 3@3½ per cent; ruling rate, 3⅜ per cent; closed bid, 3 per cent; offered 3⅜ per cent. Time loans very dull, 60 and 90 days, 4@4¼ per cent; six months, 4@4¼ per cent. Close: Prime mercantile paper, 5@5½ per cent; sterling exchange, firm with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.82.10@4.82.25 for 60 day bills, and at $4.85.40 for demand. Commercial bills, $4.81½@4.81¾. Bar silver, 54½c. Mexican dollars, 45c. Government bonds and railroad bonds steady.

South St. Paul Livestock.

South St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,200; market weak, unchanged. Hogs—Receipts, 8,300; market 20c lower; range, $7.20@7.35; bulk of sales, $7.20@7.25. Sheep—Receipts, 3,500; market 10 to 25c lower; sheep, $2.00@4.75; lambs, $3.00@5.75.

Chicago Livestock.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—Cattle—Receipts estimated at 23,000; market weak to 10c lower; beeves, $4.30@7.00; Texas steers, $3.90@5.00; western steers, $4.80@5.80; stockers and feeders, $3.25@5.45; cows and heifers, $2.25@5.85; calves, $7.60@9.25. Hogs—Receipts estimated at 33,000; market 10@15c lower, light, $7.20@7.50; mixed, $7.20@7.50; heavy, $7.20@7.50; rough, $7.20@7.30; good to choice, heavy, $7.30@7.50; pigs, $6.60@7.45; bulk of sales, $7.35@7.45. Sheep—Receipts estimated at 33,000; market 10c lower; native, $2.30@4.20; western, $2.40@4.25; yearlings, $4.30@5.65; lambs, native, $4.00@6.30; western, $4.50@6.25.

THE PRODUCE MARKETS.

CALIFORNIA ORANGES—	
Extra fancy navels, 126's to 250's, box	$3.25
Extra fancy navels, 80's to 90's, box	3.00
Pomegranets, half box	1.75
FLORIDA GRAPEFRUIT—	
54's and 64's, box	4.75
80's and 96's, box	4.50
CALIFORNIA LEMONS—	
Extra fancy, box, 300's and 360's	5.50
Imported limes, box	1.25
FRUITS—	
California grapes, crate	2.00
California pears, box	3.50
Malaga grapes, keg	5.00
Cuban pineapples, crate	5.00
Cuban pineapples, doz	2.00
APPLES—	
Illinois Ben Davis, bbl	4.50
New York Baldwins, bbl	4.50
New York Nonesuch, bbl	5.00
New York Kings, bbl	5.25
Jonathans, box	2.10
Roman Beauties, box	2.25
Newton Pippins, box	2.10
Wine Saps, box	2.25
Baldwins and Greenings, box	2.10
Wagners, box	2.10
Ben Davis, box	1.50
Ben Davis, fancy, box	1.75
Wealthys, box	1.50
Kentish fall baskets, box	1.75
TOMATOES—	
California, crate	1.90
California, basket	.50
CRANBERRIES—	
Cape Cod, bu crate	2.75
Jersey Jumbo, bbl	9.50
CIDER—	
New York, keg	3.50
New York, bbl	6.00
New York, 50-gal cask, per gal	.22
FRUIT JUICES—	
Orange, keg	3.50
Raspberry, keg	3.50
Cherry, keg	3.50
Grape, keg	3.50
Cider, keg	3.50
BANANAS—	
Bananas, per lb	.04
BUTTER—	
Fancy, creamery, per lb	.31
Dairy, per lb	.28
Packing, per lb	.20
CHEESE—	
Fancy full cream, twins, per lb	.17
Block Swiss, per lb, No. 1	.19
Primost cheese, per lb	.12
Wheel Swiss, per lb	.19
EGGS—	
Eggs, per doz	.27
PEANUTS—	
Fancy, raw, per lb, by the sack	.07
Fancy, roasted, sacks, per lb	.07½
Fancy, roasted, less than sacks	.08
Salted peanuts, 30-lb pails	3.75
Salted peanuts, 10-lb sacks	1.35
Fancy Jumbos, roasted, per lb	.10
MAPLE SYRUP—	
Vermont, per gal	1.75
MAPLE SUGAR—	
Iowa, assorted pkgs., 30-lb box, per lb	.10
POP CORN—	
Snowball pop corn, 40-pkg box	2.25
Pop corn, on the cob	.03
Pop corn, shelled	.04
HONEY—	
Colorado white clover, per case, 24's	4.00
CABBAGE—	
Home grown cabbage, per ton	20.00
Home grown cabbage, per crate, large	1.50
Holland cabbage, fresh and fine, per cwt	1.20
POTATOES—	
Potatoes, per bu	58@ .60
Jersey sweets, per bu	4.75
ONIONS—	
Onions, red, 100-lb sack	2.00
White pickling, box	1.50
Yellow, 100 lb	2.00
Spanish onions, per crate	1.50
NUTS—	
Walnuts, New California, 110-lb sack, per lb	.17
Filberts, Sicily, per lb	.14
Brazils, extra large, per lb	.12
Pecans, extra fancy polished, per lb	.15
Almonds, Taraganla, per lb	.17
Mixed nuts, 100-lb and 50-lb boxes, lb, new	.12
Cocoanuts, per doz	.70
New hickory nuts, large or small, per lb	.09
Pecans, halves, shelled, extra fancy, 5-lb cartons, per lb	.50
Walnuts, shelled, extra fancy, 5-lb cartons, lb	.40
Almonds, shelled, extra fancy, 5-lb cartons, lb	.43
DATES AND FIGS—	
Hallowi dates, 70-lb boxes, new	5.00
Hallowi dates, 30 packages, per box	2.40
Fard dates, 12-lb boxes, new	1.35
Sugar walnut dates, 9-lb boxes	1.25
New California figs, 12-pkg box, per box	.90
New Smyrna figs, 5-crown, 12-lb box, per box	1.25
New Smyrna figs, 7-crown, 35-lb box, per box	4.25
FRESH VEGETABLES—	
Lettuce, leaf, per bu box	1.00
Lettuce, head, Boston, extra fancy, bu	2.50
Onions, green, per doz	.75
Onions, green, shallots, large bunches, doz	.75
Parsely, home grown, per doz	.85
Garlic, new, Italian, per lb	.15
Cauliflower, California, per crate	2.75
Spinach, home grown, per bu	1.00
Round radishes, hothouse, large bunches, doz	.80
Hothouse cucumbers, per doz (scarce)	2.40
Tomatoes, California, ripe, fancy, per crate	1.90
Green peppers, hothouse, per basket	.50
Celery, Milwaukee, small bunches, per doz	.30
Celery, Milwaukee, per case of 12 dozen	3.50
Celery, California, in crates of 6 to 7 dozen, per crate	4.50
Celery, California, extra Jumbo, per bunch	.75
Hubard squash, per doz	1.75
Endive, New Orleans, per bbl	6.50
ROOTS—	
Table beets, per cwt	1.75
Table bagas, per cwt	1.00
Horse radish root, per bbl	7.00
Horse radish, per lb	.10
Table carrots, per cwt	1.75
Table parsnips, per tub	1.50
MEATS—	
Beef, per lb	6½@ .09
Mutton, per lb	.09
Pork loins, per lb	12½@ .13½
Veal, per lb	9@ .10½
Lambs, per lb	.11
Lard, per lb	.11
DRESSED POULTRY—	
Hens, fancy, fat, per lb	.14½
Hens, small, per lb	12@ .13
Springs, per lb	.15
Turkeys, per lb	.22
Ducks, per lb	17@ .18
Geese, per lb	.14
LIVE POULTRY—	
Hens, per lb	13@ .14
Small hens, per lb	.12
Springs, per lb	.13
Turkeys, per lb	16½@ .17
Ducks, per lb	14@ .15
Geese, per lb	14@ .15
HAY AND STRAW—	
Choice timothy, per ton	$17.50@18.00
No. 1 choice timothy, per ton	16.50@17.00
No. 2 choice timothy, per ton	14.00@15.00
No. 1 mixed timothy, per ton	14.00@15.00
No. 2 mixed timothy, per ton	12.00@13.00
No. 1 upland, per ton	14.00@14.50
No. 2 upland, per ton	12.00@13.00
No. 1 middling, per ton	10.00@12.00
No. 2 middling, per ton	8.00@ 9.00
Rye straw, per ton	6.50@ 7.00
Oat straw, per ton	6.50@ 7.00
HOLIDAY GREENS—	
Wreathing, doz	1.75
Coils, each	1.10

Chicago.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—Butter—Market unsettled; creameries, 23@29c; dairies, 21@25c. Eggs—Market steady; receipts, 1,059 cases; at mark, cases included, 19½@22½c; firsts, 31c; prime firsts, 33c. Cheese—Market steady; daisies, 14¾@15c; twins, 14@14¼c; young Americas, 14½@14¾c; long horns, 14½@15c. Potatoes—Market firm; choice to fancy, 45@48c; fair to good, 38@42c. Poultry—Market firm; turkeys, live, 17, dressed, 23c; fowls, live, 11½c, dressed, 12c; springs, live, 10c; dressed, 12c. Veal—Market steady; 50 to 60-lb weights, 9@10c; 60 to 85-lb weights, 11@11½c; 85 to 110-lb weights, 12c.

New York.

New York, Dec. 14.—Butter—Market firm and unchanged; receipts, 5,477; creamery specials, 32c; extras, 30½@31c; third to firsts, 23@29c; held, creamery, second to special, 24½@31c; dairy, common to finest, 23@30c; process, second to special, 23@26c; imitation creamery, firsts, 24@24½c; factory, June make, 23@24c; same, current make, 22@23c. Cheese—Market steady; receipts, 1,848; state, whole milk, September quality, special, 15¼@17¼c; same, fancy, colored, 15½c; same, fancy, white, 15½c; same, choice, 14¾@15¼c; same, October quality, fine, 14@14½c; same, current make, common to fair, 12@13c; skims, 2@13c. Eggs—Market easier; receipts, 8,663; state Pennsylvania and nearby hennery white, fancy, 55c; same, gathered white, 40@55c; same, hennery, brown, fancy, 44@46c; same, gathered, brown, 40@43c; same, fair to good, 35@40c; western, gathered, white, 35@43c; fresh, gathered, extra firsts, 37@38c; same, firsts, 35@36c; same, seconds, 30@34c; refrigerator, special mark, fancy, in local storage, 26c; firsts, 24½@25½c; same, seconds, 23½@24c.

HIDES, TALLOW AND FURS.

GREEN SALTED HIDES—	No. 1.	No. 2.
G. S. steer, over 60 lb	$ .11½	$ .10½
G. S. steers, 25 lb and up and steers under 60 lb	.09½	.08½
G. S. lon haired kips, 8 to 25 lb	.10	.08½
G. S. veal kips, 5 to 25 lb	.14	.12½
G. S. Deacon skins, under 8 lb	.80	.70
G. S. horsehides	3.50	2.50
DRY SALTED—		
Dry flint hides, over 15 lb	.18	...
Dry Minnesota, Dakota, Wisconsin and Iowa hides	.15	.13
Murrains	.15½	...
Dry kid	.18	.16
Dry salted calf, under 5 lb, all sections	.21	.21
TALLOW AND GREASE—		
Tallow, in cakes	.06½	.05¾
Tallow, in bbl	.06	.05
Grease	.05½	.03¾

FURS—	Large.	Medium.	Small.
Skunk, black	$4.50	$3.50	$2.54
Skunk, short stripe	3.00	2.50	2.00
Skunk, long narrow stripe	2.50	2.00	1.50
Skunk, broad stripe and white	1.00	.75	.50
Muskrat, spring	70@80	....	....
Muskrat, winter	85@64	....	.41@40
Muskrat, fall	41@40	....	.25@24
Muskrat, kits	....	.10@08	.25@24
Raccoon	3.10	2.10	1.60
Mink, dark and brown	7.50	5.50	4.00
Mink, pale	6.00	4.00	3.00
Beaver	7.50	5.00	3.25
Cat, wild	5.00	3.75	2.50
Fisher, dark	20.00	15.00	10.00
Fisher, pale	12.00	9.00	7.00
Fox, red	10.00	7.00	5.00
Fox, gray	2.00	1.50	1.00
Lynx	30.00	25.00	12.00
Marten, dark	20.00	15.00	10.00
Marten, dark brown	10.00	7.00	4.50
Marten, light br. and pale	6.00	4.25	3.00
Weasel, white	1.00	.50	.25
Weasel, stained, damaged	.25	.15	.10
Wolf, timber	6.50	4.50	3.00
Wolf, brush, cased	4.00	3.00	2.00
Wolf, open	3.25	2.40	1.63
Wolf, coyote, cased	3.50	2.50	1.95
Bear, blk., br., grizzle	17.50@25	14@20	10@15
Bear, yearlings	12.50@15	9@12	7@10
Bear, cub	7.00@10	4.50@ 7	2.50@ 4
Fox, blk. and silver gray	80@450	85@350	35@150
Otter, dark and pale	15@20	10@15	7@13

Badger, civet and house cat, cross and kit fox, mountain lion, opossum and wolverine command market prices. The above prices are for Prime No. 1 skins. Nos. 2, 3 and 4 in proportion. Wisconsin and Mississippi river heavy muskrat, 3@5c higher; kits, 3c higher.

THE POET OF THE SWAT.

Emporia Gazette: Doc Crumbine's fly swating campaign has had the earnest support and approval of the Gazette from the beginning, although the various editors, including the Screen Door open to criticism. Old Doc Crumbine has urged people to swat flies at every opportunity, and that's all right as far as it goes, but it doesn't go far enough. It doesn't get to the root of the evil, it lacks comprehensiveness, and consequently efficiency.

If we want to put the flies out of business we'll have to hold a convention somewhere, with delegates from all parts of the world. Of course the delegates will all make long speeches and pass resolutions calling upon congress to pass a law requiring people to wear flynets. The speeches will all be printed in advance and mailed to newspapers, in order that telegraph editors may be driven to drink. In choosing delegates to the fly swatters' convention it will be important to choose all the bores available; long winded old cranks, male and female, who have a weakness for figures and statistics. They will explain at great length how many descendants a properly married couple of flies may produce in a summer, and how many human beings are carted off to the boneyard as victims of those descendants.

Some doctor who is badly in need of advertising should be chosen to address the convention, giving all the sickening details concerning the diseases distributed by flies. He will urge women to have their gowns made of sticky fly paper, and will insist that men havedents in the crowns of their hats, which dents may be filled with liquid fly poison. Thus ladies and gentlemen will becatching and killing flies all the time, even when following their customary vocations.

A tall bony woman from some Eastern village should read a poem to the convention having a refrain something like this:

> Swatt, till the last blamed fly expires!
> Swat till the arm that swats 'em tires;
> Swat till you've stilled the buzzing choirs!

Many public spirited citizens who took up the swatting idea with vigor and enthusiasm when it was first inaugurated have grown weary of well doing merely because there has been no inspiring slogan. A man can do far better execution among the flies if he has some thrilling, exultant war cry to utter at intervals. A tocsin or a pibroch would be a great help, but a slogan is absolutely indispensable.

It might be a good plan to offer a prize for a national anthem for fly swatters. They'd all work with more vim if they could kill flies to the strains of a noble, triumphant song. As, for example:

> I have read a fiery gospel in Doc Crumbine's bulletins:
> "There are flies upon your whiskers, there are flies upon your shins;
> Oh, swat them, fellow citizens, as soon as day begins,
> Or they'll keep marching on."

Then all the fly swatters can come in strong on the chorus: "Glory, glory," etc.

LITTLE DORRIT'S LAND.

London Chronicle: Though there are few folk living—except perhaps its actual denizens— who are not glad that Tabard street should be wiped off the face of the earth as a disgrace to modern civilization, it has to be confessed that hardly a street in London is so famously connected with history, poetry and every circumstance of greatness.

In the old, old days, before the new Dover road wheeled round from the borough into the Kentish highway, Tabard street was called Kent street and was the main approach to London for every one who arrived from anywhere in Kent, from Canterbury, from the Cinque Ports, and so one might almost say from Europe.

Up Tabard street nearly 600 years ago rode the Black Prince, conqueror at Poictiers, bringing with him in triumph the captive French king, a pageant compared with which these twentieth century shows are but half hearted pieces of make believe. Up Tabard street swarmed the peasants of Kent under Wat Tyler and later on Jack Cade and his Kentish men, pouring in from the heart of England's industry, the "Lancashire lads" of that day.

Down Tabard street some time before either of these events, the Canterbury Pilgrims clattered over the stones on their way to Becket's shrine, laughing, jostling, jingling in the May morning, a bevy of jollity and color.

Yet even in those far off times Tabard street seemed to have made up its mind to prove unworthy of this honor of welcoming the coming and speeding the parting guest. As long ago as the thirteenth century it was a haunt of depravity and poverty. In Shakespeare's time it was shunned by all respectable folk. For centuries it was deplored that distinguished foreigners coming from the continent should get their first impression of London from Tabard street, and sometimes they used to be hurried through by night so that they should see as little of it as possible.

Soon on to our own times. The recent resource of changing its old name to something pretty and poetic has had absolutely no effect. Vice and dirt seem to be in its very air, and since the creation of Dover road turned the stream of traffic elsewhere it has just quietly degenerated into a back slum, from the associations of which one fancies the very earth will need to be cleansed.

Yet with it all, the very dingiest—though not the worst—features of Tabard street, still have a romance for us of today. For their last distinction was that of being touched by the genius of Charles Dickens. Not a hundred yards from Tabard street, Little Dorrit was born. At St. Gorge's church hard by she was married and there, too, is the vestry porch where the kindly beadle laid her to sleep with the burial register for pillow.

Even the old Marshalsea, the debtors' prison, where Mr. Dorrit was so distinguished a resident, where Dicken's own father was not unknown and to which Dickens himself paid many a visit as a boy—is still to be traced to a far greater extent than can be imagined. One has only to dive into Angel place—the little court on the left just before one comes to St. George's from London bridge—to find the grim old walls of the Marshalsea standing as they stood a century ago, with here and there an old grated window that still recalls those times of tears.

Following the old walls round by warehouses and offices flanked by grimy little paved alleys that are probably themselves Dickens survivals, one reaches the Southwark mortuary—a blithe resort by comparison, surrounded by a little garden of old fashioned flowers. Close by is a battered old door—once an actual door of the old Marshalsea. If one peeps over the wall here from across the alley close by the entrance to the mortuary one may catch a glimpse of the old Marshalsea belfry, still practically just as it was when it rang out locking up time for Little Dorrit and her old father. Coming round into St. George's churchyard one has completely encircled the famous old prison that was the world of Little Dorrit's girlhood.

PARIS RESTAURANTS INCREASE PRICES.

Le Journal: The ever increasing rise in the price of food in Paris has resulted in the posting of a notice in restaurants and cafes to the effect that in order to insure their clients being supplied wtih first-class food or liquor the restaurants find themselves, much to their regret, obliged to increase their prices

LINLITHGOW CASTLE.

Court Journal: There are two schemes as a memorial in Scotland to King Edward, the improvement of Holyrood palace and the restoration of Linlithgow palace. The former seems to find most favor, possibly because of the idea that with Holyrood thoroughly habitable the king and queen might use the ancient palace for a brief period each year.

Holyrood is in a fair state of preservation, whereas Linlithgow palace, on the shore of the beautiful sheet of water of that name, is in ruins, and this being the case perhaps the better plan would be the restoration of Linlithgow. The palace, which is somewhat square and heavy looking, was the birthplace of Mary Queen of Scots; in Linlithgow church James IV of Scotland was forewarned by an apparition of the coming disaster at Flodden field; in its streets the Regent Murray was shot; close by the town Edward I had two ribs broken by his horse the night before Falkirk, and on its loch a chancellor of the exchequer, bent on economy issued instructions that the royal swans should be kept down to a dozen!

Though a building with little to attract the eye, Linlithgow palace is a most interesting place and many people would like to see it carefully and judiciously restored. The oldest parts, the east and west sides, were built in the fifteenth century; the newest, the north side, in 1620. The original entrance was by a drawbridge on the east, where is an archway surmounted by the royal arms and three towers, remains of an older building.

On entering by the present doorway on the south side the guard room is on the right, where the Regent Murray died in the center of the quadrangle is a fountain erected by James V, of which that in front of Holyrood is a copy. The kitchens have a fireplace as big as a railway arch and the parliament hall is 100 feet long, with a noteworthy chimneypiece restored. It had a minstrels' gallery, and a long passage from it leads to the chapel. The room in which Queen Mary was born is a great contrast in point of size to that which witnessed her son's birth in Edinburgh cstle. At the northwest corner a spiral staircase leads up to Queen Margaret's bower, the most perfect little room in the palace, square within, hexagonal without. There is a fine lookout, and here the queen is said to have watched for the return of her husband, James IV from Flodden. There are also those adjuncts of the mediaeval fortress, dungeons and a torture chamber.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER JUDGMENT OF FORECLOSURE—

State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis.—ss.

District Court, Eleventh Judicial District.

O. G. Larson and Ole Sund, co-partners doing business under the firm name and style of O. G. Larson & Sund, Plaintiffs.

vs.

Mary La Floic, Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That, under and by virtue of a Judgment and Decree entered in the above entitled action on the 2nd day of June, 1910, a certified transcript of which has been delieverd to me, I, the undersigned, Sheriff of said St. Louis County, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, on Saturday the 4th day of February 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the front door of the Court House in the City of Duluth, in said County, in one parcel, the premises and real estate described in said Judgment and Decree, to wit: All that tract or parcel of land lying and being in the County of St. Louis, and State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit:

The east half (E½) of lot twenty-one (21), East Superior street, Duluth Proper, First Division, according to the recorded plat there thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of St. Louis County, Minn.

Dated Dec. 13th 1910.

WM. J. BATES,
Sheriff of St. Louis County.
By S. L. PIERCE,
Deputy.

John H. Norton.
Plaintiff's attorney.
D. H. Dec. 14, 21, 28, 1910. Jan. 4, 11, 18, 1911.

The Union Fire Insurance Company of Paris, France.

Principale office in the United States, 17 Custom House St., Providence, R. I. (Commenced business in the United States 1910.) Starkweather & Shepley, Inc., general managers in the United States. Attorney to accept service in Minnesota, Commissioner of Insurance.

DEPOSIT CAPITAL, $210,000.00.

Income in 1910.	
Received from home office	$504,950.00
Total income	$504,950.00
Sum	$504,950.00
Ledger Assets Sept. 16, 1910.	
Book value of bonds	$504,950.00
Total ledger assets (as per balance)	$504,950.00
Liabilities Dec. 31, 1909.	
Deposit capital	$210,000.00
Net surplus	$294,950.00

State of Minnesota, Department of Insurance.

I Hereby Certify, That the annual statement of the Union Fire Insurance Company of Paris, France, of Sept. 16, 1910, of which the above is an abstract, has been received and filed in this department and duly approved by me.

JOHN A. HARTIGAN,
Commissioner of Insurance.

WANTS CONTINUED FROM PAGE 22.

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

AROUND THE WORLD CRUISES TWO GRAND CRUISES of about three and one-half months' duration by the large Transatlantic steamer CLEVELAND. First cruise to leave New York Nov. 1, 1911; second to leave San Francisco Feb. 17, 1912. Also cruises to the Orient, West Indies, and South America.
Cost, including all necessary expenses, $650 up
HAMBURG-AMERICAN LINE.
159 Randolph St., Chicago, or Local Agents

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

SOO LINE MINNEAPOLIS, ST. PAUL AND SAULT STE. MARIE RY.

UNION STATION—Superior St. and Sixth Ave. West.

Leave.		TWIN PORTS EXPRESS.	Arrive.	
†7.00 am	*7.00 pm	DULUTH	*9.00 am	†5.30 pm
7.30 am	7.30 pm	Superior	8.30 am	5.00 pm
1.45 pm	10.40 pm	Ladysmith	5.15 am	10.50 am
Arrive 10.30 am		Sault Ste. Marie	5.20 pm Leave.	
†5.00 pm	11.45 pm	Owens	4.00 am	†7.55 am
For Eau Claire and Chippewa Falls	3.49 am	Oshkosh	12.01 am	From Eau Claire and Chippewa Falls
	7.15 am	Milwaukee	8.50 pm	
	*9.00 am	Chicago	*7.00 pm	

Dining Cars. Palace Sleepers and Library Observation Cars. Vestibuled — Vacuum Cleaned — Electric Lighted.

Leave.		BROOTEN EXPRESS	Arrive.	
	†5.45 am	Duluth	†9.00 pm	
†7.00 am	6.15 am	Superior	8.30 pm	†5.00 pm
10.00 am	8.22 am	Moose Lake	6.20 pm	12.35 pm
3.10 pm	10.20 am	Wahken	4.42 pm	7.26 am
†4.00 pm	10.50 am	Onamia	4.25 pm	†6.45 am
	†1.20 pm	Brooten	†1.45 pm	

Connections at Brooten for Twin Cities, Western Canada and the Pacific Coast.

Leave.	DULUTH-WINNIPEG LINE.	Arrive.
† 9.30 am	Duluth	† 6.00 pm
10.05 am	Superior	5.25 pm
11.25 am	Moose Lake	4.05 pm
4.00 pm	Cass Lake	11.30 am
4.37 pm	Bemidji	10.53 am
7.30 pm	Thief River Falls	8.00 am

Connections at Thief River Falls for Winnipeg.

Leave.	CUYUNA RANGE LINE.	Arrive.
† 7.20 am	Duluth	† 6.40 pm
7.55 am	Superior	6.05 pm
9.30 am	Lawler	4.10 pm
10.02 am	East Lake	3.58 pm
10.24 am	Darina	3.35 pm
10.35 am	Roseberg	3.25 pm
10.48 am	Aitkin	3.12 pm
11.45 am	Iron Hub	2.55 pm
Arrive. 11.15 am	DEERWOOD	2.40 pm Leave.
†11.57 am	Cuyuna	† 2.08 pm
12.05 pm	Crosby	2.00 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.

DULUTH, MISSABE & NORTHERN RAILWAY.

Office: 426 West Superior St.
Phone, 969.

Leave.		Arrive.
*7.40 am	Hibbing, Chisholm, Virginia, Eveleth, Coleraine, Sharon (Buhl), †Mount'n Iron, †Sparta, †Biwabik	*3.21 pm
*3.50 pm	Hibbing, Chisholm, Sharon (Buhl), Virginia, Eveleth, Coleraine.	*10.31 am
*7.10 pm	Virginia, Cook, Ranier, Fort Frances, Port Arthur, Baudette, Warroad, Winnipeg	*8.31 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.

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*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.

Duluth & Northern Minnesota Ry.

Offices: 510 Lonsdale Bldg., Duluth.

Trains leave Knife River 20 miles out on the D. & I. R. R. every day, except Sunday, on arrival of the train leaving Union station, Duluth, at 7:30 a. m. Returning connections are made at Knife River with trains due in Duluth Union station at 6:30 p. m. Connections are made at Cramer with stage line for Grand Marais and all North Shore points when operating.

NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD.

Leave.		Arrive.
*4.00 pm	Ashland and East	*11.15 am
*8.00 am	Ashland and East	*6.40 pm
*7.30 pm	Minn. and Dakota Express	*8.15 am
*8.05 am	North Coast Limited	*6.25 pm
Leave.	"Duluth Short Line"	Arrive.
†9.00 am		*6.30 am
*1.55 pm	ST. PAUL	†2.05 pm
*11.10 pm	MINNEAPOLIS	*7.00 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. 'Phone 214. Union Depot at 334 West Superior street.

NORTH-WESTERN LINE C. ST. P. M. & O. RY.

Lv*3.30pm	*6.15pm	Duluth	Ar*8.25am	*12.59pm
Lv*3.50pm	6.35pm	Superior	Ar 7.53am	12.25pm
Ar	7.45am	Milwaukee	Lv 7.45pm	
Ar 7.00am	8.15am	Chicago	Lv 6.25pm	10.10pm
Lv†8.50am	*4.35pm	Duluth	Ar†3.35pm	*9.55pm
Lv 9.10am	4.55pm	Superior	Ar 3.05pm	9.35pm
Ar 4.30pm	9.50pm	St. Paul	Lv 8.10am	4.30pm
Ar 5.05pm	10.25pm	Minneapolis	Lv 7.30am	4.00pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.
Office, 302 West Superior St., Duluth.

Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic.

No. 6.	No. 8.		No. 7.	No. 5.
†7.45 am	*5.00 pm	Lv Duluth Ar	*10.30 am	†4.55 pm
†8.05 am	*5.15 pm	Superior	*10.15 am	†4.35 pm
†7.55 pm	*5.40 am	Ar Houghton Lv	*11.05 pm	
†8.55 pm	*6.30 am	Calumet	*10.15 pm	
†7.05 pm	*3.50 am	Ishpeming	*12.20 pm	†6.20 am
†7.45 pm	*4.30 am	Marquette	*11.30 pm	†5.15 am
	*10.15 am	Sault Ste. Marie	*5.30 pm	
	*8.00 am	Montreal	*9.50 pm	
	*8.15 am	Boston	*10.00 pm	
†8.50 am	*7.10 pm	Lv Montreal Ar	*7.30 am	†10.15 pm
†8.00 pm	*7.18 am	Ar New York	*7.00 pm	†6.45 am

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. Twin City sleepers, Trains Nos. 7 and 8.

THE GREAT NORTHERN.

Leave.	STATIONS.	Arrive.
†8.00 am *3.25 pm *11.10 pm *8.45 am *8.55 pm	ST. PAUL and MINNEAPOLIS Crookston, Grand Forks, Montana and Coast	†10.15 pm *1.55 pm *6.30 am *6.35 pm *7.15 am
†2.20 pm	Swan River, Hibbing, Virginia	†12.30 pm
†8.00 am	St. Cloud, Wilmar, Sioux City	†10.15 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. Twin City sleeper ready at 9 p. m. Office, Spalding hotel.

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SITUATION WANTED—BY AN A1 watchmaker by the first of the year; references if desired. X 147, Herald.

SITUATION WANTED—BY EXPERIenced retail grocery salesman; good references. N 339, Herald.

SITUATION WANTED — EXPERienced camp clerk wishes position. B 281, Herald.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN desires position as clerk or inside work. Best references. Herald, U 359.

SITUATION WANTED—BY MIDDLE-aged man; would like position as houseman; can furnish good references. Address O 279, Herald.

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SITUATION WANTED — SHIRT waists to make or any kind of sewing. Call 515 Fifth avenue west.

SITUATION WANTED — AS OFFICE assistant, by young lady; will start with small salary. Herald, Y 289.

SITUATION WANTED—BY EXPERIenced woman, work by day; washing and ironing. Call Zenith 1474 X.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG LADY bookkeeper and stenographer would like position in doctor's or dentist's office. R 307, Herald.

SITUATION WANTED—LADY WISHing any kind of work by the day; washing or cleaning, or will take home washing. Address Mrs. Duboise, 2220 West Michigan street. Upstairs.

SITUATION WANTED — WASHING, ironing and cleaning by the day. 319 First avenue east.

SITUATION WANTED—DRESS MAKing and plain sewing. 907 London road. Upstairs.

SITUATION WANTED—LADY WISHES work Saturday in exchange for board or board and room. U 341, Herald.

LEGAL NOTICES.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we, the undersigned, do hereby associate ourselves together and agree upon the following articles of incorporation under the provisions of chapter 58 of the Revised Laws of Minnesota for 1905 and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and do hereby adopt the following articles:

1. The name of this corporation shall be "Crosby Iron Company."

2. The general nature of the business shall be exploring for and mining, smelting, reducing, refining, working or manufacturing iron, copper and other minerals, the mining and marketing of any kind of ore or other mineral substance, and the buying, working, selling, leasing and dealing in mineral lands.

Any of said business may be carried on in the state of Minnesota or elsewhere.

The principal place of transacting the business of this corporation shall be in the city of Duluth, Minnesota.

3. The period of the duration of this corporation shall be thirty years.

4. The names and places of residence of the persons forming this corporation are as follows: E. F. Alford, J. W. Hunt and Corah L. Colbrath, all of Duluth, Minnesota.

5. The names of the first board of directors of this corporation shall be as follows: E. F. Alford, J. W. Hunt and Corah L. Colbrath. The government of this corporation and the management of its affairs shall be vested in the following officers, to-wit: A board of three directors, who shall be stockholders of this corporation, and a president, vice president, secretary and treasurer. The office of vice president and treasurer may be held by the same person. The board of directors shall be elected by the stockholders of the corporation at their annual meeting. The officers shall be chosen by the directors at their first meeting after each annual meeting of the stockholders. The directors and officers shall hold their respective offices for the term of one year and until their respective successors are elected and qualify.

The annual meeting of the stockholders shall be held the second Monday in January in each year, at such hour and place as shall be fixed by the by-laws of the corporation.

6. The amount of the capital stock of this corporation shall be fifty thousand dollars ($50,000), divided into five hundred shares of the par value of one hundred dollars each, the same to be paid in as called for by the board of directors.

7. The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which this corporation shall at any time be subject is the sum of two hundred thousand dollars ($200,000).

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 7th day of December, 1910.

E. F. ALFORD. (Seal)
J. W. HUNT. (Seal)
CORAH L. COLBRATH. (Seal)

State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis —ss.

On this 7th day of December, 1910, before me, a notary public within and for said county, personally appeared E. F. Alford, J. W. Hunt and Corah L. Colbrath, to me known to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing certificate, and acknowledged that they executed the same as their free act and deed.

C. W. STILSON,
Notary Public, St. Louis Co., Minn.
(Notarial Seal, St. Louis Co., Minn.)
My commission expires May 28th. 1911.

State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 8th day of December, A. D. 1910, at 9 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book 13 of Incorporations, on page 495.

JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State.

OFFICE OF REGISTER OF DEEDS.
State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis —ss.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record Dec. 9, 1910, at 1 P. M., and was duly recorded in Book 14 of Misc., page 35.

M. C. PALMER,
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By THOS. CLARK,
Deputy.

D. H., Dec. 12, 13, 14, 1910.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, HAVE associated ourselves together to form a corporation, for the purposes hereinafter stated, pursuant to the provisions of Revised Laws, 1905, of Minnesota, and acts amendatory thereof, and for that purpose have hereby subscribed and acknowledged the following Certificate of Incorporation:

I. The name of this corporation shall be "The Townsite Company." The principal place where the business of said corporation is to be transacted is Duluth, Minnesota. The general nature of the business of this corporation shall be to buy, own, mortgage, sell, transfer, convey, plat and deal in real estate and interests therein, and leases and liens thereon, and bonds, stocks, notes, mortgages and all other personal property wherever situated; to lease, let, improve and cultivate real estate, and to market its products; to loan and to borrow money, on security or otherwise, and to make, endorse, guarantee and discount commercial paper; to explore for, quarry, mine, market and sell all ores and other substances; and to acquire, cut, log, manufacture, market and sell logs and timber; and to acquire, use, improve and dispose of any and all machinery, stock and other personal property necessary or convenient for the transaction of any of the aforesaid business.

II. The time of the commencement of said corporation shall be December 16th, 1910, and the period of its continuance shall be thirty (30) years thereafter.

III. The names and places of residence of the persons forming said corporation are as follows: Francis W. Sullivan, Sara L. McNulty and Harold A. Carmichael, all of whom reside at Duluth, Minnesota.

IV. The government of said corporation, and the management of all of its affairs, shall be vested in a Board of three (3) directors, who shall be stockholders of said corporation, and who shall be elected, annually, at the annual meeting of the stockholders, which shall be held in Duluth, Minnesota, on the first Tuesday in July in each year, unless otherwise provided by the by-laws. The names of the first Board of Directors are: Francis W. Sullivan, Sara L. McNulty and Harold A. Carmichael, all of whom reside at Duluth, Minnesota, who shall hold office until the first election, and until their successors shall have been duly elected and qualified. There shall also be the following officers, who shall have such powers and duties as may be prescribed by the Board of Directors, and who shall be elected at the first meeting of the Board of Directors after incorporation, and annually thereafter, at the first meeting of said Board, immediately following the annual meeting of the stockholders: A President, a Vice President, a Secretary and a Treasurer, any two of which offices, except the two first named, may be held by the same person. The Board of Directors shall have full power and authority, by a majority vote, to fill all vacancies that may exist in the Board of Directors, or offices, of the company, and the persons so elected shall hold their respective offices until the next annual meeting of the stockholders, and until their successors shall have been duly elected and qualified.

V. The amount of the capital stock of said corporation shall be ten thousand ($10,000) dollars, divided into one hundred (100) shares of the par value of one hundred ($100) dollars each, which shall be paid for, in cash or in other property, at such time, in such manner, and in such amounts as the Board of Directors shall determine.

VI. The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which said corporation shall be subject at any time shall be the sum of fifty thousand ($50,000) dollars.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have hereunto set our hands and seals this 13th day of December, A. D. 1910.

FRANCIS W. SULLIVAN. (Seal)
SARA L. McNULTY. (Seal)
HAROLD A. CARMICHAEL. (Seal)

Signed, Sealed and Delivered
in Presence of:
JOHN JUNELL.
C. C. COLTON.

State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis —ss.

On this 13th day of December, A. D. 1910, before me, a Notary Public within and for said county, personally appeared Francis W. Sullivan, Sara L. McNulty and Harold A. Carmichael, to me known to be the same persons described in, and who executed, the foregoing instrument, and they acknowledged that they executed the same as their free act and deed.

C. C. COLTON, Notary Public,
St. Louis County, Minn.
(Notarial Seal, St. Louis County, Minn.)
My commission expires Nov. 1, 1914.

State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 14 day of December, A. D. 1910, at 9 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book T-3 of Incorporations, on page 512.

JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State.

OFFICE OF REGISTER OF DEEDS.
State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis —ss.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record Dec. 14, 1910, at 10 A. M., and was duly recorded in Book 14 of Misc., page 45.

M. C PALMER, Register of Deeds.
By THOS. CLARK, Deputy.

CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

—OF—

McCUE MINING COMPANY.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, the undersigned, hereby associate together for the purpose of forming a corporation under the provisions of Chapter 58 of Revised Laws of Minnesota, 1905, and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and for that purpose do hereby adopt the following certificate of incorporation:

ARTICLE ONE.

The name of this corporation shall be McCUE MINING COMPANY, and the general nature of its business shall be exploring for ores and minerals, developing the same, mining, smelting, reducing and refining ores and minerals, and selling and disposing of the same, and acquiring properties and interests therein by purchase, leases or contracts for said purpose, and doing such other business as may be incident thereto.

The principal place of business of said corporation shall be at the City of Duluth, Minnesota, provided that the Company may have an office and do business in any other State.

ARTICLE TWO.

The time of the commencement of the existence of said corporation shall be the 15th day of December, 1910, and the period of its duration shall be thirty years.

ARTICLE THREE.

The names and places of residence of the persons forming this corporation are as follows:
Edward C. McCue of Duluth, Minnesota;
Walter G. Amundson of Duluth, Minnesota, and
E. C. Kennedy of Duluth, Minnesota.

ARTICLE IV.

The government of this corporation and the management of its affairs shall be vested in a Board of Five Directors, who shall be elected annually on the fourth Monday in January in each year.

The names and places of residence of the persons composing the first Board of Directors, until the first election, are as follows:
Edward C. McCue of Duluth, Minnesota;
Walter G. Amundson of Duluth, Minnesota;
E. C. Kennedy of Duluth, Minnesota;
R. M. White of Duluth, Minnesota, and
H. E. Walbank of Duluth, Minnesota.

The first meeting of which Board may be held at room 510 Sellwood Building, in Duluth, Minnesota, on the 15th day of December, 1910, at 2 o'clock P. M., without further notice, at which time shall be elected the officers of said Corporation.

ARTICLE V.

The amount of capital stock of said corporation shall be Five Hundred Thousand Dollars ($500,000), divided into five hundred thousand (500,000) shares of the par value of One Dollar ($1.00) each, and such stock may be sold for cash or its equivalent in property, or both, as may be authorized by the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE VI.

The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which the corporation shall at any time be subject is Five Hundred Thousand Dollars ($500,000).

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have hereunto set our hands and seals this 9th day of December, A. D. 1910.

EDWARD C. McCUE. (Seal)
WALTER G. AMUNDSON. (Seal)
E. C. KENNEDY. (Seal)

Signed, Sealed and Executed
in Presence of:
M. L. WISEMAN.
G. F. ROECKER.

State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis —ss.

On this 9th day of December, A. D. 1910, before me personally appeared Edward C. McCue, Walter G. Amundson and E. C. Kennedy, to me personally known to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and they acknowledged the same as their free act and deed.

MARTHA L. WISEMAN,
Notary Public,
St. Louis County, Minnesota.
(Notarial Seal)
My Commission expires June 6, 1915.

State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 12th day of December, A. D. 1910, at 9 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book T-3 of Incorporations, on page 506.

JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State.

OFFICE OF REGISTER OF DEEDS.
State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis —ss.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record December 13, 1910, at 9:15 A. M., and was duly recorded in Book 14 of Misc., page 41.

M. C. PALMER,
Register of Deeds.
By THOS. CLARK,
Deputy.

D. H., Dec. 13, 14, 1910.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

—OF—

ELY-IDAHO GOLD MINING COMPANY.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, the undersigned, do hereby associate ourselves together and agree upon the following Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a corporation under and by virtue of the provisions of Chapter 58 of the Revised Laws of Minnesota for 1905, and the acts amendatory thereof and suplementary thereto:

FIRST.

The name of this corporation shall be Ely-Idaho Gold Mining Company, and the general nature of the business to be carried on by said corporation shall be the mining, milling, smelting, reducing, refining and working of ores and other minerals; the lease, purchase, acquisition and sale of timber, land and mines; the leasing, purchasing, acquiring, selling and development of water power.

The place of the principal office or headquarters of said corporation shall be the City of Ely, in the County of St. Louis and State of Minnesota.

SECOND.

The period of the duration of said corporation shall be thirty years.

THIRD.

The names and places of residence of the persons so associating to form this corporation are as follows, to-wit:
M. E. Gleason, Ely, Minnesota.
Charles Grabowsky, Ely, Minnesota.
W. A. McCurdy, Soudan, Minnesota.

FOURTH.

The management of the corporation shall be vested in a Board of seven Directors, who shall be elected at the annual meeting of Stockholders, and whose term of office shall be for one year and until their successors are elected and shall have qualified. The annual meeting of Stockholders shall be held on the second Tuesday of January in each year. The names and addresses of those who shall compose the Board of Directors until the first election are as follows, to-wit:
M. E. Gleason, Ely, Minnesota.
Charles Grabowsky, Ely, Minnesota.
W. T. James, Ely, Minnesota.
M. J. Murphy, Ely, Minnesota.
W. A. McCurdy, Soudan, Minnesota.
James P. Carey, Virginia, Minnesota.
M. L. Derrig, Grangeville, Idaho.

The Stockholders or the Board of Directors may make By-Laws, and from time to time either the Stockholders or the Board of Directors may alter, amend or repeal any By-Laws made either by the Stockholders or the Board of Directors.

FIFTH.

The amount of the capital stock of this corporation shall be Two Hundred Thousand Dollars ($200,000), which shall be divided into two hundred thousand shares (200,000) of the par value of One Dollar ($1) each, and shall be sold and paid for in cash, services or things of value necessary or beneficial to the business for which this corporation is formed, which in the estimation of the Board of Directors is equivalent in value to the par value of the stock issued therefor.

SIXTH.

The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which this corporation shall be at any time subject is Fifty Thousand Dollars ($50,000).

CHARLES GRABOWSKY. (Seal)
W. A. McCURDY. (Seal)
M. E. GLEASON. (Seal)

In Presence of:
O. W. AKERSON,
J. O. MIKE,
As to McCurdy.
M. T. CANNING,
JAMES W. OSBORNE,
Witnesses as to Grabowsky and Gleason.

State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis —ss.

On this 12th day of November, A. D. 1910, before me, a Notary Public within and for said County and State, personally apeared M. E. Gleason and Charles Grabowsky, to me well known to be the identical persons described in and who executed the above and foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and they duly severally acknowledged to me that they executed the same as their free act and deed.

JAMES W. OSBORNE,
Notary Public.
St. Louis County, Minnesota.
(Notarial Seal, St. Louis Co., Minn.)
My commission expires Dec. 24, 1916.

State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis —ss.

On this 10th day of November, A. D. 1910, before me, a Notary Public within and for said county and State, personally appeared W. A. McCurdy, to me well known to be the identical person described in and who executed the above and foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and he duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same as his free act and deed.

O. W. AKERSON,
Notary Public,
St. Louis County, Minnesota.
(Notarial Seal, St. Louis Co., Minn.)
My commission expires Dec. 9, 1911.

State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 10th day of December, A. D. 1910, at 9 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book T-3 of Incorporations, on page 503.

JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State.

OFFICE OF REGISTER OF DEEDS.
State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis —ss.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on Dec. 12, 1910, at 10 A. M., and was duly recorded in Book 14 of Misc., on page 39.

M. C. PALMER,
Register of Deeds.
By THOS. CLARK,
Deputy.

D. H., Dec. 13, 14, 1910.

SUMMONS IN APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF LAND—
State of Minnesota, County of St. Louis.—ss.
District Court, Eleventh Judicial District.

In the matter of the application of Daisy I. Wahl, to register the title to the following described real estate situated in St. Louis County, Minnesota, namely: Lots numbered Eighty (80), Eighty-two (82), Eighty-four (84), Eighty-six (86), Eighty-eight (88), and Ninety (90), on Fifth street, and lots numbered Eighty-one (81), Eighty-three (83), Eighty-five (85), Eighty-seven (87), Eighty-nine (89), and Ninety-one (91), on Sixth street, all in Fond du Lac, according to the recorded plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said St. Louis County, Minnesota,
Applicant,
vs.
The unknown heirs of George W. Didlake, the unknown heirs of Francis Roussain, Sr., the unknown heirs of Francis Roussain, Jr., the unknown heirs of Levi B. Coffey, W. C. B. Graham, C. Howard Clark, Jr., Zoe Roussain, Eustace Roussain, Mary Roussain, Lizzie Jackson, Cecelia Roussain Durfee, Blanche B. Brigham, William A. Cant, Lucinda B. Spalding, James M. Spalding, Anna P. Spalding, Edson C. Spalding, Sarah Jane Coffey, John H. Brigham, Matilda C. Wahl, John Legard, Paul Legard, and all other persons or parties unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real estate described in the application herein.
Defendants.

The State of Minnesota to the above named Defendants:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the application of the applicant in the above entitled proceeding and to file your answer to the said application in the office of the clerk of said court, in said county, within twenty (20) days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service, and, if you fail to answer the said application within the time aforesaid, the applicant in this proceeding will apply to the court for the relief demended therein.

WITNESS, J. P. Johnson, clerk of said court, and the seal thereof, at Duluth, in said county, this 30th day of November, A. D. 1910.

J. P. JOHNSON,
Clerk.
By B. G. RILLING,
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(Seal, District Court, St. Louis County, Minn.)
MARION DOUGLAS,
Attorney for Applicant.
D. H., Nov. 30, Dec. 7, 14, 1910.

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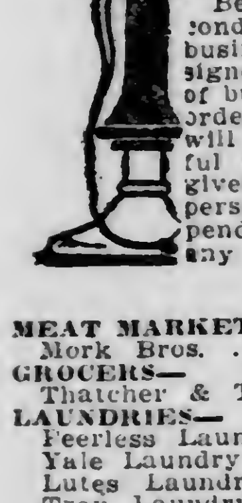

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WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. 112 East Third street.

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FOR RENT — 429 THIRD AVENUE west, central, suitable for roomers, nine rooms, modern; $45. Call at office of Little & Nolte, Exchange building.

FOR RENT—109 THIRTY-NINTH AVenue west; five rooms $12.50; includes city water. J. D. Howard & Co., 216 West Superior street.

FOR RENT—EIGHT ROOMS, 710 WEST Second street; stove heat; $25 per month. W. M. Prindle.

FOR RENT—FIVE-ROOM HOUSE, 17 Second avenue east; water, sewer; rent $22.50. William Prindle, Lonsdale building.

FOR RENT — NO. 1610½ EAST SUperior street; eight rooms and bath; hot water heat; gas range; hardwood floors; $45. J. D. Howard & Co., 216 West Superior street.

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KEYSTONE CHAPTER NO. 20, R. A. M.—Stated convocations second and fourth Wednesday evenings of each month at 7:30 o'clock. Next meeting, Dec. 14, 1910. Work—Annual meeting, election of officers. Andalia W. Torrance, H. P.; Alfred Le Richeux, secretary.

DULUTH COUNCIL NO. 6, D. & S. M.—Next meeting Friday, Dec. 2, 1910, at 7:30 p. m. Work—Annual meeting; election of officers. Carl L. Lonegren, T. I. M.; Alfred Le Richeux, recorder.

DULUTH COMMANDERY NO. 18, K. T.—Stated conclave first Tuesday of each month at 7:30 o'clock p. m. Next conclave Dec. 6, 1910. Work—Red Cross degree. Newton H. Wilson, E. C.; Alfred Le Richeux, recorder.

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ZENITH CHAPTER NO. 25, Order of Eastern Star—Regular meetings second and fourth Friday evenings of each month at 7:30 o'clock. Next meeting, Dec. 9, 1910. Work—Annual meeting, election of officers and initiation. Minnie Keeler, W. M.; Ella F. Gearhart, secretary.

EUCLID LODGE NO. 198, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meetings second and fourth Wednesday evenings of each month at 7:30 o'clock. Next meeting Dec. 14, 1910. Work—Election of officers. L. R. Clark, W. M.; A. Dunleavy, secretary.

DULUTH CHAPTER NO. 59, R. A. M.—Meets at West Duluth first and Third Wednesdays of each month at 7:30 p. m. Next meeting, Dec. 7, 1910. Work—Election of officers and P. M. and M. E. degrees. W. B. Getchell H. P.; A. Dunleavy, secretary.

K. of P.
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DIAMOND LODGE NO. 45, K. of P.—Meets every Monday evening in Sloan's hall, corner Twentieth avenue west and Superior street. All knights cordially invited; work in second rank. M. J. Murray, C. C.; Otto E. Nelson, K. of R. & S.

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DULUTH LODGE, NO. 28, I. O. O. F.—MEETS every Friday evening at 8 o'clock at Odd Fellows' hall, 18 Lake avenue north. Next meeting night, Dec. 16, regular business. E. A. Bergstrom, N. G.; G. H. Glass, Rec. Sec.; A. H. Paul, Fin. Sec.

DULUTH ENCAMPMENT NO. 36, I. O. O. F.—Meets on the second and fourth Thursdays at Odd Fellows hall, 18 Lake avenue north. Next meeting night, Dec. 22, royal purple degree. J. B. Cade, C. P.; L. G. Marlow, Rec. Sec.

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CLAN STEWART, NO. 50, O. S. C.—Meets first and third Wednesdays each month, 8 p. m., at U. O. F. hall, corner Fourth avenue west and First street. Next regular meeting, Dec. 21. Alexander G. McKnight, chief; Don McLennan, secretary; John Burnett, financial secretary, 312 Torrey building.

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ROYAL ARCANUM, Duluth Council No. 1483—Meets second and fourth Tuesday evenings, Maccabee hall, 21 Lake avenue north. Clinton Brooks, secretary, 401 Columbia building.
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